[Follow-Up Board Response - 2013-2014 Civil Grand Jury Report - "Ethics in the City: Promise, Practice or Pretense"]

Motion responding to the Civil Grand Jury request to provide a status update on the Board of Supervisors' response to Recommendation No. 24 contained in the 2013-2014 Civil Grand Jury Report, entitled "Ethics in the City: Promise, Practice or Pretense;" and urging the Mayor to cause implementation of accepted recommendation through his/her department heads and through the development of the annual budget.

WHEREAS, The 2013-2014 San Francisco Civil Grand Jury published a report, entitled "Ethics in the City: Promise, Practice or Pretense" (Report) in June 2014; and

WHEREAS, The Board of Supervisors' Government Audit and Oversight Committee (GAO) conducted a public hearing to hear and respond to the Report on September 11, 2014, and the Board of Supervisors adopted Resolution No. 346-14 reflecting the GAO responses to the Report on September 16, 2014; and

WHEREAS, Recommendation No. 24 states: "The Mayor and the Board of Supervisors should request an annual written report from the Ethics Commission that meets the standards set out in the Charter for annual reviews of the effectiveness of the City's laws. This report should be posted on the Ethics Commission website," and the Board of Supervisors on September 16, 2014, responded in Resolution No. 346-14 that Recommendation No. 24 will be implemented, as follows: The Board of Supervisors would like to receive a written annual report from the Ethics Commission. The Board will report back to the Civil Grand Jury within six months from the date of the issuance of the Grand Jury report or by December 26, 2014; and

WHEREAS, The 2013-2014 City and County of San Francisco Civil Grand Jury requested that the Board of Supervisors provide a status update on the response to Recommendation No. 24; now, therefore, be it

MOVED, That the Board of Supervisors reports that Recommendation No. 24 has been implemented, as follows: In its response to the Civil Grand Jury Report, the Ethics Commission indicated that it will provide such a report; and, be it

FURTHER MOVED, That the Board of Supervisors urges the Mayor to cause the implementation of accepted recommendation through his/her department heads and through the development of the annual budget.



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January 13, 2015 Board of Supervisors - CONTINUED

Ayes: 11 - Avalos, Breed, Campos, Christensen, Cohen, Farrell, Kim, Mar, Tang, Wiener and Yee

January 27, 2015 Board of Supervisors - APPROVED

Ayes: 10 - Avalos, Breed, Campos, Christensen, Cohen, Farrell, Kim, Tang,

Wiener and Yee Excused: 1 - Mar

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Motion was APPROVED on 1/27/2015 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Angela Calvillo Clerk of the Board