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[Commending the Anti-Defamation League]

Resolution commending the Anti-Defamation League for its recent plan to advocate for same-sex domestic partners' rights.

WHEREAS, The Anti-Defamation League (ADL) is a non-profit national and international organization fighting anti-Semitism and all forms of bigotry in the United States and abroad; and,

WHEREAS, The Anti-Defamation League combats international terrorism, probes the roots of hatred, advocates before Congress, comes to the aid of victims of bigotry, and serves as public resource for reducing hatred; and,

WHEREAS, The ADL's Central Pacific Regional Board based in San Francisco developed a new policy to advocate for the equal rights of same-sex domestic partners; and,

WHEREAS, At the Anti-Defamation League's annual meeting in New York in November 2001, all thirty regions of the national organization voted in support of the new policy to advocate for domestic partners' rights; and,

WHEREAS, This Jewish organization correctly recognizes that all forms of discrimination, be it targeted at Jewish people, people of color, or same-sex couples, is aberrant and should be eliminated; and,

WHEREAS, The City and County of San Francisco, which has a diverse population which includes same-sex domestic partners,

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has a particular stake in the elimination of discrimination based on sexual orientation in the United States and around the world; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco commends the Anti-Defamation League and its Central Pacific Regional Board for their approval, support, and advocacy of same-sex domestic partners' rights.



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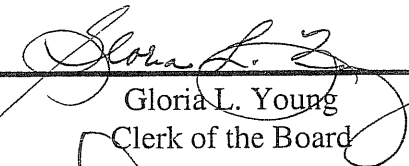
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December 10, 2001 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 10 - Ammiano, Daly, Gonzalez, Hall, Leno, Maxwell, McGoldrick, Peskin,
Sandoval, Yee
Absent: 1 - Newsom

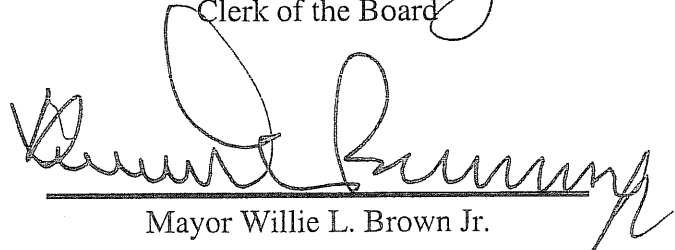
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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on December 10, 2001 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.


Gloria L. Young
Clerk of the Board

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Date Approved



Mayor Willie L. Brown Jr.