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[Armenian Genocide Commemoration Day]

DECLARING APRIL 24<sup>TH</sup>, 1999 ARMENIAN GENOCIDE COMMEMORATION DAY IN SAN FRANCISCO.

WHEREAS, San Francisco is proud to join its Armenian-American community in its commemoration of the 84<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Armenian Genocide, the first genocide of the 20<sup>th</sup> Century; and

WHEREAS, One and one half million men, women and children of Armenian descent were the victims of the brutal genocide perpetrated by the Turkish Ottoman government beginning in 1915; and

WHEREAS, Recognition, remembrance and condemnation of the Armenian Genocide is crucial in guarding against future genocides; and

WHEREAS, Joining our voices in one refrain we can help ensure that the Armenian Genocide is included in all historical accounts; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco declares April 24<sup>th</sup>, 1999 Armenian Genocide Commemoration Day in San Francisco.



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Resolution

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Date Passed:

Resolution declaring April 24, 1999 Armenian Genocide Commemoration Day in San Francisco.

May 3, 1999 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 9 - Teng, Yaki, Yee, Ammiano, Bierman, Brown, Kaufman, Leno, Newsom

Absent: 2 - Becerril, Katz

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on May 3, 1999 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

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Date Approved

Gloria L. Young  
Clerk of the Board

Mayor Willie L. Brown Jr.