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Subject: Board of Supervisors Resolution No. 384-16 - Supporting California State Proposition 56 - California Healthcare, Research, and Prevention Tobacco Tax Amendment
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Good afternoon,

Resolution No. 384-16 [Supporting California State Proposition 56 - California Healthcare, Research, and Prevention Tobacco Tax Amendment] directs the Clerk of the Board to forward copies of the enacted matter to the following recipients:

- California State Senate, c/o Secretary of the Senate, Daniel Alvarez
- California State Assembly, c/o Chief Clerk of the Assembly, E. Dotson Wilson

This message serves as your notice that the above transmittal was mailed to the indicated recipients on Thursday, September 22, 2016. You can review a copy of the transmittal letters at the following link:

- [Clerk of the Board Letters - September 21, 2016](#)

I invite you to review the entire file at the following link:

- [Board of Supervisors File No. 160903](#)

Regards,

Brent Jalipa

Legislative Clerk

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September 21, 2016

The Honorable Daniel Alvarez
Secretary of the Senate
California State Senate
California State Capitol, Room 3044
Sacramento, CA 95814

Re: Board of Supervisors Resolution No. 384-16

Dear Secretary Alvarez:


On September 6, 2016, the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco adopted Resolution No. 384-16 (Supporting California State Proposition 56 - California Healthcare, Research, and Prevention Tobacco Tax Amendment), which was enacted on September 16, 2016.

The Board of Supervisors directs the Clerk of the Board to forward the following documents the attention of the California State Senate:

- One copy of Resolution No. 384-16 (File No. 160903)

If you have any questions or require additional information, please contact the Office of the Clerk of the Board at (415) 554-5184, or by e-mail: board.of.supervisors@sfgov.org.

Sincerely,


Angela Calvillo
Clerk of the Board

c. Supervisor Eric Mar
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8 stand to save lives by supporting the California Healthcare, Research and Prevention
9 Tobacco Tax Act of 2016 on the November 2016 ballot ; and

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11 WHEREAS, 90 percent of smokers start as teenagers and over 16,000 children in
12 California get hooked on smoking every year, and half of the teens who start will die from
13 smoking related illness; and

14 WHEREAS, Tobacco is responsible for about one of every seven deaths, or 14%, in
15 San Francisco; and

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20 \$3.5 billion spent annually on Medi-Cal to treat smoking-related diseases; and

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22 2016 will reduce smoking rates and long-term healthcare costs; and

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24 2016 will fund healthcare programs through the Department of Health Care Services-including
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6 \$2.87, and place equivalent taxes on other tobacco products containing nicotine, like e-
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10 WHEREAS, The California Healthcare, Research and Prevention Tax Act of 2016 is
11 supported by the American Cancer Society Cancer Action Network, the American Heart
12 Association, the American Lung Association in California, Blue Shield of California, the
13 California Medical Association, the California Dental Association, the California Hospital
14 Association, and the Service Employees International Union; now, therefore, be it

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City and County of San Francisco

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Resolution

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File Number: 160903

Date Passed: September 06, 2016

Resolution supporting the efforts of the California State Legislature on Proposition 56, which would increase the Cigarette Tax by 87 cents per pack to fund Healthcare, Education, Tobacco Use Prevention, and Research.

September 06, 2016 Board of Supervisors - ADOPTED

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

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on 9/6/2016 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

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Clerk of the Board

Unsigned

Mayor

9/16/16

Date Approved

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution, not being signed by the Mayor within the time limit as set forth in Section 3.103 of the Charter, or time waived pursuant to Board Rule 2.14.2, became effective without his approval in accordance with the provision of said Section 3.103 of the Charter or Board Rule 2.14.2.

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