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[Resolution]

RESOLUTION URGING UNITED STATES ATTORNEY GENERAL JANET RENO, THE
UNITED STATES JUSTICE DEPARTMENT AND UNITED STATES ENERGY SECRETARY
BILL RICHARDSON TO IMMEDIATELY LAUNCH A FAIR, IMPARTIAL INVESTIGATION
TO FIND THE TRUTH ABOUT DR. WEN HO LEE.

WHEREAS, Dr. Wen Ho Lee, is a distinguished Chinese American; and,

WHEREAS, Dr. Lee was a research physicist at Los Alamos National Laboratory; and,

WHEREAS, Dr. Lee was accused of being a spy for the Chinese government; and,

WHEREAS, Dr. Lee was fired from his job on March 8, 1999, due to the allegations that he is a spy; and,

WHEREAS, The media through its coverage has charged, tried and convicted Dr. Lee; and,

WHEREAS, There has not been an investigation into the allegations; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Board of Supervisors urges
United States Attorney General Janet Reno, the United States Justice
Department and United States Energy Secretary Bill Richardson to
immediately launch a fair, impartial investigation to find the truth
about Dr. Wen Ho Lee; and, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That if the accusations are found to be wrong, that Dr. Lee be immediately reinstated to his job, his security clearance restored, and that a public apology be made to him.



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April 12, 1999 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 10 - Ammiano, Becerril, Bierman, Katz, Kaufman, Leno, Newsom, Teng,

Yaki, Yee

Absent: 1 - Brown

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on April 12, 1999 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Jean Lum

Acting Clerk of the Board

Mayor Willie L. Brown Jr.

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**Date Approved**