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2 Code for operation of the Law Library]

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4 **Resolution increasing civil filing and appearance fees provided in Business and**
5 **Professions Code Sections 6321, 6322 and 6322.1 for operation of the Law Library.**

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7 WHEREAS, The Law Library’s filing fee income is inadequate to meet present and
8 anticipated future operating costs of the Law Library: legal publication costs, salaries and
9 general operating expenses have increased and are expected to increase yearly, so that an
10 increase in the filing and appearance fees pursuant to Section 6322.1 of the Business and
11 Professions Code of the State of California fund Law Library operations is required; and

12 WHEREAS, California Business and Professions Code Section 6322.1 empowers this
13 Board of Supervisors to increase Law Library civil filing fees from \$30.00 to \$33.00 by
14 excluding the increase from the definition of “total fee” provided in Sections 26820.6 and
15 72055 of the Government Code; and,

16 WHEREAS, The increased fee does not affect the City and County General Fund of
17 the Trial Court Trust Fund established by Government Code Section 68085; now, therefore,
18 be it

19 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco
20 hereby orders that the fees for use of the Law Library, provided in Sections 6321 and 6322 of
21 the California Business and Professions Code be increased from \$30.00 to \$33.00 in
22 Superior Court, unlimited jurisdiction and limited jurisdiction civil division, effective January 1,
23 2004; and, be it

24 FURTHER RESOLVED, That pursuant to Government Code Section 6322.1, the three
25 dollar (\$3.00) increase in Law Library filing fees is specifically excluded from the definition of

1 "total filing fee" in the above-referenced provisions of the Government Code, and therefore,
2 that three dollars (\$3.00) of the fee be added to the total filing fees in Superior Court,
3 unlimited jurisdiction and limited; and, be it

4 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Superior Court, unlimited jurisdiction and limited
5 jurisdiction civil division, of the City and County of San Francisco is hereby authorized and
6 directed to collect the sum of \$33.00 in the Superior Court, unlimited jurisdiction and limited
7 jurisdiction civil division, for the use of the Law Library, for each filing and appearance
8 described in Sections 6321 and 6322 of said Code, from January 1, 2004, and to pay the
9 same over to the Treasurer of the San Francisco Law Library in the manner provided by law;
10 and be it

11 FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors be and is hereby
12 directed to deliver copies of this resolution, duly certified, to the Superior Court, unlimited
13 jurisdiction and limited jurisdiction civil division, of the City and County of San Francisco.

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