

1 [Suspending 30 Day Rule for Emergency Ordinance to Establish Disadvantaged Business
2 Enterprise Program.]

3 **Motion suspending Rule 5.40 of the Rules of Order of the Board of Supervisors to allow**
4 **the Board of Supervisors to consider, without waiting 30 days after its introduction, a**
5 **proposed emergency ordinance amending the municipal code to add Chapter 14A to**
6 **the San Francisco Administrative Code to establish a Disadvantaged Business**
7 **Enterprise Program and suspend Chapter 12D.A; adopt declaration of emergency;**
8 **make applicable certain emergency contracting procedures; and provide for data**
9 **collection to ensure nondiscrimination in City contracting.**

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11 WHEREAS, Rule 5.40 of the Rules of Order of the Board of Supervisors requires that
12 when a measure is introduced that would create or revise major City policy, the measure shall
13 not be considered until at least thirty days after the day of the measure's introduction; and,

14 WHEREAS, Rule 4.37 of the Rules of Order allows Rule 5.40 to be suspended by the
15 affirmative vote of eight members of the Board, unless there are less than eight Board
16 members present, in which case the unanimous consent of the members present, but not less
17 than six members, shall be required; and,

18 WHEREAS, The members of the Board of Supervisors wish to suspend the operation
19 of Rule 5.40 with regard to the consideration of the proposed emergency ordinance amending
20 the municipal code to add Section 14A to the San Francisco Administrative Code to establish
21 a Disadvantaged Business Enterprise program and suspend Chapter 12D.A, adopt a
22 declaration of emergency, make applicable certain emergency contracting procedures, and
23 provide for data collection to ensure nondiscrimination in City contracting; now, therefore,
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1 BE IT MOVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco,
2 as allowed by Rule 4.37 of its Rules of Order, hereby suspends the operation of Rule 5.40 of
3 the Board's Rules of Order from operating with regard to the Board's consideration of the
4 proposed emergency ordinance amending the municipal code to add Section 14A to the San
5 Francisco Administrative Code to establish a Disadvantaged Business Enterprise program
6 and suspend Chapter 12D.A, adopt a declaration of emergency, make applicable certain
7 emergency contracting procedures, and provide for data collection to ensure
8 nondiscrimination in City contracting.

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