

1 [Urging the Human Rights Commission to Conduct Hearings on discrimination against San Franciscan
2 citizens of Iranian descent]

3 WHEREAS, The Iranian American community contributes to the economic well being and social
4 welfare of the City and County of San Francisco, in particular, and the United States of America, in
5 general; and,

6 WHEREAS, There has been testimony before the Health, Family and Environment Committee of
7 the Board of Supervisors concerning discrimination against Iranian Americans, especially in the aftermath
8 of the Iranian Revolution; and,

9 WHEREAS, The Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco condemns
10 discrimination based on race, ethnicity, culture, language, gender, age or sexual orientation; and, therefore,
11 be it,

12 RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Board of Supervisors urges the San Francisco Human Rights
13 Commission to conduct hearings on discrimination against Iranian Americans and to take whatever steps
14 are necessary to ensure that Iranian Americans be included within the ambit of the City's 12D
15 Minority/Women/Local Business Use Ordinance if such hearings and other evidence warrant their
16 inclusion.
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Supervisors Brown, Bierman



City and County of San Francisco

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Resolution

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Resolution urging the Human Rights Commission to conduct hearings on discrimination against San Franciscan citizens of Iranian descent.

October 19, 1998 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 10 - Ammiano, Bierman, Brown, Katz, Kaufman, Leno, Medina, Teng,
Yaki, Yee

Absent: 1 - Newsom

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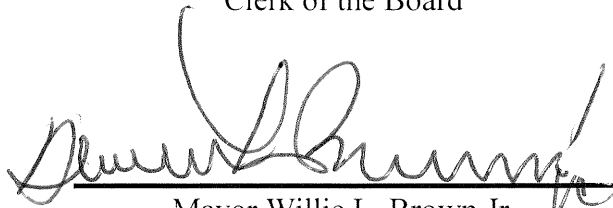
I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on October 19, 1998 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.



Gloria L. Young
Clerk of the Board

OCT 30 1998

Date Approved



Mayor Willie L. Brown Jr.