[Urging State of California departments to expedite approval of a second shift for L'Chaim Adult Day Health Care program.]

Resolution urging the California Department of Aging and the California Department of Health Services to approve of a second shift for L'Chaim Adult Day Health Care, a program of Jewish Family and Children's Services.

WHEREAS, L'Chaim Adult Day Health Care is a program of Jewish Family and Children's Services and provides health care services including nursing, rehabilitative, and social services for frail, elderly, and disabled adults; and,

WHEREAS, L'Chaim Adult Day Health Care has operated at capacity since it opened in July of 1999 and currently has over one hundred potential clients who would utilize their services if capacity allowed; and,

WHEREAS, This organization provides vital services to monolingual Russian speakers who depend on L'Chaim Adult Day Health Care staff who offer services in a culturally and linguistically appropriate setting; and,

WHEREAS, L'Chaim Adult Day Health Care is an exemplary service provider found to operate at, or above State standards by the appropriate licensing agencies and was granted a two year license

after just one year of operation due to their outstanding level of service; and,

WHEREAS, L'Chaim Adult Day Health Care has been working to obtain permission for a second shift from the California Department of Aging and the California Department of Health Services since April of 2000; and,

WHEREAS, These State of California departments have recently completed a re-evaluation of the practice of double shifts in adult day health care facilities and now have new regulations in place under which programs like L'Chaim Adult Day Health Care may operate two shifts per day; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco hereby urges the California Department of Aging and the California Department of Health Services to promptly evaluate and approve of a second shift at the L'Chaim Adult Day Health Care.



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October 9, 2001 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 11 - Ammiano, Daly, Gonzalez, Hall, Leno, Maxwell, McGoldrick, Newsom, Peskin, Sandoval, Yee

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on October 9, 2001 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

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Date Approved

Clerk of the Board

Mayor Willie L. Brown Jr.