

1 [Disapproving the categorical exemption issued for the 9 Douglass Street project.]

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3 **Motion disapproving the determination by the Planning Department that the 9 Douglass**
4 **Street project is categorically exempt from environmental review under the California**
5 **Environmental Quality Act.**

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7 WHEREAS, the San Francisco Planning Department, as part of its Discretionary Review
8 Summary prepared for a Discretionary Review hearing before the Planning Commission
9 scheduled for August 2, 2007, determined that an application for a building permit for 9
10 Douglass Street to add a vertical addition to the rear portion of a one-story-over-garage
11 single-family home and a 4-foot horizontal rear addition (the "Project") was exempt from
12 environmental review (the "determination"). A copy of said document is on file with the Clerk
13 of the Board of Supervisors in File No. 080250, and is incorporated by reference herein; and,

14 WHEREAS, By letter to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors dated February 8, 2008,
15 Stephen M. Williams filed an appeal of the determination to the Board of Supervisors, which
16 the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors received on or around February 8, 2008; and,

17 WHEREAS, On March 18, 2008, this Board held a duly noticed public hearing to
18 consider the appeal of the determination; and,

19 WHEREAS, This Board has reviewed and considered the determination, the appeal
20 letter, the responses to concerns document that the Planning Department prepared, and
21 public testimony; and,

22 WHEREAS, The determination files and all correspondence and other documents have
23 been made available for review by this Board and the public. These files are available for
24 public review by appointment at the Planning Department offices at 1660 Mission Street, and
25 are part of the record before this Board by reference herein; now, therefore, be it

1 Moved, That this Board of Supervisors disapproves the determination by the Planning
2 Department that the Project is exempt from environmental review.

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