

1 [Urging the California State Legislature to Pass Assembly Bill 1199]

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3 **Resolution urging the California State Legislature to Pass Assembly Bill 1199 to create**  
4 **a smoothing formula for enrollment-related funding losses for any community college**  
5 **that is under severe sanction from accreditation agencies and is also suffering an**  
6 **enrollment decline.**

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8 WHEREAS, Community Colleges in the State of California have been decimated by  
9 consistent cuts to their State funding over the past decade; and

10 WHEREAS, City College of San Francisco (CCSF) has been a premier educational  
11 facility for years providing affordable, quality education to all of San Francisco’s diverse  
12 residents and surrounding communities; and

13 WHEREAS, CCSF is currently under “show cause” sanction by an accreditation  
14 agency, a situation that often leads to a sharp drop in enrollment and a potential loss in State  
15 funding, and the beginning of a downward spiral in enrollment and funding; and

16 WHEREAS, These sudden decreases in enrollment and funding further undermine a  
17 college’s ability to maintain quality education and concerted efforts to keep their accreditation;  
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19 WHEREAS, Assembly Bill 1199 (AB1199), sponsored by Assembly member Paul  
20 Fong, would create a smoothing formula for enrollment-related funding losses for any  
21 community college that is under severe sanction from accreditation agencies and is also  
22 suffering an enrollment decline; now, therefore, be it

23 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco  
24 hereby urges the California State Legislature to pass Assembly Bill 1199.

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