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[Legislative Analysts]

AMENDING THE RULES OF ORDER OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS BY AMENDING
RULE 6.22 TO PROVIDE THAT LEGISLATIVE ANALYSTS AT COMMITTEE MEETINGS
SHALL FURNISH VERBAL SUMMARIES OF THEIR WRITTEN REPORTS ON
LEGISLATION BEFORE COMMITTEES.

WHEREAS, The Board of Supervisors desires to improve the legislative process to
ensure that analyses of the Legislative Analysts are brought to the attention the Committees
of the Board of Supervisors and;

WHEREAS, The Board of Supervisors desires to strengthen the advisory role of the
Legislative Analyst's Office; now, therefore, be it

MOVED, That the Rules of Order of the Board of Supervisors is amended to read as
follows:

6.22 Legislative Analysts. The Clerk of the Board, after hearing the
recommendations of officials specified by the Annual Salary Ordinance, shall appoint one
Chief Legislative Analyst and three Legislative Analysts, in Special Assistant classifications,
who, within their time resources as determined by the Chief Legislative Analyst, shall review
the following:

1. Legislation which would create or revise major city policy as determined under the
provisions of Rule 5.40 which generally require a 30 day review period between
introduction and committee consideration;
2. Legislation on the For Adoption Without Committee Reference Calendar and, to the
extent possible, legislation on the Imperative Calendar which has not undergone
the normal review which the committee process provides;

3. Additional legislation or issues at the request of any Committee chair on items
which have been referred to the committee;
4. Additional legislation or issues as directed by motion of the Board of Supervisors
which motion has been adopted after reference to committee;
5. Additional legislation or issues as directed by the Clerk of the Board.

The Chief Legislative Analyst, however, may determine that some issues have
previously received sufficient analysis, as, for example, in the case of Planning Department
staff and Planning Commission review of rezoning ordinances.

Legislative Analysts shall provide verbal summaries of reports and analyses issued by
the Legislative Analyst's Office at the first committee hearing on covered proposed legislation.

The Legislative Analysts shall work for the Board as a whole and not for individual
members of the Board. Individual members of the Board, however, may request analysts for
informal advice or information.



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Motion amending the Rules of Order of the Board of Supervisors by amending Rule 6.22 to provide that Legislative Analysts at committee meetings shall furnish verbal summaries of their written reports on legislation before Committees.

October 19, 1998 Board of Supervisors --- APPROVED


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 Motion
was APPROVED on October 19, 1998 by the
Board of Supervisors of the City and County
of San Francisco.


Gloria L. Young
Clerk of the Board

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