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**BOARD OF SUPERVISORS** 

[General Plan Amendment]

APPROVING AMENDMENTS TO THE SOUTH OF MARKET AREA PLAN OF THE GENERAL PLAN OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO: ADOPTING FINDINGS PURSUANT TO PLANNING CODE SECTION 101.1.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco:

- Section 1. Findings. The Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco hereby finds and determines that:
- Α. Pursuant to Charter Section 4.105, the Planning Commission shall recommend to the Board of Supervisors for approval or rejection amendments to the General Plan.
- B. A proposed ordinance to amend the Zoning Map of the City and County of San Francisco for a portion of Assessor's Block 3787, which Block is bounded by Fourth Street, Brannan Street, Third Street, and Townsend Street, to change the height and bulk district classification for Lot 31 of said Block from a 50-X to a 65-X height and bulk district was introduced at the Board of Supervisors and referred by the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors to the Planning Commission for consideration.
- C. Pursuant to a request to initiate amendments to the South of Market Area Plan to accommodate said Zoning Map change, on August 6, 1998, the Planning Commission by Resolution No. 14669 initiated amendments to the South of Market Area Plan of the General Plan to modify Map 5 of the South of Market Area Plan to increase the height designation for structures on Lot 31, Block 3787 from 50-X to 65-X and to make other technical corrections to said Map 5, all as more specifically described in said Resolution.
- D. The change in Height and Bulk district for Lot 31 of Block 3787 has been analyzed pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act ("CEQA") in the final Environmental Impact Report No. 97.470E for the 475 Brannan Street project.

- E. The Planning Commission, by its Resolution No. 14664 adopted on July 23, 1998, certified the FEIR pursuant to CEQA and Chapter 31 of the San Francisco Administrative Code, and found the FEIR adequate, accurate and objective.
- F. Pursuant to Planning Code Section 340, the Planning Commission held a duly noticed hearing on August 27, 1998 and adopted the proposed amendments to the South of Market Area Plan by its Resolution No. 14683 and recommended them for approval to the Board of Supervisors.
- G. The Board of Supervisors believes that it is appropriate to amend the South of Market Area Plan of the General Plan as provided in the Planning Commission Resolution No. 14664 for the reasons set forth in said Resolution, a copy of which is contained in Board File No. 98–1485.

Section 2. Priority Policies.

The amendments to the South of Market Area Plan of the General Plan approved by this Ordinance are consistent with the Priority Policies of Planning Code Section 101.1 for reasons set forth in Planning Commission Resolution 14684 recommending the Amendment to the Zoning Map.

Section 3. General Plan Amendment.

The Board of Supervisors hereby approves the amendments of the South of Market Area Plan of the General Plan as set forth in Planning Commission Resolution No. 14683.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

LOUISE H, RENNE, City Attorney

By:

Judith A. Boyajian Deputy City Attorney

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## Board of Supervisors, San Francisco

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Absent: Supervisors Bierman Kaufman	S	Absent: Supervisors Bierman Kaufman

I hereby certify that the foregoing ordinance was finally passed by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco

File No. 98-1485

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Date Approved

Clerk

Mayor