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FILE NO. <u>011534</u>

MOTION NO. MOI-133

[Rebuttal Argument]

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Motion authorizing proponent's rebuttal ballot argument in favor of Proposition G, a Charter Amendment regarding Redistricting.

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MOVED. That pursuant to Section 540 of the Municipal Elections Code, the Board of Supervisors does hereby authorize a rebuttal to opponent's ballot argument against

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Elections Task Force: to require the use of adjusted census figures in redistricting

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November 6, 2001.

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Proposition G, a Charter amendment amending Section 13.110 to provide that the Elections Commission, rather than the Director of Elections, shall appoint three members to the Supervisorial districts; and to set deadlines for creation of the Elections Task Force and for completion of redistricting; and, be it FURTHER MOVED. That the full text of said rebuttal ballot argument hereby authorized be shown in the copy attached to this motion and is hereby declared to be a part hereof; and, be it FURTHER MOVED, That the Director of Elections be and is hereby authorized and directed

to include said argument in the pamphlet accompanying the sample ballots to be mailed to the

voters of the City and County of San Francisco for the election to be held on Tuesday,

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THE UNDERSIGNED AUTHOR(S) of this REBUTTAL BALLOT ARGUMENT X_FOR or AGAINST PROPOSITION G FOR THE ELECTION TO BE HELD IN SAN FRANCISCO ON NOVEMBER 6, 2001 HEREBY STATE THAT SUCH ARGUMENT IS TRUE AND CORRECT TO THE BEST OF HIS/HER/THEIR KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF. ALL SIGNERS OF THIS ARGUMENT MUST BE REGISTERED TO VOTE IN SAN FRANCISCO.

KEEP TEXT WITHIN THESE VERTICAL LINES # of words Style in each line Notes B, I, or BI 7 B Neighborhoods Agree: YES ON G AND E! The way it works now, Mayor Willie Brown and his Elections Department will select 14 14 six of the nine members of the Elections Task Force charged with redrawing the 12 district lines. The Board of Supervisors appoints just three San Franciscans to 9 represent neighborhood interests and concerns. The Coalition for San Francisco Neighborhoods, a citywide organization representing neighborhood groups, joins the 9 12 Board of Supervisors in urging your support for Propositions G and E. 13 By approving Propositions G and E, voters will establish independence in the elections 12 and redistricting processes. If both measures pass, the three appointees of the Elections Director would instead be appointed by an Elections Commission 10 independent of both the Mayor and the Board of Supervisors. 10 The nine-member panel could use only numbers generated by official government 12 agencies—the U.S. Census Bureau or the California Department of Finance—that 12 13 document a significant undercount or overcount. A deadline of April 15th, 2002 to complete the process will bring quick resolution and provide prospective candidates 11 with plenty of time to engage in the political process. 10 Join the Coalition for San Francisco Neighborhoods, San Francisco Democratic County Central 10 Committee and the Board of Supervisors in bringing independence to elections and redistricting. 13 Vote Yes on G and E! 6 [continue text on next page] Total # of Words =

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August 27, 2001 Board of Supervisors — APPROVED

Ayes: 8 - Ammiano, Daly, Gonzalez, Leno, Maxwell, McGoldrick, Peskin,

Sandoval

Noes: 2 - Hall, Yee Absent: 1 - Newsom

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Motion was APPROVED on August 27, 2001 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Clerk of the Board