

1 [Assembly Joint Resolution 27]

2 SUPPORTING ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION 27 (HONDA).

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4 WHEREAS, Many of San Francisco's Chinese, Korean, Filipino and
5 other Asian Pacific Islander population are survivor or descendants
6 of survivors of Japanese brutality during World War II; and,

7 WHEREAS, During World War II the Japanese military committed
8 numerous acts of war crimes against humanity, including slaughtering,
9 forced slave-labor camps, sexual prostitution and violating basic
10 human rights; and,

11 WHEREAS, The Government of Japan has still not issued a formal
12 apology, nor provided compensation to their victims and families;
13 and,

14 WHEREAS, AJR 27 would urge the Government of Japan to formally
15 issue a clear and unambiguous apology for the war crimes committed by
16 the Japanese military during World War II and pay reparations to the
17 victims; and,

18 WHEREAS, AJR 27 would call for a similar resolution adopted by
19 the United States Congress; now, therefore, be it

20 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County
21 of San Francisco supports AJR 27; and, be it

22 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors urges the local
23 delegation of the State Assembly to support AJR 27.



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Resolution supporting AJR 27 relating to war crimes committed by the Japanese military during World War II.

July 19, 1999 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 8 - Ammiano, Becerril, Bierman, Brown, Katz, Kaufman, Leno, Yee

Absent: 3 - Newsom, Teng, Yaki

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution
was ADOPTED on July 19, 1999 by the
Board of Supervisors of the City and County
of San Francisco.

Gloria L. Young
Clerk of the Board

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Date Approved

Mayor Willie L. Brown Jr.