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MOTION NO.

[Confirming Reappointment, Port Commission - Leslie Katz]

Motion confirming the Mayor's reappointment of Leslie Katz to the Port Commission, for a term ending May 1, 2018.

MOVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco does hereby confirm the reappointment by the Mayor of the following designated person to serve as a member of the San Francisco Port Commission, pursuant to Charter, Section 4.114, for the term specified:

Leslie Katz, succeeding herself, to serve the unexpired portion of a four-year term ending May 1, 2018.

Mayor Lee BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR SAN FRANCISCO

May 23, 2014



EDWIN M. LEE MAYOR

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Angela Calvillo Clerk of the Board, Board of Supervisors San Francisco City Hall 1 Carlton B. Goodlett Place San Francisco, CA 94102

Dear Ms. Calvillo,

Pursuant to Charter Section 4.114, I hereby nominate Leslie Katz for an appointment to the San Francisco Port Commission, for a term ending May 1, 2018.

I respectfully request that her nomination be scheduled at Rules Committee on June 5, 2014.

I am confident that Commissioner Katz, an elector of the City and County, will continue to serve our community well. Attached herein for your reference are her qualifications to serve.

Should you have any questions related to this appointment, please contact my Director of Appointments, Nicole Wheaton at (415) 554-7940.

Sincerely Bec

Edwin M. Le Mayor

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR SAN FRANCISCO



MAYOR

Notice of Appointment

May 23, 2014

San Francisco Board of Supervisors City Hall, Room 244 1 Carlton B. Goodlett Place San Francisco, California 94102

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Sincerely, Edwin M. Lee Mayor

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Legal and Government Affairs Executive Strategic Analysis/Community Relations/Negotiations/Public Service/ Consensus Building/ Public Speaking/ Litigation/ Training/ General Legal Services

Elected official, attorney, executive, advocate, and non-profit and advisory board member with success in designing strategies, policies, and legislation to meet corporate and community needs. Proven track record in law, government and public affairs, communication, business development, fundraising, strategy, management, marketing, regulatory and legal issues with Fortune 500 firms, government and entrepreneurial businesses. Excellent communicator, public speaker, skilled in planning, analysis, and implementation. Proven leadership in influencing internal and external parties, negotiations, developing community relationships, team building and public speaking.

- Distinguished legal, business, management and public service background
- Cross-functional collaboration with key members of corporate departments, public agencies, community groups, diverse task forces, and strategic partners.
- Planning, strategic analysis and Implementation.
- Excellent presentation, listening, written and verbal communication skills. Adept at building consensus, motivating teams and influencing at all levels.
- Extensive public speaking including presentations to state, national and international governmental leaders, business organizations and community groups.

CORPORATE/LEGAL EXPERIENCE

CHAMPION TELECOM, INC, Fremont, CA General Counsel and EVP External Affairs

Handle legal representation of medium sized telecommunications infrastructure services company; revise and review personnel policies and manuals; oversee employment matters and outside counsel as needed; advise executive team regarding legal, strategy and policy issues; draft and review contracts; general government affairs services.

Leslie Katz Consulting Duane Morris Government Affairs/ San Francisco, CA Special Counsel/Managing Director/Consultant

2008 to Present 2005 to 2008

07/2010-Present

Provide strategic public affairs, government and community relations services. Develop legislative and regulatory strategies, advocacy, message and issue development on the Federal, state and local levels on behalf of business clients as well as public entities; developed model to establish a public-private partnership to finance and implement alternative energy projects; Provided public policy advice and strategy for various clients. Worked on legal matters as needed for parent law firm, Duane Morris, LLP, an AmLaw 100 firm; provide general legal services.

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1/2009-6/2009

CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO, Treasure Island Development Authority

Assisted TIDA Director on various special projects related to Island Operations, including preservation and protection of Clipper Cove; reviewed legislation and drafted policies for compliance with local and state ethics legislation for the staff and Board.

SEMPRA ENERGY/SEMPRA ENERGY UTILITIES, San Francisco, CA Regional Vice President, Regulatory Affairs

3/2001 to 9/2004

Managed the San Francisco office of Fortune 500 energy services company. Advocated company issues and monitored ongoing regulatory activities and key decisions. Worked with and led cross-functional teams to successfully achieve objectives. Formulated and recommended strategies, procedures, and plans relevant to state regulatory policies resulting in numerous successful outcomes. Designed a plan for a corporate renewable energy venture fund. Served as liaison for two regulated subsidiaries with the California Public Utilities Commission. Communicated company's issues and positions effectively while building and maintaining a positive corporate image with regulators, staff, and key external entities. Trained staff.

- Represented company before the California Public Utilities Commission resulting in numerous successful outcomes in a broad range of regulatory proceedings.
- Member of Senior Management Team for implementing subsidiaries' compliance with Sarbanes-Oxley requirements.
- Designed and prepared company-wide guide for effective advocacy resulting in improved presentations and filings before regulatory bodies.
- Created strategies, policies and procedures that resulted in obtaining successful outcomes in a broad range of regulatory proceedings, including gaining approval for a program to reduce blackouts in energy crisis.
- Effectively positioned company positively as a leader in acquiring renewable energy.

INDEPENDENT CONSULTANT, San Francisco, CA 11/2000 to 03/2001 Provided consulting services for technology companies and other organizations with a focus on business and corporate development. Examples include:

- Campsix, a technology-focused incubator as acting Vice President of Corporate Affairs, worked with federal, state and local governments, educational institutions, investors, and Fortune 500 companies to establish a satellite incubator to access technology transfer from universities and develop new technology ventures. Set strategic direction and obtained partners in venture.
- U.S. State Department Speakers Program collaborated with U.S. embassies in volatile regions regarding community organizing, establishment of transparent elections, political involvement, emerging governments, leadership development, and voting rights. Presentations, in French, to political and community leadership in Guinea and The Ivory Coast.

BRAINPOWER, San Francisco, CA

07/2000 to 11/2000

Vice President, Business Development / General Counsel

Directed business development in online marketplace for IT contractor services. Responsible for a wide variety of business relationships including negotiating term sheets, drafting contracts, locating and negotiating deals with key strategic partners. Analyzed and executed potential acquisition opportunities and conducted other general counsel duties as required. (Company dissolved in 11/2000.)

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01/2000 to 07/2000

PETSTORE.COM, Emeryville, CA Vice President, Corporate Affairs

Responsible for developing, negotiating, and maintaining strategic initiatives and alliances. Set strategic direction as well as tactical execution. Represented company to the press, delivered industry presentations, coordinated press strategies. Analyzed potential merger and acquisition opportunities. Established co-branding partnerships, negotiated and drafted licensing agreements. Developed business-to-business model for distribution of supplies to veterinarians' offices, opening new market for company. (Company acquired 7/2000)

GOLDSTEIN, GELLMAN, MELBOSTAD, GIBSON & HARRIS, LLP, Of Counsel1996 to 2000LAW OFFICES OF LESLIE R. KATZ, Attorney at Law/Owner1993 to 2000JORDAN, KEELER & SELIGMAN, Associate1990 to 1992

Conducted business-oriented legal practice focusing on litigation, business development, negotiations, employment, arbitrations, mediations, and trials. Specialized in construction and employment law.

- Executed all aspects of business representation including trials, arbitrations, contract drafting and negotiation, legal research, and advice and counsel
- Founded and managed diverse law practice of six attorneys covering business_advice and counsel, employment, construction law and litigation.

POLITICAL/COMMUNITY EXPERIENCE

SAN FRANCISCO BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, San Francisco, CA 1996 to 2001 Member

Represented the citizens of San Francisco in the legislative branch of the City's government, serving as Chair and/or Vice Chair of numerous committees including Transportation / Land Use; Audit and Government Efficiency; Health, Family and Environment; and Economic Development, Transportation and Technology; Chair, Transportation Authority, Finance Committee. Member Health Services Board. Drafted and passed information technology legislation including the cable internet access ordinance, information technology zoning ordinance, and San Francisco's technology procurement policy. Convened Health, Multimedia and New Technology Summits. Successfully introduced groundbreaking legislation in areas of technology, environment, economic development, human rights and labor, including the Integrated Pest Management Program, the Bicycle Transit Enhancement Plan, the Environmentally Preferred Purchasing Program, protection of street trees, and removal of the Central Freeway.

City College of San Francisco, San Francisco, CA

1994 to 1996

Member, Board of Trustees

Served on Community College Board of Trustees for 85,000 student community college, 1995-1996; President 1996.

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OTHER LEGISLATIVE AND POLITICAL POSITONS:

- Metropolitan Transportation Commission, Transbay Panel. Represented San Francisco in assessment and development of Transbay multi-modal transit hub. 1999-2000
- Peninsula Corridor Joint Powers Board (Caltrain), Member, Board of Directors, 1999-2000
- Association of Bay Area Governments, Member, 1998-2000 Represent City of San Francisco on regional policy-making body
- San Francisco Democratic County Central Committee, Member, 1988-present, Chair 2004;
- Northern California spokesperson for a solar initiative

CONCURRENT COMMUNITY EXPERIENCE:

Bay Area Council, Member, Board of Directors 2005-2008; Bay Area Bioscience Center, Member, Board of Directors, 1999-2000; Music in Schools Today, Board of Directors, 2001-2003; OpNet, Board of Directors, 1998-2007; Equality California, Board of Directors, 2002present; Women's Technology Cluster, 1998-2002; CompuMentor, 1998-2001; San Francisco Partnership Multimedia Task Force, Executive Board, 1997-2001; PIE, Advisory Board, technology/home networking company, 2002-present; Clickfacts, Advisory Board 2005present; Equality California; Victory Campaign Board; New Leaders Council, Advisory Board and Mentorship Committee Chair 2008-present.

EDUCATION/BAR ADMISSIONS

JD, Hastings College of the Law, University of California – 1986

- Associate Note Editor, COMM/ENT Communication and Entertainment Law Journal
- Member, California State and Federal Bar since 1986.

BA, Psychology, University of California, Berkeley – 1983

San Francisco BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Date Printed: May 27, 2014

Date Established:

January 16, 1969

Active PORT COMMISSION

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Authority:

Charter Section 4.114 (previously Charter Section 3.580)

Board Qualifications:

The Port Commission consists of five voting members appointed by the Mayor, subject to confirmation by a majority of the Board of Supervisors.

The Port Commission shall have the power and duty to use, conduct, operate, maintain, manage, regulate, and control the port area of San Francisco and to do all things it deems necessary in connection with the use, conduct, operation, management, maintenance, regulation, improvement and control of said port area, or which may further the interests of the port in world trade.

The Commission shall have the composition and organization, and the powers, duties and responsibilities with respect to the Port that are set forth in the Burton Act, Statutes of 1968, Chapter 1333, as amended, and in the Agreement relating to the Transfer of the Port of SF from the State of California to CCSF. The Commission shall be subject to the provisions of Sections 4.101 through 4.103 of the Charter, so far as those powers and duties are not inconsistent with the Burton Act and the Transfer Agreement.

Each of the members shall serve for a term of four years. They shall be subject to recall, suspension and removal in the same manner as an elected official.

Report: Annual report describing its activities, and shall file such report with the Mayor and the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.

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