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MEMORANDUM

TO: Joanne Hayes-White, Chief, Fire Department
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FROM: Erica Major, Assistant Committee Clerk, Government Audit and Oversight
Committee, Board of Supervisors

DATE: October 6, 2015

SUBJECT: LEGISLATION INTRODUCED

The Board of Supervisors' Government Audit and Oversight Committee has received the following proposed legislation, introduced by Supervisor Breed on September 29, 2015:

File No. 150937

Resolution authorizing the Fire Department to donate a retired fire engine to the City College of San Francisco Fire Academy Program.

If you have any comments or reports to be included with the file, please forward them to me at the Board of Supervisors, City Hall, Room 244, 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, San Francisco, CA 94102.

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1 [Donation of Retired Fire Engine to City College of San Francisco]

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Resolution authorizing Fire Department to donate a retired fire engine to the City College of San Francisco Fire Academy Program.

WHEREAS, City College of San Francisco (CCSF) is a leading educational institution for its Fire Academy Program and teaches those who wish to be future firefighters; and

WHEREAS, A large part of firefighting training focuses on manipulative skills and simulated drills with the aid of genuine equipment; and

WHEREAS, Firefighting equipment is expensive and difficult to obtain; and

WHEREAS, The Fire Department has recently taken receipt of ten new fire engines, allowing the Department to replace a number of old units that were no longer of operational use to the Department; and

WHEREAS, The San Francisco Fire Department wishes to donate a retired vehicle for educational training purposes; and

WHEREAS, Vehicle 145-585, a 1988 Mack Pumper, has been retired from service even as a relief piece; and

WHEREAS, Vehicle 145-585 would serve as a valuable training tool for pump training and hose evolutions, and the City College Fire Academy would benefit greatly from this vehicle as a training aid; and

WHEREAS, On March 26, 2015, the Fire Commission adopted Resolution No. 2015-03, Recommending that the Board of Supervisors Approve the Donation of a retired engine to City College of San Francisco; and

1 WHEREAS, Chapter 21 of the Municipal Code allows for commodities that have been
2 declared as surplus to be disposed of in a manner that will best serve the interests of the City
3 and will maximize the City's economic return on the surplus commodities by donating to public
4 entities, non-profit organizations and schools; and,

5 WHEREAS, Among the first criteria on the priority list for donation of surplus
6 commodities are schools that are physically located in San Francisco; and,

7 WHEREAS, City College of San Francisco is an institution of learning (school) and is
8 physically located in San Francisco, now, therefore, be it

9 RESOLVED, that the San Francisco Fire Department is authorized to donate vehicle
10 145-585 to the City College of San Francisco's Fire Academy Program.

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12 Recommended:

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14 Joanne M. Hayes-White

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