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Resolution commending national civil rights pioneer Clarence B. Jones on the occasion of his 85th birthday and declaring January 26, 2016, as Clarence B. Jones Day

in the City and County of San Francisco.

[Clarence B. Jones Day - January 26, 2016]

WHEREAS, Clarence B. Jones is currently the first Diversity Visiting Professor at the University of San Francisco and a scholar writer in residence at the Martin Luther King, Jr. Research and Educational Institute at Stanford University; and

WHEREAS, As Clarence B. Jones served as political advisor, counsel, and draft speechwriter for the Reverend Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. from 1960 until King's 1968 death and assisted Dr. King in the drafting of his celebrated "I Have a Dream" speech that he delivered at the March on Washington, August 28, 1963; and

WHEREAS, Clarence B. Jones was the first African-American partner in the Wall Street investment banking firm Sanford I. Weill and Arthur Levitt, Jr. in Carter, Berlind & Weill, Inc. as an allied member of the New York Stock Exchange (NYSE); and

WHEREAS, Clarence B. Jones now serves as a role model and mentor for young women and men who are drawn to lives in service of social and political justice in all spheres of life; and

WHEREAS, Clarence B. Jones has an ongoing commitment to being part of the freedom struggle for all San Franciscans and beyond; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco commends and congratulates Clarence B. Jones on the occasion of his 85th birthday; and, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Board of Supervisors declares January 26, 2016, Clarence B. Jones Day in the City and County of San Francisco.



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Resolution

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February 02, 2016 Board of Supervisors - ADOPTiED			
Ayes: 11 - Avalos, Breed, Campos, Cohen, Farrell, Kim, Mar, Peskin, Tang, Wiener and Yee			
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	Unsigned	2/12	2/16

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution, not being signed by the Mayor within the time limit as set forth in Section 3.103 of the Charter, or time waived pursuant to Board Rule 2.14.2, became effective without his approval in accordance with the provision of said Section 3.103 of the Charter or Board Rule 2.14.2.

Peggy Meven 2/12/16

- Angela Catvillo Date
Clerk of the Board

Mayor

Date Approved