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Resolution denouncing the coup de etat against the duly elected President of Honduras and urging the Honduran government and international community to

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economic sustainability that leads to conditions of peace and democracy.

WHEREAS, The San Francisco Board of Supervisors recognizes and supports the independence, self-determination and human rights of the country of Honduras, whose citizens have democratically elected President Manuel Zelaya; and

WHEREAS, The San Francisco Board of Supervisors recognizes that the Honduran people, the people of the Americas and the international community do not want to turn the clock back to political violence, civil war and militarism in Central America; and

WHEREAS, The City and County of San Francisco and other parts of the United States have Honduran communities that include hard working and tax-paying citizens, residents and undocumented workers who contribute to our economy and nation: and

WHEREAS, The San Francisco Board of Supervisors recognizes that political unrest that destabilizes countries neighboring the United States, has historically created and has the potential to create mass immigration that our current economic condition does not have the capacity to endure; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Board of Supervisors denounces the illegal military coup de etat against the duly elected President of Honduras, Manuel Zelaya; and now, therefore, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Board of Supervisors encourages the U.S. government to support foreign policy that discourages predatory foreign and private interests from politically, militarily and economically destabilizing developing countries, to avoid a negative impact on our City of San Francisco; and now, therefore, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco encourages the U.S. government to push for the restoration of democratic rule in Honduras, including pushing for reinstatement of Honduras' duly elected President.



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## Resolution

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July 7, 2009 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 10 - Alioto-Pier, Avalos, Campos, Chiu, Chu, Daly, Dufty, Elsbernd, Mar,

Mirkarimi

Absent: 1 - Maxwell

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on July 7, 2009 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Angela Calvillo Clerk of the Board

7/15/09

**Date Approved** 

UNSIGNED

Mayor Gavin Newsom

Date: July 15, 2009

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, became effective without his approval in accordance with the provision of said Section 3.103 of the Charter.

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