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[Urging passage of SB 308]

Resolution urging the California State Legislature to adopt and Governor Davis to sign SB 308 the Child Care for Eligible Children Act.

WHEREAS, Child care is widely recognized as an integral piece to allowing families to work and gain self sufficiency; and,

WHEREAS, The current child care subsidy system is meeting the needs of only 15% of eligible families, leaving almost 280,000 eligible children on the waiting list; and,

WHEREAS, Parents are expressing strong desires to stay off of welfare, but are failing due to child care costs; and,

WHEREAS, We have a subsidy delivery system which is capable of alleviating this problem given adequate funding, whereby decreasing welfare costs and encouraging self-sufficiency; and,

WHEREAS, Senator Martha Escutia has introduced SB 308, to pay for Child Care for All Eligible Children over the next five years; and,

WHEREAS, This bill would mandate adequate funding incrementally over the next five years to fully fund the child care subsidy system to meet the needs of all eligible families; now, therefore, be it

Supervisors  
Mark LENO, Newsom, McGoldrick, Maxwell, Peskin

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

1           RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and  
2 County of San Francisco urges the California State Legislature  
3 to pass and Governor Davis to sign SB 308 (Escutia); and, be it

4           FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Board of the  
5 Supervisors shall transmit copies of this resolution to the  
6 California State Senate, California State Assembly and to  
7 Governor Gray Davis.

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April 23, 2001 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 6 - Daly, Gonzalez, Hall, Maxwell, McGoldrick, Peskin

Absent: 5 - Ammiano, Leno, Newsom, Sandoval, Yee

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on April 23, 2001 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Jean Lum  
Acting Clerk of the Board

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Date Approved

Mayor Willie L. Brown Jr.