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[Aer Lingus.]

Resolution commending the San Francisco – Cork City Sister City Committee for its work bringing Aer Lingus to SFO and commemorating October 28, 2007 as the inaugural date for direct service between San Francisco and Ireland.

WHEREAS, Aer Lingus, the premier and national airline of Ireland, recently celebrated the 70<sup>th</sup> anniversary of its first flight;

WHEREAS, Aer Lingus has been providing transatlantic service from Ireland to the United States for nearly 50 years; and,

WHEREAS, On October 28, 2007, the City of San Francisco welcomes the inaugural Aer Lingus flight directly from Dublin, Ireland, ushering a new era of business and travel convenience, and an even stronger bond between Ireland and San Francisco; and

WHEREAS, Now, for the first time, there is a direct flight from Ireland to Northern California, as Aer Lingus will now be flying round trip from Dublin into San Francisco four times weekly; and

WHEREAS, The arrival of Aer Lingus to SFO is a direct result of the festive and fruitful trip taken by members of the San Francisco-Cork City Sister City Committee in September, 2005; and

WHEREAS, The Irish community all over the Bay Area will now rejoice at seeing their beloved Aer Lingus shamrock over the San Francisco skyline; and now therefore be it,

RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors commends the San Francisco-Cork City Sister City Committee for its work brining Aer Lingus to SFO; and, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors commemorates October 28, 2007 as the inaugural date for direct service between San Francisco and Ireland.



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November 6, 2007 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 11 - Alioto-Pier, Ammiano, Chu, Daly, Dufty, Elsbernd, Maxwell, McGoldrick, Mirkarimi, Peskin, Sandoval

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on November 6, 2007 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

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11/14/2007

**Date Approved** 

Mayor Gavin Newsom