

1 [Resolution Commending Erika Goncalves]

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3 Resolution Commending Ms. Erika Goncalves For her recent appointment
4 by Governor Gray Davis to serve as the 2001-2002 student member of the
5 California State Board of Education and for her outstanding academic
6 achievements in the San Francisco public school system.

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8 WHEREAS, Erika Goncalves was born in Brazil and came to the
9 United States at the age of 10 years, speaking only Portuguese and
10 immediately enrolled in Everett Middle School, initially in bilingual
11 classes, moving into regular mainstream classrooms in 8th grade and
12 enjoyed being editor of the school newspaper; and

13 WHEREAS, In 1998, Erika was one of the initial group of 9th grade
14 students who opened Gateway High School, and since every semester
15 Erika has been awarded academic high honors by attaining a GPA 3.6 and
16 above; and

17 WHEREAS, Ms. Goncalves has been a leader outside Gateway High
18 School as well, by serving as a Gateway Ambassador participating on
19 various open house panels for the School and representing Gateway at
20 the 7th Annual CANEC Conference on Charter Schools; and

21 WHEREAS, In addition to being a top student, Ms. Goncalves has
22 also assumed significant responsibilities at home, and helping her
23 mother run their Brazilian restaurant, "Canto Do Brazil"; and

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1 WHEREAS, Ms. Goncalves applied and was selected to be the student
2 member of the State Board of Education over 160 students statewide;
3 and now, therefore, be it

4 RESOLVED, That the City and County of San Francisco does hereby
5 recognize Ms. Erika Goncalves for her exemplary accomplishments and
6 invaluable contributions, and Commending Ms. Erika Goncalves For her
7 recent appointment by Governor Gray Davis to serve as the 2001-2002
8 student member of the California State Board of Education and for her
9 outstanding academic achievements in the San Francisco public school
10 system.

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Resolution commending Ms. Erika Goncalves for her recent appointment by Governor Gray Davis to serve as the 2001-2002 student member of the California State Board of Education and for her outstanding academic achievements and leadership in the San Francisco public school system.

November 5, 2001 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 11 - Ammiano, Daly, Gonzalez, Hall, Leno, Maxwell, McGoldrick,
Newsom, Peskin, Sandoval, Yee

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on November 5, 2001 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gloria L. Young
Clerk of the Board

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Date Approved

Mayor Willie L. Brown Jr.

