

1 [Urging Passage of AB25]

2 **URGING THE CALIFORNIA ASSEMBLY TO PASS AB25 THE EQUAL BENEFITS**  
3 **ORDINANCE**

4 WHEREAS, AB25 if passed would increase the legal rights,  
5 economic benefits and responsibilities of domestic partners in  
6 California; and,

7 WHEREAS, AB25 would allow employees to use sick leave to attend  
8 the illness of their domestic partner or domestic partner's child;  
9 and,

10 WHEREAS, AB25 would authorize domestic partners to make medical  
11 decisions for their partners under certain circumstances and it would  
12 also amend the existing statutory will form to provide for the  
13 inclusion of a domestic partner among the list of beneficiaries to  
14 whom the testator may indicate a desire to leave his or her estate;  
15 and,

16 WHEREAS, San Francisco has been at the forefront of the fight  
17 for equal benefits with our own equal benefits ordinance; and,

18 Whereas, San Franciscans and all Californians deserve to share  
19 equality at the work place; now, therefore, be it

20 **RESOLVED**, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County  
21 of San Francisco hereby urges the California Assembly to pass AB25,  
22 the Equal Benefits Ordinance.

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Supervisors Leno, Maxwell, Ammiano, McGoldrick, Newsom, Daly

\*\*MARK LENO\*\*

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS



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Resolution

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Resolution urging the California Assembly to pass AB 25 the Equal Benefits Ordinance.

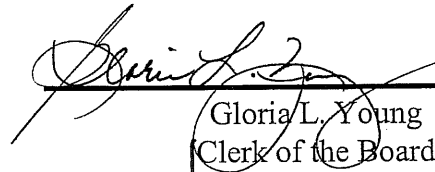
February 12, 2001 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 9 - Ammiano, Daly, Gonzalez, Hall, Maxwell, McGoldrick, Leno, Peskin,  
Sandoval

Absent: 2 - Newsom, Yee

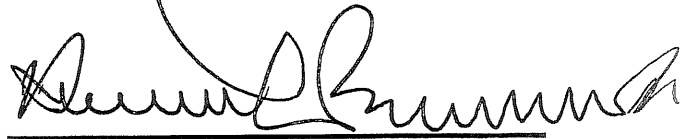
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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution  
was ADOPTED on February 12, 2001 by the  
Board of Supervisors of the City and County  
of San Francisco.

  
Gloria L. Young  
Clerk of the Board

FEB 23 2001

Date Approved



Mayor Willie L. Brown Jr.