



March 23, 2020

President Norman Yee  
San Francisco Board of Supervisors  
1 Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 244  
San Francisco, CA 94102

Dear President Yee,

Pursuant to the Mayor's Third Supplement to the Mayoral Proclamation Declaring the Existence of a Local Emergency, dated February 25<sup>th</sup> 2020, and supplemented on March 17, 2020, as the Mayor's Designee, I am authorizing the Health Commission to hold an emergency teleconference meeting on Tuesday, March 24<sup>th</sup> at 3pm. At this meeting, the Health Commission, as Governing Body of Zuckerberg San Francisco General Hospital (ZSFG), will consider approval of the ZSFG Medical Staff Credentialing Report, to enable new medical staff to practice medicine at ZSFG and renew the privileges of current medical staff to continue serving patients.

Hospital licensing regulations require that hospitals have policies and procedures to ensure its medical staff are appropriately credentialed to treat patients. Please note the credentialing process is separate and distinct from the CCSF Human Resource hiring process. The ZSFG Medical Staff Bylaws, which provide the professional and legal structure for medical staff operations, requires that the Health Commission, as the Governing Body of ZSFG, approve, on a monthly basis, a list of new and renewing medical staff applicants.

During this Coronavirus Pandemic, this action is necessary to ensure that ZSFG is fully staffed to treat patients, which ensures the public health and safety of all San Francisco residents.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Andres Power".

Andres Power  
Policy Director

cc. Members of the Board of Supervisors  
Clerk of the Board  
Health Commission