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HOUSING AUTHORITY OF

THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO

RESOLUTION NO. 00888

ADOPTED ON JANUARY 28, 1997

WHEREAS, the San Diego Housing Commission developed a volunteer task force to formulate a recommendation, after receiving public input, for applicant selection criteria from the Waiting List based on the anticipated elimination of Federal Preferences; and

WHEREAS, the Housing Commission has approved and recommended Housing Authority approval of the following policy for selection preferences for the Section 8, Public Housing and University Canyon Waiting Lists; contingent upon an implementation plan for the job training/academic self-sufficiency component being brought back for their approval; and

WHEREAS, the Land Use and Housing Committee has approved the following policy, contingent upon applicants receiving preference who have completed a job training or academic self-sufficiency program and have been actively seeking employment possibly for an extended period of time; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Housing Authority of The City of San Diego that the following policy of selection preferences for the Section 8, Public Housing and University Canyon waiting lists, as more particularly described in Housing Commission Report HCR97-002, is hereby approved:

FIRST, that within each of the following numbered categories, applicants will be served on a first come/first served basis with all veterans being served before other applicants;SECOND, applicants who live or work in San Diego or are displaced by Government Action and are one or all of the following:

Working (must have worked 20+ hours per week for the last 12 months)

Participants of a job training or academic program which promotes self-sufficiency

Head or spouse is elderly, disabled or terminally ill disabled

Single head of household with a disabled family member;

THIRD, all other applicants who live or work in San Diego or who are displaced by government action;

FOURTH, applicants who do not live or work in San Diego and are one or all of the following:

Working (must have worked 20+ hours per week for the last 12 months)

Participants of a job training or academic program which promotes self-sufficiency

Head or spouse is elderly, disabled or terminally ill disabled

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Single head of household with a disabled family member; and

FIFTH, all other applicants.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that as part of the implementation of the preference program, the Housing Commission will maintain preference status for applicants who have completed a job training or academic self-sufficiency program and have been actively seeking employment possibly for an extended period, the time period to be established by the Housing Commission.

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