

CHARTER OF THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO

Section 29

1. Original Charter section approved by voters April 7, 1931

Section 29. RESPONSIBILITY OF MANAGER—POWERS OF APPOINTMENT AND REMOVAL. The Manager shall be responsible to the Council for the proper administration of all affairs of the City placed in his charge, and to that end, subject to the Civil Service provisions of this Charter and except as otherwise provided herein, he shall have the power to appoint and remove all officers and employees in the administrative service of the City under his control; but the Manager may authorize the head of a Department or officer responsible to him to appoint and remove subordinates in such Department or office. Appointments made by, or under the authority of, the Manager, shall be on the basis of executive and administrative ability and of the training and experience of such appointees in the work which they are to perform. All such appointments shall be without definite term unless for temporary service not to exceed sixty days. No person directly related to the City Manager by blood or marriage shall be eligible for employment unless such relative was in the employ of the City at the time of the appointment of the City Manager.

2. Amendment voted 09-17-1963; effective 02-11-1964

See current Charter.