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AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER II, ARTICLE 6 OF THE SAN DIEGO MUNICIPAL CODE BY ADDING SECTION 26.13 ESTABLISHING AN ADVISORY BOARD ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN.

BE IT ORDAINED, by the Council of The City of San Diego, as follows:

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B. BOARD ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN

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and qualified. The members shall be appointed in such manner that the terms of not more than five (5) members shall expire in any year. The expiration date of all terms shall be March 1. During March of each year the Mayor may designate one (1) member as chairman; however, in the absence of such designation, the Board shall on or after April 15 select from among their members a chairman. The Board shall adopt such rules, regulations and organizational structure for the conduct of its business as it may deem necessary. The Board shall meet at least annually.

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The Board shall:

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2. Find new ways of promoting awareness of the changing life patterns, opportunities and responsibilities of women today.
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4. Advise the Mayor and Council of the needs and problems of the women in the San Diego area.

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5. Suggest to the Mayor and Council methods through which any existing inequities in pay and job opportunities between men and women can be alleviated.
6. Perform other studies and surveys on the status of women as may be specifically requested by the Mayor and Council and provide information and advice thereon.
7. Submit an annual report to the Council at the end of each fiscal year.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force on the thirtieth day from and after its passage.

APPROVED: JOHN W. WITT, City Attorney

By Jack Katz  
Jack Katz, Chief Deputy

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AUTHENTICATED BY:

PETE WILSON

Mayor of The City of San Diego, California.

EDWARD NIELSEN

City Clerk of The City of San Diego, California.

(Seal)

By *Mary Anne Mease*, Deputy.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing ordinance was not finally passed until twelve calendar days had elapsed between the day of its introduction and the day of its final passage, to wit, on

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I FURTHER CERTIFY that said ordinance was read in full prior to its final passage.

I FURTHER CERTIFY that the reading of said ordinance in full was dispensed with by a vote of not less than a majority of the members elected to the Council, and that there was available for the consideration of each member of the Council and the public prior to the day of its passage a written or printed copy of said ordinance.

EDWARD NIELSEN

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STATUS OF WOMEN

I, **Patricia M. Applestill** hereby certify that San Diego Daily Transcript is a daily newspaper of general circulation within the provisions of the Government Code of the State of California, printed and published in the City of San Diego, County of San Diego, State of California; that I am the **principal clerk** of said newspaper; that the

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is a true and correct copy of which this certificate is annexed was published in said newspaper on

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I certify under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct, at San Diego, California, on

February 21, 1973

*Patricia M. Applestill*  
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Introduced on January 18, 1973.

Passed and adopted by the Council of The City of San Diego on February 1, 1973.

AUTHENTICATED BY:

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Mayor of The City of San Diego, California.  
EDWARD NIELSEN,  
City Clerk of The City of San Diego, California.  
By MARY ANNE MEASE, Deputy.

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