

RESOLUTION NUMBER R-256715

Adopted on JUL 6 1982

WHEREAS, Gene Klein, Club President of the Chargers, recently wrote the City requesting consideration of H.R. 6467, the Major League Sports Community Protection Act of 1982; and

WHEREAS, this bill was introduced by Congressman Stark (Oakland) because a team "may attempt to leave its home community and its loyal fans, together with an empty stadium built at taxpayer expense for the team itself; and

WHEREAS, H.R. 6467 is characterized as a necessary tool to maintain the geographic balance of professional sports teams and is also intended to affect the Oakland Raiders transfer case, Congressman Stark states that the Act "merely confirms policies that Congress has often urged upon sports leagues. . .;" and

WHEREAS, H.R. 6467 exempts sports leagues from anti-trust laws so that they can: (a) enforce rules requiring approval by the membership of the league for any relocation of a member club, and (b) enforce rules for revenue sharing among club members; and

WHEREAS, beyond these two specific provisions, the Act has no effect on any sports anti-trust subject, including any collective bargaining agreement or ticket pricing practice; and

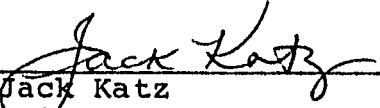
WHEREAS, the bill applies to teams operating in private or public stadiums or arenas; and

WHEREAS, it is recommended that the Council support said H.R. 6467; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of The City of San Diego,
that this City Council hereby expresses and declares its support
for H.R. 6467, the Major League Sports Community Protection Act
of 1982.

APPROVED: John W. Witt, City Attorney

By



Jack Katz
Chief Deputy City Attorney

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Passed and adopted by the Council of The City of San Diego on JUL 6 1982,
 by the following vote:

Councilmen	Yeas	Nays	Not Present	Ineligible
Bill Mitchell	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Bill Cleator	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Dick Murphy	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Mayor Pete Wilson	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

AUTHENTICATED BY:

PETE WILSON
 Mayor of The City of San Diego, California.

CHARLES G. ABDELNOUR
 City Clerk of The City of San Diego, California.

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By *June A. Blackwell*, Deputy.

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