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RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 270321 ADOPTED ON FEB 0 9 1988

WHEREAS, over 50,000 refugees from Cambodia, Laos and Vietnam have made San Diego their home; and

WHEREAS, many organizations such as the Indochinese Chamber of Commerce, Indochinese Association, Indochinese Council, Indochinese Mutual Assistance Association, Cambodian Association, Laotian Coalition and Vietnamese Federation have been formed to assist and give more visibility to their community; and

WHEREAS, the members of these organizations, along with Indochinese business people, and new and existing residents, bring with them to San Diego a rich and diverse cultural tradition which enhances the vibrant ethnicity of our City's communities; and

WHEREAS, the assimilation process works both ways and includes San Diego getting involved in the celebrations and festivities of the Indochinese community as we have with other ethnic groups; and

WHEREAS, on February 13, 1988, the First Annual Indochinese Cultural Fair, the largest event ever held by the Indochinese community will take place at Colina del Sol Recreation Center; and

WHEREAS, the Cultural Fair will feature Indochinese food and entertainment, arts and crafts, martial arts, classical dance and cultural displays; and

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that the community organizations and individuals be recognized for their time and energy in making the Cultural Fair a successful event and for their contributions to the Indochinese community, in particular, and San Diego at large; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of The City of San Diego, that the Indochinese community, including all groups and individuals involved in the first annual Cultural Fair, be commended for their efforts to broaden the cultural horizons of all San Diegans.

APPROVED: JOHN W. WITT, City Attorney

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Jack Katz, Chief Deputy

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