

(R-89-303)

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 271691
ADOPTED ON AUG 08 1988

WHEREAS, SB 2896, introduced by Assemblymember Torres, would prohibit building standards and other regulations adopted by the State Fire Marshal or by any other state or local agency from exempting, except as specified, any existing high-rise structure from containing approved automatic smoke and fire detection systems and automatic fire sprinkler systems; and

WHEREAS, the installation of fire sprinklers in high-rise structures helps to reduce the loss of life and property resulting from high-rise structure fires; and

WHEREAS, the retrofitting of automatic fire sprinkler systems in high-rise structures would be most effective if they were first installed on floors above seventy-five feet in height and, thereafter the remaining floors; and

WHEREAS, the retrofitting of automatic sprinkler systems in high-rise structures is an economic as well as a safety issue and state law requiring fire sprinkler retrofitting should accommodate local economies and concerns; and


WHEREAS, fifty-five high structures in San Diego are not equipped with automatic fire sprinkler systems; and

WHEREAS, on August 3, 1988, the Rules Committee reviewed the Intergovernmental Relations Department Report No. 88-28 regarding SB 2896 and recommended the City support SB 2896 with certain amendments thereto including but not limited to accommodating local constraints and concerns; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of The City of San Diego, that the recommendations contained in the Intergovernmental Relations Department Report No. 88-28, dated August 1, 1988, to support SB 2896 (Torres) with amendments modeled after the sprinkler retrofit statute adopted in the State of Massachusetts, be and the same is hereby approved and adopted.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that in the event the author of SB 2896 does not accept the amendment above-stated, the Intergovernmental Relations Department is directed to take no position on behalf of the City in the matter of SB 2896.

APPROVED: JOHN W. WITT, City Attorney

By 
Jack Katz, Chief Deputy

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AUTHENTICATED BY:

MAUREEN O'CONNOR
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CHARLES G. ABDELNOUR
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City Clerk of The City of San Diego, California.

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