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WHEREAS, in 1986 Congress made a sweeping change in policy with its enactment of the Immigration Reform and Control Act (IRCA); and

WHEREAS, IRCA recognized the necessity for and mandated the provision of certain human services to immigrants and allocated funds for this purpose; and

WHEREAS, the federal government has not maintained its financial commitment, resulting in serious hardships for state, county and city government, schools, hospitals, and the immigrants themselves; and

WHEREAS, the impact of the great influx of immigrants is felt not only in the border states but in every major urban center and continues to increase; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of The City of San Diego, that this Council hereby supports the goals of the Immigration Funding Project and calls upon the United States Congress to immediately honor its commitment, and its responsibility, to provide adequate federal funding to meet the human needs to immigrants which result from present federal immigration policies for the reasons set forth in Department of Legislative Services Report No. 91-42.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Council hereby directs that the City's Washington lobbyists provide assistance to local representatives during the planned Washington visit September 24

and 25 and to communicate the City's position concerning this matter to the appropriate federal officials.

APPROVED: JOHN W. WITT, City Attorney

Jack Katz
Senior Chief Deputy

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SEP 0 9 1991 Passed and adopted by the Council of The City of San Diego on..... by the following vote: **Council Members** Not Present Ineligible Yeas Nays Abbe Wolfsheimer Ron Roberts John Hartley H. Wes Pratt Tom Behr J. Bruce Henderson Judy McCarty **Bob** Filner Mayor Maureen O'Connor MAUREEN O'CONNOR **AUTHENTICATED BY:** Mayor of The City of San Diego, California. CHARLES G. ABDELNOUR (Seal) City Clerk of The City of San Diego, California. Office of the City Clerk, San Diego, California Resolution Adopted......