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RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 278832

ADOPTED ON OCT 21 1991

WHEREAS, children have inalienable rights, such as the right to food, shelter, health care, protection from abuse, education and the right to develop in a safe and nurturing environment free from discrimination; and

WHEREAS, children in the United States and throughout the world face an unprecedented crisis that impedes their proper development; and

WHEREAS, children remain the subject of abuse, neglect and exploitation; and

WHEREAS, parents need assistance to develop and sustain caring and nurturing families; and

WHEREAS, on November 20, 1989, the United Nations General Assembly voted to adopt a new international treaty for the protection of children; and

WHEREAS, the "Convention on Rights of the Child" details the civil and political rights of children, as well as their social economic and cultural rights; and

WHEREAS, setting basic rights of children as whole persons requires a collaboration of programs for families and children; and

WHEREAS, The City of San Diego has moved in this direction with the "Neighborhood Pride and Protection Program" where the protection, creation, and education of our City's youth are the

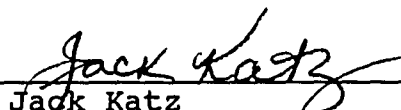
goals of the program; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of The City of San Diego, that this Council, for and on behalf of said City, hereby declares its support of the "Convention on the Rights of the Child," as supported by the United Nations General Assembly on November 20, 1989.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that all City agencies, especially those concerned with housing, nutrition, education, child care protection, medical care, recreation and economic opportunities for children; are requested to work toward ensuring that their programs aim to achieve the goals established in the "Convention on the Rights of the Child" even in increasingly difficult economic times.

APPROVED: JOHN W. WITT, City Attorney

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AUTHENTICATED BY:

MAUREEN O'CONNOR
Mayor of The City of San Diego, California.

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CHARLES G. ABDELNOUR
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By *Shonda R. Barnes*, Deputy.

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