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ADOPTED ON SEP 18 1995

WHEREAS, The City of San Diego and the City of Yokohama have been Sister Cities since 1957; and

WHEREAS, the San Diego-Yokohama Sister City Society was formed to further the ties of friendship and mutual understanding through cultural, business, educational, technical and scientific exchanges; and

WHEREAS, the San Diego-Yokohama Sister City Society has been the recipient of more than 450 books from the people of Yokohama on literary, historical, social, economic, and artistic materials related to Japanese life; and

WHEREAS, in order to make the information on Japan and Japanese culture more widely accessible to the citizens of San Diego, the Society is donating the collection of books to the San Diego Public Library where the collection will be displayed and available for borrowing; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of The City of San Diego, that this Council, for and on behalf of the people of San Diego, gratefully accept the books for incorporation in the collection of the San Diego Public Library and thank the City of Yokohama, its Public Library and the people of Yokohama for this valuable

contribution to the cultural exchange and goodwill that exists between our two cities.

APPROVED: JOHN W. WITT, City Attorney

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