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## RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 289654 ADOPTED ON JAN 20 1998

WHEREAS, since Civil War Medal of Honor recipient Moses Luce founded the firm in 1873, Luce, Forward, Hamilton & Scripps has flourished to become San Diego's largest and most prestigious full-service law firm; and

WHEREAS, for 125 years, Luce, Forward, Hamilton & Scripps partners and associates have played a leading role in the civic life of San Diego and our nation, beginning when Moses Luce drafted the first City Charter, to today, when firm lawyers past and present serve the public as judges, elected officials, and as members of numerous boards and commissions; and

WHEREAS, San Diegans have watched Luce, Forward, Hamilton & Scripps grow and change with this City, with the firm always playing a leading role as San Diego develops into a world-renowned business market, technology center and tourist destination; and

WHEREAS, the firm continues to thrive through branch offices in Los Angeles, San Francisco, New York and Chicago and through the Luce Forward Science Advisory Group, which provides consultation, evaluation and analysis of cutting edge technical and scientific issues; and

WHEREAS, to honor the history, the accomplishments, and the growth of the firm, on February 12, 1998, Luce, Forward, Hamilton & Scripps will celebrate its 125th anniversary at the first ever All-Firm Celebration in San Diego; 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, hereby designates February 12th, 1998 as "Luce, Forward, Hamilton & Scripps Day" to honor the firm's 125th anniversary.

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