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RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 307828

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A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL DECLARING A CONTINUED STATE OF EMERGENCY REGARDING THE DISCHARGE OF RAW SEWAGE FROM TIJUANA, MEXICO.

WHEREAS, California Government Code section 8630 authorizes local governing bodies to proclaim local emergencies when such events occur as are defined by California Government Code section 8558(c); and

WHEREAS, California Government Code section 8630 further provides that the local governing body review the need for continuing the local emergency at least once every 30 days until the governing body terminates the local emergency; and

WHEREAS, the San Diego City Council on September 7, 1993 adopted Resolution No. R-282544 declaring the existence of a state of emergency regarding the escalated discharge of sewage across the international border into the City of San Diego from Tijuana, Mexico; and

WHEREAS, the escalated discharge of sewage across the international border into the City of San Diego continues to pose the possibility of peril to persons or property; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of the City of San Diego, that pursuant to California Government Code section 8630, a continued state of emergency is declared to persist relative to the escalated discharge of raw sewage from Tijuana, Mexico.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Mayor or his designee is authorized to execute all necessary contracts for the diversion, treatment, and disposal of international raw sewage.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the measures previously taken by the City Council in Resolution No. R-282544 shall continue to have full force and effect.

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