

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 308343DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE JUL 24 2013

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO DETERMINING THAT THE APPROVAL OF THE PET SHOP ORDINANCE IS EXEMPT FROM THE CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT PURSUANT TO CEQA GUIDELINES SECTION 15061(b)(3).

WHEREAS, the proposed Pet Shop Ordinance seeks to prohibit the sale of dogs, cats, and rabbits in pet shops, retail businesses, or other commercial establishments in the City of San Diego unless the animals are obtained from an animal shelter or animal control agency, a humane society, or a non-profit rescue organization; and

WHEREAS, the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) (Public Resources Code section 21000 et seq.) Guidelines (California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Chapter 3, Section 15000 et seq.), section 15061(b)(3) states that a project is exempt from CEQA if the activity is covered by the general rule that CEQA applies only to projects which have the potential for causing a significant effect on the environment; and

WHEREAS, the Development Services Department has established that the Pet Shop Ordinance is exempt from CEQA pursuant to CEQA Guidelines section 15061(b)(3); and

WHEREAS, the Council of the City of San Diego has considered the potential environmental effects of the Pet Shop Ordinance; and

WHEREAS, on July 9, 2013, the City Council held a duly noticed public meeting and considered the written record for the Pet Shop Ordinance as well as public comment; and

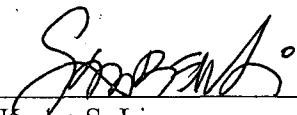
WHEREAS, the Council of the City of San Diego, using its independent judgment, has determined that the Pet Shop Ordinance regulates the sale of pets only and does not authorize

any activity that would have a physical impact and therefore will not have a significant effect on the environment; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Council of the City of San Diego determines that the Pet Shop Ordinance is exempt from CEQA pursuant to CEQA Guidelines section 15061(b)(3).

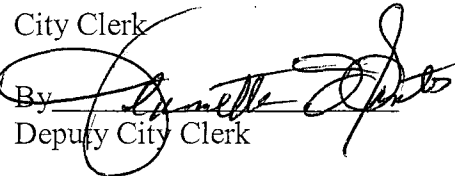
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City Clerk is directed to file a Notice of Exemption regarding the Pet Shop Ordinance with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors for the County of San Diego.

APPROVED: JAN I. GOLDSMITH, City Attorney

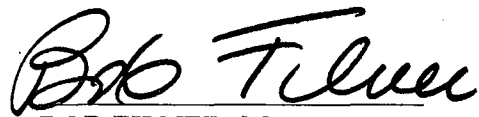
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Karen S. Li  
Deputy City Attorney

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was passed by the Council of the City of San Diego, at this meeting of JUL 09 2013.

ELIZABETH S. MALAND  
City Clerk  
By   
Deputy City Clerk

Approved: 7/24/13  
(date)

  
BOB FILNER, Mayor

Vetoed: \_\_\_\_\_  
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BOB FILNER, Mayor

JUL 09 2013

Passed by the Council of The City of San Diego on \_\_\_\_\_, by the following vote:

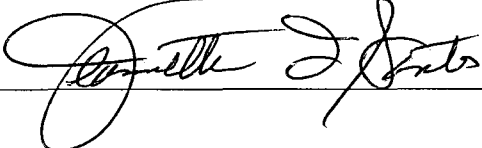
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Date of final passage JUL 24 2013.

AUTHENTICATED BY:

BOB FILNER  
Mayor of The City of San Diego, California.

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ELIZABETH S. MALAND  
City Clerk of The City of San Diego, California.  
By , Deputy

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