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RESOLUTION NO.

851-00

[Resolution]

URGING THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA TO IDENTIFY AND ALLOCATE FUNDING SOURCES TO MAINTAIN THE INFRASTRUCTURE AND ENSURE THE VIABILITY OF SAN FRANCISCO'S WATERFRONT FISHING INDUSTRY.

WHEREAS, the commercial fishing industry has been a vital force along San Francisco's waterfront since the 1860's, commencing with the Filbert Street, Green Street, Union Street, and Vallejo Street piers; and

WHEREAS, San Francisco's waterfront fishing industry is the location of the largest wholesale fish operation on the West Coast; and

WHEREAS, San Francisco's waterfront is one of the nation's largest seafood distribution centers, receiving fish by boat, rail, trucks and air; and

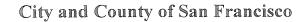
WHEREAS, the Burton Act calls for the maintenance, reconstruction, promotion and protection of fisheries along the waterfront; and

WHEREAS, the 1997 Port Commission Resolution No. 97-83, contained in the Port of San Francisco Waterfront Land Use Plan, adopted guidelines for long term uses of waterfront space for the fishing industry, including fish processing and wholesaling; and

WHEREAS, The Port of San Francisco Waterfront Land Use Plan calls for the protection and infrastructure enhancement of current maritime activities including incentives for maritime industries to invest in facility improvements and to seek alternative funding sources to ensure such protection; now, therefore be it

SUPERVISOR ALICIA BECERRIL, BIERMAN BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

RESOLVED, that the City and County of San Francisco, in maintaining the long term viability of its waterfront fishing industry, urges the State of California to identify and allocate funding sources to ensure the preservation of the City's historic fishing industry.





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Resolution urging the State of California to identify and allocate funding sources to maintain the infrastructure and ensure the viability of San Francisco's waterfront fishing industry.

,	Board of Supervisors — SEVERED FROM FOR ADOPTION WITHOUT COMMITTEE REFERENCE AGENDA
October 2, 2000	Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED
	Ayes: 11 - Ammiano, Becerril, Bierman, Brown, Katz, Kaufman, Leno, Newsom, Teng, Yaki, Yee

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on October 2, 2000 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gloria L. Young Clerk of the Board

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Date Approved

Mayor Willie L. Brown Jr.