

1 [Denouncing the coup de etat in Honduras and urging the Honduran government and the
2 international community to support democratic, transparent elections that respect human
3 rights, national sovereignty and democracy]

4 **Resolution denouncing the coup de etat against the duly elected President of**
5 **Honduras and urging the Honduran government and international community to**
6 **support democratic elections that respect human rights, national sovereignty, and**
7 **economic sustainability that leads to conditions of peace and democracy.**

8 WHEREAS, The San Francisco Board of Supervisors recognizes and supports the
9 independence, self-determination and human rights of the country of Honduras, whose
10 citizens have democratically elected President Manuel Zelaya; and

11 WHEREAS, The San Francisco Board of Supervisors recognizes that the Honduran
12 people, the people of the Americas and the international community do not want to turn the
13 clock back to political violence, civil war and militarism in Central America; and

14 WHEREAS, The City and County of San Francisco and other parts of the United
15 States have Honduran communities that include hard working and tax-paying citizens,
16 residents and undocumented workers who contribute to our economy and nation; and

17 WHEREAS, The San Francisco Board of Supervisors recognizes that political unrest
18 that destabilizes countries neighboring the United States, has historically created and has the
19 potential to create mass immigration that our current economic condition does not have the
20 capacity to endure; now, therefore, be it

21 RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Board of Supervisors denounces the illegal
22 military coup de etat against the duly elected President of Honduras, Manuel Zelaya; and
23 now, therefore, be it
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1 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the San Francisco Board of Supervisors encourages the
2 U.S. government to support foreign policy that discourages predatory foreign and private
3 interests from politically, militarily and economically destabilizing developing countries, to
4 avoid a negative impact on our City of San Francisco; and now, therefore, be it

5 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San
6 Francisco encourages the U.S. government to push for the restoration of democratic rule in
7 Honduras, including pushing for reinstatement of Honduras' duly elected President.

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Ayes: 10 - Alioto-Pier, Avalos, Campos, Chiu, Chu, Daly, Dufty, Elsbernd, Mar,
Mirkarimi

Absent: 1 - Maxwell

