

1 **SAN FRANCISCO ELECTIONS COMMISSION**

2 Resolution on Statement Made by a Member of the Public During the Elections Commission’s

3 June 22, 2021 Special Meeting

4 (Adopted by the San Francisco Elections Commission on June 22, 2021.)

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6 WHEREAS, The San Francisco Elections Commission (“Commission”) held a Special
7 Meeting on June 22, 2021; and

8 WHEREAS, At its June 22, 2021 Special Meeting, the Commission considered its
9 appointments to the Redistricting Task Force; and

10 WHEREAS, During the Commission’s consideration of its appointments, a member of
11 the public who joined the meeting stated “illegal” during the agenda item; now, therefore, be it

12 RESOLVED, The Commission observes and condemns the rise of anti-immigrant and
13 anti-Asian hatred in our country; the Commission specifically observes that in the course of
14 selecting members of the Redistricting Task Force, the derogatory term “illegal” was apparently
15 used by a member of the public to disparage one of our candidates; the Commission
16 unequivocally condemns the use of this hateful language as it dehumanizes immigrants and
17 misleadingly connotes criminality; and the Commission observes that acts are illegal, but people
18 are not.