

1 [Recommending support for Payroll Expense Tax Exclusion for Qualified Renewable Energy
2 Businesses with a first-source hiring policy]

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4 **Resolution supporting Board of Supervisors Ordinance File 050922 titled “Payroll
5 Expense Tax Exclusion for Qualified Renewable Energy Business” that amends the
6 Payroll Expense Tax Ordinance to establish a tax-exclusion for qualified renewable
7 energy businesses and requesting that all efforts will be made to have a first-source
8 hiring policy.**

9 WHEREAS, The San Francisco Board of Supervisors is considering an Ordinance File
10 Number 050922 titled “Payroll Expense Tax Exclusion for Qualified Renewable Energy
11 Businesses” that amends the Payroll Expense Tax Ordinance to establish a tax-exclusion for
12 qualified renewable energy businesses; and,

13 WHEREAS, Such tax exclusions would encourage the development of clean energy
14 technology and businesses locating, relocating and or expanding operations in San Francisco;
15 and,

16 WHEREAS, The Commission on the Environment requests that all efforts will be made
17 to have a first-source hiring policy; now, therefore, be it

18 RESOLVED, The Commission on the Environment recommends that the Board of
19 Supervisors adopt the Ordinance amending the Payroll Expense Tax Ordinance to establish a
20 tax-exclusion for qualified renewable energy businesses and requests that all efforts be made
21 to have a first-source hiring policy.

22 I hereby certify that this Resolution was adopted by the Commission on the Environment at its Regular Meeting on
23 September 27, 2005.

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Monica Fish, Commission Secretary

VOTE: (4-0) (3 Absent)

Ayes: Commissioners Crowder, Pelosi Jr., King and Mok

Noes: None

Absent: Commissioners Desser, Rodriguez, and Wald