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8 **SAVE THE PLASTIC BAG COALITION**

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10 **SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA**
11 **FOR THE COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO**
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13 **SAVE THE PLASTIC BAG COALITION,**) **Case No. CPF-12-511978**
14 **an unincorporated association,**)
15 **Petitioner,**) **Action filed: February 29, 2012**
16 **v.**) **CEQA case assigned to Dept. 503**
17 **CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO,**) **PETITIONER'S REQUEST FOR**
18 **a political subdivision of the State of California)** **JUDICIAL NOTICE IN SUPPORT OF**
19 **and a municipal corporation; SAN**) **MOTION FOR PRELIMINARY**
20 **FRANCISCO PLANNING DEPARTMENT,**) **INJUNCTION TO STAY**
21 **an agency of the City and County of San**) **IMPLEMENTATION AND**
22 **Francisco; SAN FRANCISCO**) **ENFORCEMENT OF CARRYOUT BAG**
23 **DEPARTMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENT,**) **ORDINANCE; DECLARATION OF**
24 **an agency of the City and County of San**) **STEPHEN L. JOSEPH**
25 **Francisco; and DOES 1-100, inclusive,**) **Hearing date: June 1, 2012**
26 **Respondents.**) **Time: 9:00 a.m.**
27 **Dept. 503**
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REQUEST FOR JUDICIAL NOTICE

Pursuant to Evidence Code §§ 452(c) and 453, Petitioner Save The Plastic Bag Coalition hereby requests that this Court take judicial notice of Exhibit J filed separately herewith, which is a State Board of Equalization Special Notice regarding sales tax on paper bag fees.

Evidence Code §452(c) permits this Court to take judicial notice of official acts of the executive departments of any state of the United States. The State Board of Equalization is a department of the State of California. Exhibit J is a true and correct copy of an official act of the State Board of Equalization.

Evidence Code § 453 states that the trial court *shall* take judicial notice of any matter specified in Section 452 if a party requests it and (a) gives each adverse party sufficient notice of the request, through the pleadings or otherwise, to enable such adverse party to prepare to meet the request; and (b) furnishes the court with sufficient information to enable it to take judicial notice of the matter. By filing this Request For Judicial Notice, Petitioner has satisfied the conditions in Evidence Code § 453 for mandatory judicial notice.

DATED: May 8, 2012

STEPHEN L. JOSEPH



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I am over the age of 18 and not a party to the within action. My business address is 350 Bay Street, Suite 100-328, San Francisco, CA 94133.

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I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the above is true and correct.

Executed on May 8, 2012 at San Francisco, California.

STEPHEN L. JOSEPH