

RULES, ELECTIONS AND INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE REPORT and RESOLUTION relative to the City's position to condemn the government of Brunei for adopting laws that impose extreme and inhumane penalties.

Recommendation for Council action, pursuant to Resolution (Koretz - O'Farrell, et al.), SUBJECT TO THE CONCURRENCE OF THE MAYOR:

ADOPT the accompanying RESOLUTION to include in the City's 2013-14 Federal Legislative Program SUPPORT for legislation and/or administrative action which condemns the government of Brunei for adopting laws that impose extreme and inhumane penalties including execution by stoning, flogging and severing of limbs and urges the government of Brunei to divest itself of the Beverly Hills Hotel and the Bel Air Hotel.

Fiscal Impact Statement: None submitted by the Chief Legislative Analyst (CLA). The City Administrative Officer has not completed a financial analysis of this report.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

### Summary

At its regular meeting of May 16, 2014, the Rules, Elections and Intergovernmental Relations Committee considered a CLA report and Resolution (Koretz - O'Farrell, et al.) relative to the City's position to condemn the government of Brunei for adopting laws that impose extreme and inhumane penalties. The CLA report, attached to the Council file, provides a summary of the Resolution and additional background information. After consideration and having provided an opportunity for public comment, the Committee recommended that Council adopt the accompanying Resolution. This matter is now submitted to Council for its consideration.

Respectfully Submitted,

RULES, ELECTIONS AND INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE

#### **MEMBER VOTE**

WESSON: YES

HUIZAR: ABSENT

LABONGE: YES

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