Approved as to Form and Legality

OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

City Attorney

RESOLUTION NO. 81228 C.M.S.

Introduced by Councilmember #1011 115: 43

RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF AB 2696 (KREKORIAN) – "FIREARMS: REQUIRING THE CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE (DOJ) TO ENTER INTO A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WITH THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION (FBI) TO PROVIDE INFORMATION TO, AND PARTICIPATE IN, THE NATIONAL INSTANT CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECK SYSTEM (NICBCS)"

WHEREAS, each year a majority of Oakland homicides are the result of gun violence; and

WHEREAS, the City of Oakland fully supports the ability of local governments to enact enforcement regulation that will increase the safety of the people of the City of Oakland; and

WHEREAS, the City of Oakland also supports the use of systems that can provide swift and accurate background data on persons attempting to purchase a hand gun or long gun; and

WHEREAS, AB 2696 (Krekorian) will require the California Department of Justice to enter into a memorandum of understanding with the FBI for the purpose of providing information to the NICBCS and to participate in the system; now, therefore be it

RESOLVED: that the City of Oakland declares its support for AB 2696 (Krekorian); and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: that the City Council hereby directs the City Administrator and the City's legislative lobbyist to advocate for the above positions in the California State Legislature.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA,	APR 1 5 2008
PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:	
AYES - BROOKS, BRUNNER, CHANG, KERNE	NADEL, QUAN, REID, and PRESIDENT DE LA FUENTE -7
NOES - A	
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ABSTENTION - O Excused - Kernighan - 1	LaTonda Simmons City Clerk and Clerk of the Council of the City of Oakland, California