RESOLUTION NO. H. A. 1-69

A RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF LONG BEACH, CALIFORNIA; ADOPTING BY-LAWS FOR SAID HOUSING AUTHORITY WHICH DESIGNATE ITS OFFICERS, THEIR DUTIES AND MANNER OF ELECTION, THE TIME AND PLACE OF MEETINGS, ADOPT A SEAL AND SET FORTH OTHER MATTERS RELATING TO THE OPERATION OF SAID HOUSING AUTHORITY; AND APPOINTING CITY EMPLOYEES AS OFFICERS OF SAID HOUSING AUTHORITY.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Long Beach, California, at its regular meeting of December 10, 1968, adopted Resolution No. C-20355 declaring the need for a Housing Authority to function in the City of Long Beach, California, in accordance with the Housing Authorities Law, as amended, of the State of California; and

WHEREAS, said City Council, in said Resolution No. C-20355, declared itself to be the Commissioners of said Housing Authority of the City of Long Beach, California; and

WHEREAS, said Commissioners desire to assume their duties to transact the business of said Housing Authority of the City of Long Beach, California, and to exercise the powers granted said Authority by the Housing Authorities Law, as amended, of the State of California, and said Resolution No. C-20355; and

WHEREAS, in order for said Housing Authority of the City of Long Beach, California, to carry on its business in accordance with the Housing Authorities Law, as amended, of the State of California, and said Resolution No. C-20355, it may

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adopt by-laws designating its officers, their duties and manner of election, the time and place of meetings, its seal and other matters relating to the operation of said Housing Authority;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Housing Authority of the City of Long Beach, California, does hereby resolve, determine and order as follows:

Section A. That the Housing Authority of the City of Long Beach, California, be and it hereby is established pursuant to the Housing Authorities Law, as amended, of the State of California, and is now authorized to transact business and exercise its powers as defined in said Housing Authorities Law and in Resolution No. C-20355, adopted on December 10, 1968, by the City Council of the City of Long Beach.

That the following "By-Laws of the Housing Authority of the City of Long Beach, California", be and the same are hereby adopted as and for the By-Laws of said Authority, to wit:

> BY-LAWS OF THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF LONG BEACH, CALIFORNIA

ARTICLE I - THE AUTHORITY

Section 1. Name of Authority. The name of the Authority shall be the "Housing Authority of the City of Long Beach, California".

> Seal of Authority. Section 2.



The seal of the Authority shall be in the form of a circle and shall bear the name of the Authority and the year it was established. print of the seal hereby adopted by the Authority is shown immediately to the left.

Section 3. Office of Authority. The office of the Authority shall be at such place in the City of Long Beach, California, as the Authority may from time to time designate by resolution. That until otherwise provided by resolution the office of the Authority shall be at the City Hall in the City of Long Beach, California.

ARTICLE II - OFFICERS

Section 1. <u>Officers</u>. The officers of the Authority shall be a Chairman, Vice Chairman, a Secretary who shall be Executive Director, an Assistant Secretary who shall be Assistant Executive Director, a Clerk, a General Counsel, an Auditor, a Treasurer and an Accountant.

Section 2. <u>Chairman</u>. The Chairman shall preside at all meetings of the Authority.

Section 3. <u>Vice Chairman</u>. The Vice Chairman shall perform the duties of the Chairman in the absence or incapacity of the Chairman; and in case of the resignation or death of the Chairman, the Vice Chairman shall perform such duties as are imposed on the Chairman until such time as the Authority shall elect a new Chairman.

Section 4. <u>Secretary</u>. The City Manager of the City of Long Beach shall be the Secretary of the Authority. The Secretary shall be the Executive Director of the Authority and, as Executive Director, he shall have general supervision over the administration of its business and affairs, subject to the direction of the Authority. He shall be charged with the management of the housing projects of the Authority.

Except as otherwise authorized by resolution of the Authority, the Secretary shall sign all contracts, deeds and other instruments made by the Authority. The Secretary shall keep the records of the Authority. He shall keep in safe

custody the seal of the Authority and shall have power to affix such seal to all contracts and instruments authorized to be executed by the Authority.

At each meeting the Secretary shall submit such recommendations and information as he may consider proper concerning the business, affairs and policies of the Authority.

Secretary of the Authority shall be the Director of Community
Development of the City of Long Beach. The Assistant Secretary
shall perform the duties of the Secretary in the absence or
incapacity of the Secretary; and in case of the resignation,
removal or death of the Secretary; the Assistant Secretary shall
perform such duties as are imposed on the Secretary until such
time as the office of Secretary is filled.

Section 6. <u>Clerk</u>. The City Clerk of the City of Long Beach shall act as the Clerk of the meetings of the Authority and record all votes, and shall keep a record of the proceedings of the Authority in a journal of proceedings to be kept for such purpose, and shall perform all duties incident to being the Clerk for the Authority.

Section 7. <u>General Counsel</u>. The General Counsel of the Authority shall be the City Attorney of the City of Long Beach. The General Counsel shall advise the Authority on all legal matters, draft legal documents as requested by the Authority, and approve as to form all deeds, contracts, resolutions, and other legal instruments relating to the Authority's activities.

Section 8. <u>Auditor</u>. The Auditor of the Authority shall be the Auditor of the City of Long Beach. The Auditor shall audit all expenditures of Authority funds and shall, by facsimile signature, countersign all Authority checks.

Section 9. Treasurer. The Treasurer of the Authority

shall be the City Treasurer of the City of Long Beach. The Treasurer shall have the care and custody of all funds of the Authority and shall deposit the same in the name of the Authority in such bank or banks as the Authority may select. He shall advise the Authority on fiscal matters, countersign by facsimile signature all Authority checks, and pay out and disburse Authority monies.

Section 10. Accountant. The City Accountant of the City of Long Beach shall be the Accountant for the Authority. The Accountant shall keep regular books of accounts showing receipts and expenditures, render to the Authority at the first regular meeting of each month an account of Authority transactions and of the fiscal condition of the Authority, and shall prepare all Authority check vouchers.

Section 11. Additional Duties. The officers of the Authority shall perform such other duties and functions as may from time to time be required by the Authority or by its by-laws or other rules and regulations, or which are incidental to the office held by such officers.

Section 12. Assignment of Duties. The Officers of the Authority, except the Chairman and Vice Chairman, may assign portions of their duties to subordinate City employees so as to carry out their duties hereunder and to promote the proper and efficient accomplishment of the objectives desired by the Authority and set forth in its rules and regulations and all applicable laws.

Section 13. <u>Election of Chairman and Vice Chairman</u>. Immediately after the adoption of these by-laws the Authority members shall elect the Chairman and Vice Chairman of the Authority from among the Commissioners of the Authority, and the Chairman and Vice Chairman so elected shall hold office until their successors are elected, qualified and take office.

Until these by-laws are adopted and the Chairman and Vice Chairman are elected, qualified and take office, the Mayor and Vice Mayor of the City Council of the City of Long Beach shall act as Chairman and Vice Chairman respectively. At the first regular meeting of the Authority in July following each City General Election the Commissioners shall elect a Chairman and Vice Chairman from among their members to so act for the Authority until their successors are elected, qualified and take office.

Section 14. <u>Term of Office</u>. The Commissioners, the Chairman and Vice Chairman of the Authority are and shall be and act as Commissioners only so long as they are members of the City Council. All other officers shall act for the Authority only so long as they are employees of the City.

Section 15. <u>Additional Personnel</u>. The Authority through its Secretary may from time to time employ such personnel as it deems necessary.

Section 16. Per Diem Payment. A Commissioner shall receive per diem payment for attendance at not more than four meetings per month of the Authority, which shall not exceed twenty-five dollars (\$25) per day and shall receive necessary traveling and subsistence expenses, incurred in the discharge of his duties.

ARTICLE III - MEETINGS

Section 1. Regular Meetings. Regular meetings shall be held at 2:00 P.M. o'clock on the second Tuesday of each month and at such other times and places as may from time to time be determined by resolution of the Authority. In the event a day of regular meeting shall be a legal holiday, said meeting shall be held on the next succeeding business day. Any regular meeting may be adjourned to a date and hour certain.

Section 2. Special Meetings. The Chairman of the Authority may, when he deems it expedient, and shall, upon the written request of two Commissioners of the Authority, call a special meeting of the Authority for the purpose of transacting any business designated in the call. The call for a special meeting shall be mailed to each Commissioner of the Authority at his business or home address at least forty-eight (48) hours prior to the date of such special meeting. At such special meeting no business shall be considered other than as designated in the call, but if all of the Commissioners of the Authority are present at a special meeting, any and all business may be transacted at such special meeting. Such written notice may be dispensed with as to any Commissioner who has filed with the Secretary of the Authority a written waiver of notice.

Section 3. All of the meetings of the Commissioners shall be open to the public, whether regular or special.

Section 4. Nothing contained in this Article shall be construed to prevent the Authority from holding executive sessions under the provisions of the Ralph Brown Act, as amended, during a regular or special meeting.

Section 5. Quorum. The powers of the Authority shall be vested in the Commissioners thereof in office from time to time. Five (5) Commissioners shall constitute a quorum for the purpose of conducting its business and exercising its powers and for all other purposes, but a smaller number may adjourn from time to time until a quorum is obtained. When a quorum is in attendance, action may be taken by the Authority upon a vote of a majority of the Commissioners present.

Section 6. <u>Order of Business</u>. At the regular meetings of the Authority the following shall be the order of business.

1. Roll call.

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- 2. Approval of the minutes of the previous meeting.
- 3. Unfinished business.
- 4. New business.
- 5. Adjournment.

All resolutions shall be in writing and shall be filed in a journal of the proceedings of the Authority.

Section 7. Manner of Voting. The voting on all questions coming before the Authority shall be by roll call, and the yeas and nays shall be entered upon the minutes of such meeting.

ARTICLE IV - AMENDMENTS

Amendments to By-Laws. The by-laws of the Authority shall be amended only with the approval of a majority of the Commissioners of the Authority at a regular or a special meeting.

Sec. C. That all of the City employees referred to in the by-laws set forth above are hereby expressly appointed to the offices set forth therein as officers of the Housing Authority of the City of Long Beach, California, and shall carry out their duties and have the powers set forth in said by-laws.

Sec. D. That the Clerk of the Authority shall certify to the passage of this resolution by the Housing Authority of the City of Long Beach, California, and cause the same to be posted in three (3) conspicuous places in the City of Long Beach, and it shall thereupon take effect.

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the Housing Authority of the City of Long Beach, California, at its meeting of January 21, 1969, by the following vote of the qualified members of the Authority who are also members of the City Council of the City of Long Beach:

| 1 | Ayes: | KEALER, BOND, CLARK, SULLIVAN, |
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Sally Sandmeyer ____ being duly sworn, says; that she is an employee in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Long Beach; and that on the 22nd day of January , 1969 , she posted three true and correct copies of Resolution No. H.A. 1-69 in three conspicuous places in the City of Long Beach, to wit: one of said copies in the main corridor of the City Hall opposite the office of the City Clerk of the City of Long Beach, one of said copies in the foyer of the Public Library Building of the City of Long Beach in Lincoln Park and one of said copies in the entrance lobby of the County Building, 415 West Ocean Boulevard.

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Subscribed and sworn to before me

this 22 day of January , 1969

City Clerk of the City of Long Beach