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VIA FACSIMILE

The City and County of San Francisco and Mayor Gavin Newsom Office of the Mayor 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Rm. 200 San Francisco, CA 94102

The Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Rm. 244 San Francisco, CA 94102

Re: Walgreen Co. v. City & County of San Francisco, et al.

Dear Sir or Madam:

This letter is to inform you that we intend to file the enclosed complaint later today against the City and County of San Francisco, the Board of Supervisors, and Mayor Gavin Newsom (in his capacity as Mayor) on behalf of our client, Walgreen Co. The lawsuit seeks declaratory and injunctive relief against the enforcement of San Francisco Ordinance 194-08.

I write to give you notice under rules 3.1150, 3.1203, and 3.1204, California Rules of Court, that I will be appearing tomorrow at 11 a.m. in the Law and Motion Department of the San Francisco Superior Court, to request an ex parte Order to Show Cause why our client's Application for a Preliminary Injunction should not be heard on or before September 30, 2008 (since the Ordinance takes effect on October 1). I will advise you of the specific department number later today and will serve you with copies of this Application for Preliminary Injunction and its supporting papers tomorrow.

Please advise us today whether you will oppose this request for an Order to Show Cause. Alternatively, if you would stipulate to a stay of the effective date of the Ordinance and issue a temporary tobacco permit pending resolution of our client's Application for Preliminary

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Injunction so that a more comfortable briefing and hearing schedule can be set, we are amenable to such an arrangement.

Please contact me at the above-listed number or Daniel M. Kolkey (415-393-8240) at your earliest convenience to discuss this matter.

Very truly yours,

Rebecca Justice Lazarus

Enclosures

cc: Via Facsimile (w/enclosures)
Office of the City Attorney

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THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO; THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO; and GAVIN NEWSOM, in his capacity as Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco

YOU ARE BEING SUED BY PLAINTIFF: (LO ESTÁ DEMANDANDO EL DEMANDANTE): WALGREEN CO.

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The name, address, and telephone number of plaintiff's attorney, or plaintiff without an attorney, is: (El nombre, la dirección y el número de teléfono del abogado del demandante, o del demandante que no liene abogado, es): Daniel M. Kolkey, SBN 79102, Brett Oberst, SBN 196219 Tel.: (415) 393-8200 Fax: (415) 986-5309 GIBSON, DUNN & CRUTCHER LLP One Montgomery Street San Francisco, CA 94104-4505 DATE: Clerk by Deputy (Fecha) (Secretario) (Adjunto) (For proof of service of this summons, use Proof of Service of Summons (form POS-010).) (Para prueba de entrega de esla citatión use el formulario Proof of Service of Summons, (POS-010)). NOTICE TO THE PERSON SERVED: You are served JSEAL) as an individual defendant, as the person sued under the fictilious name of (specify): 3. on behalf of (specify): under: CCP 416.10 (corporation) CCP 416.20 (defunct corporation) CCP 416.70 (conservatee) CCP 416.40 (association or partnership) CCP 416.90 (authorized person) other (specify): by personal delivery on (dale):

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Writ of Mandate (02)

Writ-Administrative Mandamus

Writ-Mandamus on Limited Court Case Matter

Writ-Other Limited Court Case Review

Other Judicial Review (39)

Review of Health Officer Order Notice of Appeal-Labor

Commissioner Appeals

Provisionally Complex Civil Litigation (Cal. Rules of Court Rules 3,400-3,403)

Antitrust/Trade Regulation (03)

Construction Defect (10)

Claims Involving Mass Tort (40) Securities Litigation (28)

Environmental/Toxic Tort (30)

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INTRODUCTION AND SUMMARY

- 1. A recently enacted San Francisco ordinance (the "Ordinance") prohibits any retail establishment in which the profession of pharmacy is practiced from selling tobacco products, unless the retail establishment is a general grocery store or a big box store. (San Francisco Ordinance No. 194-08, amending San Francisco Health Code section 1009.53 and adding section 1009.60 and Article 19) to the Health Code).
- 2. The Ordinance was enacted on August 7, 2008, and takes effect less than two months later on October 1, 2008, providing little transition time for compliance.
- 3. Plaintiff Walgreen Co. ("Walgreens") shares San Francisco's goal of reducing smoking. But this Ordinance does not purport to reduce the quantity of tobacco products sold in San Francisco. Instead, it merely prohibits *some* pharmacies from selling tobacco products.
- 4. The premise underlying the Ordinance's restricted focus on pharmacies is implausible. The Ordinance limits its tobacco sale prohibition to (some) pharmacies based on the purported legislative finding that "[t]hrough the sale of tobacco products, pharmacies convey tacit approval of the purchase and use of tobacco products" and that "[t]his approval sends a mixed message to consumers who generally patronize pharmacies for health care services." (Ordinance, § 1, finding 7.) But it is implausible that consumers receive a "mixed message" of "tacit approval" for smoking simply because the tobacco products are sold in a retail establishment that has a pharmacy, given the level of attention that anti-smoking efforts have received in the last decade, including extensive anti-smoking public education campaigns.
- 5. In any event, regardless of the rationality of the premise underlying the Ordinance, the Ordinance is anti-competitive and unconstitutional, only prohibiting tobacco product sales at some pharmacies, but not others, favoring some retail establishments that have pharmacies, and not others. The brunt of the Ordinance will fall on Walgreens, to the benefit of general grocery stores that can continue to have pharmacies and sell tobacco products and the other types of products sold at Walgreens.
 - 6. The ordinance is invalid and should be struck down for the following reasons:

(a) The ordinance violates the Equal Protection guarantees of both the federal and California Constitutions by arbitrarily and irrationally distinguishing between similarly situated retail establishments with pharmacies. Although both the covered and exempted retail establishments generally locate their pharmacies in a separate location of the store and offer a diverse variety of goods, including perishable items, frozen foods, dry goods, household products, and paper goods, general grocery stores and big box stores with pharmacies are exempt from the ordinance's coverage while Walgreens is not. In short, the Ordinance differentiates between such establishments based on little more than the name of the business.

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- (b) Second, the ordinance was enacted in violation of the requirements of the voter-approved Proposition I, which requires the preparation of a report on all legislation that might have a material economic impact on San Francisco before the San Francisco Board of Supervisors may hear or enact any legislation. But here, despite the declining number of independent pharmacies in San Francisco, no report was prepared. The decision not to prepare a report was an abuse of discretion.
- 7. As set forth herein, unless defendants are preliminarily and permanently enjoined from enforcing the Ordinance, it will cause irreparable harm to Walgreens and the public.

THE PARTIES

- 8. Plaintiff Walgreen Co. ("Walgreens" or "plaintiff") is a retail chain that sells prescription and non-prescription drugs and general merchandise, including food, household products, personal care items, dry goods, and paper goods. It is an Illinois corporation with its principal place of business in Deerfield, Illinois, and is authorized to do business in California. Plaintiff currently operates 54 full-service stores in San Francisco, 52 of which include a pharmacy. As of the date of the filing of this complaint, all 54 full-service stores in San Francisco are licensed to and do sell tobacco products.
- 9. Defendant City and County of San Francisco is a municipal corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of California, and is a defendant in its official capacity. The Ordinance has been enacted as part of the City and County of San Francisco's Health Code.

10. Defendant Gavin Newsom is the Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco. In that capacity, he is the chief executive officer of the City and County and is responsible for enforcing all laws relating to the City and County. He is sued in his official capacity.

11. Defendant Board of Supervisors for the City and County of San Francisco ("Board of Supervisors") is the legislative branch of the City and County of San Francisco, consisting of 11 members, and is a defendant in its official capacity.

STATEMENT OF FACTS

Enactment of the Ordinance

- 12. On or around April 29, 2008, San Francisco Mayor Newsom introduced the proposed Ordinance to the San Francisco Board of Supervisors.
- 13. On or around May 21, 2008, the proposed Ordinance was referred to the Small Business Commission for comment and recommendation. On June 10, 2008, the Commission issued its support for the proposed Ordinance, but recommended to the Mayor (1) that implementation be delayed a year "for the four independent pharmacies" in San Francisco and (2) that the Mayor's Office consider including Big Box and Grocery Stores in the legislation. Neither recommendation was adopted.
- 14. On July 17, 2008, the City Operations and Neighborhood Services Committee held a public hearing on the proposed Ordinance. At the hearing, Mitchell H. Katz, Director of Health for the City and County of San Francisco, testified that the proposed Ordinance would not decrease the amount of tobacco purchased in San Francisco, and Supervisors Chu and Elsbernd expressed concern with the arbitrary distinctions made by the proposed Ordinance. Following the hearing, the Committee referred the proposed Ordinance to the Board of Supervisors without recommendation, with two of the three members of the committee expressing concerns over the proposed Ordinance.
- On July 29, 2008, the Board of Supervisors passed the proposed Ordinance on first reading with a vote of 8 to 3. But at that meeting, various supervisors who expressed agreement with the general goals of the proposed Ordinance, indicated concern with the arbitrary distinctions made by it between retail establishments with pharmacies. Supervisors Chu, Elsbernd, and Dufty voted against the proposed Ordinance.

16. On or around August 5, 2008, the Board of Supervisors passed the Ordinance with a vote of 8 in favor and 3 against its passage.

- 17. On August 7, 2008, the Mayor approved the Ordinance as Ordinance No. 194-08.
- 18. Plaintiff is informed and believes and thereon alleges that no report of the economic impact of the Ordinance was prepared by the defendant City and County of San Francisco through its Office of Economic Analysis ("OEA") before enactment, as required by the voter-approved Proposition I, which requires the OEA to "identify and report on all legislation introduced at the Board of Supervisors that might have a material economic impact on the City." Plaintiff is further informed and believes and thereon alleges that the OEA initially concluded that an economic impact report should be prepared, but declined to do so based on a wholly incomplete analysis of the relevant economic factors.

The Ordinance

19. In relevant part, the Ordinance adds Article 19J, "Prohibiting Pharmacies From Selling Tobacco Products," to the San Francisco Health Code, which article includes the following provisions:

"Section 1009.92. Prohibition Against Tobacco Product Sales At Pharmacies.

No person shall sell tobacco products^[1] in a pharmacy^[2], except as provided in Sec. 1009.93. Section 1009.93. Exceptions.

The prohibition against tobacco sales at pharmacies in Section 1009.92 shall not apply to:

(a) General Grocery Stores.[3]

- 1 "Tobacco Product" is defined as "any substance containing tobacco leaf, including but not limited to cigarettes, cigars, pipe, tobacco, snuff, chewing tobacco, and dipping tobacco," (San Francisco Health Code § 1009.91(f).)
- ² "Pharmacy" is defined as "a retail establishment in which the profession of pharmacy by a pharmacist licensed by the State of California in accordance with the Business and Professions Code is practiced and where prescriptions are offered for sale. A pharmacy may also offer other retail goods in addition to prescription pharmaceuticals. For purposes of this Article, 'pharmacy' includes retail stores commonly known as drugstores." (San Francisco Health Code § 1009.91(e).)
- 3 "General Grocery Store" is defined to have "the same meaning as set forth in Planning Code Section 790.102(a) or any successor provisions." (San Francisco Health Code, § 1009.91(c).) In [Footnote continued on next page]

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(b) Big Box Stores.[4]

Section 1009.95. Expiration of Permit to Sell Tobacco.

Any permit to sell tobacco issued to a pharmacy pursuant to Article 19H shall expire on September 30, 2008, and shall not be renewed if sales of tobacco by that pharmacy are prohibited under this Article."

A copy of the Ordinance is attached to this Complaint as exhibit A.

The Ordinance's Findings

- 20. The Ordinance's "Findings" set forth the reasons behind its enactment, including concerns related to the negative health effects of tobacco. (Ordinance, Findings, ¶¶1-6.) However, the principal finding, upon which the Ordinance limits its tobacco sale prohibition to pharmacies, is as follows: "Through the sale of tobacco products, pharmacies convey tacit approval of the purchase and use of tobacco products. This approval sends a mixed message to consumers who generally patronize pharmacies for health care services[.]" (Ordinance, § 1, Findings, ¶ 7.)
- The Ordinance supports this "mixed message" finding on the grounds that 21. "[p]harmacies and drugstores are among the most accessible and trusted sources of health information among the public" and that "[c]linicians can have a significant effect on smokers' probability of quitting smoking[.]" (Id., ¶¶ 16-17.)
- 22. But the pharmacy section of Walgreens stores in San Francisco is physically separate from, and generally at an opposite end of, the section of the store at which tobacco products are sold. As a result, Walgreens pharmacists do not assist in the purchase of tobacco products.

[[]Footnote continued from previous page] turn, Section 790.102(a) of the Planning Code defines "General groceries" as "An individual retail food establishment that: (A) Exceeds 5,000 gross square feet; (B) Offers a diverse variety of unrelated, non-complementary food and non-food commodities, such as beverages, dairy, dry goods, fresh produce and other perishable items, frozen foods, household products, and paper goods; (C) Prepares minor amounts or no food on-site for immediate consumption; and (D) Markets the majority of its merchandise at retail prices."

[&]quot;Big Box Stores" is defined as "a single retail establishment occupying an area in excess of 100,000 gross square feet." (San Francisco Health Code, § 1009.91(a).)

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The Ordinance does not expressly set forth any reason for excluding General Grocery 23. Stores and Big Box Stores from the definition of pharmacy.

The Store Layout And Merchandise At Walgreens and Competitors In San Francisco

- Plaintiff is informed and believes and thereon alleges that its primary competitors in 24. San Francisco are Safeway Stores, Rite Aid, Lucky Stores, and Longs Drug Stores. Plaintiff also competes with the one Costco store in San Francisco.
- Plaintiff is informed and believes and thereon alleges that licensed pharmacies exist at 25. the single locations of the San Francisco Costco and Longs Drugs, as well as the two San Francisco Lucky Supermarket stores, six San Francisco Safeway Stores, and six San Francisco Rite Aid stores.
- Plaintiff is informed and believes and thereon alleges that generally speaking, these 26. stores, like its stores, offer a mix of products, including prescription drugs, over-the-counter drugs, household products, personal care items, and food items. However, general grocery stores and big box stores are exempt from the prohibition in the Ordinance.
- Plaintiff currently operates licensed pharmacies in 52 of its 54 full-service stores in 27. San Francisco.
- 28. For the 52 Walgreens stores with operating pharmacies, the store layout is generally the same. The pharmacy is located in the back of the store and tobacco products are located at the front of the store behind the main checkout area and near the exit. As such, the pharmacy and tobacco products are at completely opposite ends of the store. Pharmacy purchases at these stores must be made at the pharmacy counter in the back of the store. Walgreens pharmacists do not sell tobacco products. Rather, tobacco products are "clerk served," meaning that a customer must ask a store clerk or checkout attendant to access any tobacco product.
- Plaintiff is informed and believes and thereon alleges that the store layout at other 29. retail establishments offering pharmacy services is similar in relevant respects. For example, at Safeway Stores and Lucky Stores in San Francisco, the pharmacy is located in the back of each store, and tobacco products are kept in a customer service area in front of the store. At the Costco in San Francisco, the pharmacy is located at the front of the store, but it is at the end of the checkout area

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furthest from the entrance, whereas tobacco products are in a locked cage that is on the entrance side of the checkout area.

Actual and Irreparable Injury

- 30. Plaintiff will suffer significant and irreparable injury if the Ordinance's ban on the sale of tobacco products is permitted to take effect.
- 31. Once the Ordinance takes effect, each of plaintiff's affected stores will suffer lost revenues and profits in amounts that cannot be fully determined or recovered. First, the affected stores will suffer the loss of their tobacco product sales. The affected Walgreens stores will also have to dismantle their display structures that contain the tobacco products and replace them with something else at a cost not yet determined.
- 32. Second, once the Ordinance takes effect, each of plaintiff's affected stores will also suffer the loss of ancillary purchases made by the customer at the time of the purchase of the tobacco products. Lost ancillary sales among Walgreens' San Francisco stores will be in the millions of dollars, the precise amount of which for future years will be difficult to ascertain for purposes of ascertaining adequate relief.
- 33. The Ordinance will also cause plaintiff substantial and irreparable harm in the form of lost customer goodwill. If Walgreens is forced to stop selling tobacco products, customers of those products will begin shopping elsewhere for those items, and there is a substantial risk that a number of them will begin to patronize those of Walgreens' competitors that have a pharmacy and offer tobacco products and the same types of goods as Walgreens. The amount of these lost sales is extremely difficult to ascertain.
- 34. If the ordinance takes effect, the public will also be irreparably harmed because unlike some retail establishments that sell cigarettes, Walgreens also offers smoking cessation products, to which tobacco product consumers are introduced when they shop at Walgreens. Once tobacco products are no longer sold at Walgreens stores, consumers of those products may not be introduced to similar smoking cessation products at the time of purchase.

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FIRST CAUSE OF ACTION

Equal Protection Under the U.S. Constitution

(Against All Defendants)

- Plaintiff incorporates by reference paragraphs 1 through 34, inclusive, as though fully set forth herein.
- 36. The Fourteenth Amendment to the United States Constitution provides, "No state shall ... deny to any person within its jurisdiction the equal protection of the laws." (U.S. Const., 14th Amend., § 1.) The equal protection guarantee extends to corporations as well as persons.
- 37. The Ordinance prohibits some retail establishments with pharmacies from selling tobacco products, but arbitrarily exempts from this prohibition other retail establishments with pharmacies, namely, general grocery stores and big box stores, in violation of the Equal Protection Clause of the Fourteenth Amendment to the U.S. Constitution.
- 38. As such, the Ordinance treats similarly situated entities differently and arbitrarily, and irrationally distinguishes between them.
- 39. Accordingly, plaintiff contends that the Ordinance violates the Equal Protection Clause of the Fourteenth Amendment to the U.S. Constitution and that it is therefore invalid and may not be enforced.
- 40. Plaintiff is informed and believes and thereon alleges that defendants contend that the Ordinance is valid and constitutional.
- 41. Consequently, there exists a present and actual controversy between the parties requiring this Court to adjudicate their respective rights and duties. Plaintiff seeks a declaration that the Ordinance violates the Equal Protection guarantee provided in the U.S. Constitution, and therefore is invalid and may not be enforced.
- 42. In addition, unless defendants are preliminarily and permanently enjoined from enforcing the Ordinance, Plaintiff will suffer grave and irreparable injury to its property.

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SECOND CAUSE OF ACTION

Equal Protection Under the California Constitution

(Against All Defendants)

- Plaintiff incorporates by reference paragraphs 1 through 34, inclusive, as though fully 43. set forth herein.
- 44. The California Constitution expressly prohibits the "depriv[ation] of ... equal protection of the laws." (Cal. Const., art. I, § 7.)
- 45. The Ordinance prohibits some retail establishments with pharmacies from selling tobacco products, but arbitrarily exempts from this prohibition other retail establishments with pharmacies, namely, general grocery stores and big box stores, in violation of the Equal Protection Clause of the California Constitution.
- As such, the Ordinance treats similarly situated entities differently and arbitrarily, and 46. irrationally, distinguishes between them.
- Accordingly, plaintiff contends that the Ordinance violates the Equal Protection 47. guarantee of the California Constitution and that it is therefore invalid and may not be enforced.
- Plaintiff is informed and believes and thereon alleges that defendants contend that the 48. Ordinance is valid and constitutional.
- 49. Consequently, there exists a present and actual controversy between the parties requiring this Court to adjudicate their respective rights and duties. Plaintiff seeks a declaration that the Ordinance violates the Equal Protection guarantee of the California Constitution and that it is therefore invalid and may not be enforced.
- In addition, unless defendants are preliminarily and permanently enjoined from 50. enforcing the Ordinance, plaintiff will suffer grave and irreparable injury to its property.

THIRD CAUSE OF ACTION

Proposition I

(Against All Defendants)

51. Plaintiff incorporates by reference paragraphs 1 through 34, inclusive, as though fully set forth herein.

- 52. In November of 2002, the voters of San Francisco passed Proposition I, which added sections to the San Francisco Administrative Code that required that San Francisco create an Office of Economic Analysis ("OEA") to analyze the economic impact of prospective legislation. (San Francisco Administrative Code, Ch. 10, Art. IV, § 10.31, available at http://www.sfgov.org/site/economic page.asp?id=37966.) Proposition I sets forth that "The Office of Economic Analysis . . . shall identify and report on all legislation introduced at the Board of Supervisors that might have a material economic impact on the City, as determined by the Office[,]" and requires that the analysis be submitted to the defendant Board of Supervisors prior to the legislation being heard in committee. (Id., § 10.32.)
- 53. The principal purpose of Proposition I is to analyze the likely impacts of the proposed legislation on "business attraction and retention, job creation, tax and fee revenues to the City, and other matters relating to the overall economic health of the City." (San Francisco Administrative Code, Ch. 10, Art. IV, § 10.32.)
- 54. In the case of the Ordinance, the OEA did not issue a report on the Ordinance's likely economic impact on the City and County of San Francisco, notwithstanding, inter alia, that the number of independent pharmacies in San Francisco has been diminishing and the likelihood that they will not increase if a material source of sales is prohibited.
- 55. Plaintiff is further informed and believes that in determining that there would be no economic impact and thus no need for a report, the OEA only considered the Ordinance's effect on the pricing of cigarettes and failed to consider the Ordinance's impact on business attraction and retention, job creation and retention, or the total loss of tax and fee revenues to the City and County of San Francisco.
- 56. The OEA's incomplete evaluation was an abuse of discretion and led to an arbitrary conclusion that it did not have to prepare a report.
- 57. As a result, the Ordinance was enacted in violation of Proposition I such that the relevant information involving the Ordinance's economic impact was not placed before the defendant Board of Supervisors before passage. Accordingly, the Ordinance is invalid by reason of its enactment in violation of voter-approved Proposition I.

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- 58. Accordingly, plaintiff contends that the Ordinance was adopted in violation of Proposition I and therefore is invalid and may not be enforced.
- 59. Plaintiff is informed and believes and thereon alleges that defendants contend that the Ordinance was not adopted in violation of Proposition I and is valid.
- 60. Consequently, there exists a present and actual controversy between the parties requiring this Court to adjudicate their respective rights and duties. Plaintiff seeks a declaration that the Ordinance was enacted in violation of Proposition I and therefore is invalid and may not be enforced.
- 61. In addition, unless defendants are preliminarily and permanently enjoined from enforcing the Ordinance, Plaintiff will suffer grave and irreparable injury to its property.

PRAYER FOR RELIEF

WHEREFORE, plaintiff prays for judgment against all defendants as follows:

- 1. A declaratory judgment in plaintiff's favor declaring that the Ordinance is unconstitutional under the Equal Protection Clause of the Fourteenth Amendment to the United States Constitution and/or the Equal Protection Clause of the California Constitution and that it is therefore invalid and may not be enforced;
- 2. A declaratory judgment in plaintiff's favor declaring that the Ordinance was adopted in violation of San Francisco's Proposition I and that it is therefore invalid and may not be enforced;
- 3. An order preliminarily and permanently enjoining defendants, and anyone acting under the authority of or on behalf of defendants, from enforcing or implementing the Ordinance;

1	4.	An award of attorney fees to	the extent permitted by applicable statute; and
2	5.	Such other and further relief	f as this Court may deem just and proper.
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Exhibit A

[Prohibiting Pharmacies From Selling Tobacco Products.]

FILE NO. 080594

ORDINANCE NO. 194-08

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Ordinance amending the San Francisco Health Code by amending Section 1009.53 and adding Section 1009.60 and Article 19J, to prohibit pharmacies from selling tobacco products.

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Note:

Additions are <u>single-underline italics Times New Roman</u>; deletions are <u>strikethrough italics Times New Roman</u>. Board amendment additions are <u>double underlined</u>. Board amendment deletions are <u>strikethrough normal</u>.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco:

Section 1. Findings.

The Board of Supervisors hereby finds and declares as follows:

- 1. Tobacco is the leading cause of preventable death in the United States and the leading risk factor contributing to the burden of disease in the world's high-income countries;
- 2. In addition to its health impact, tobacco related death and disease has an economic impact. In 1999, the economic costs of smoking in California were estimated to be \$475 per resident or \$3,331 per smoker, for a total of nearly \$15.8 billion in smoking-related costs (1999 dollars). Those same costs in 2008 dollars would be \$614 per resident or \$4,310 per smoker for a total of nearly \$20.4 billion dollars;
- 3. Twenty-three percent of San Franciscans have been diagnosed with high blood pressure. The National Heart Lung and Blood Institute's guidelines for the use of prescription drugs in the treatment of high blood pressure call for smoking cessation;
- 4. Twenty percent of San Franciscans have been diagnosed with high cholesterol. The National Heart Lung and Blood Institute's guidelines for the use of prescription drugs in the treatment of high cholesterol call for smoking cessation;

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5. The American Diabetes Association's standards of medical care in diabetes call for smoking cessation as well as prescription drug therapy;

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- 6. Thirteen percent of San Franciscans have asthma. The National Heart Lung and Blood Institute's guidelines for the use of prescription drugs in the treatment of asthma call for avoidance of tobacco smoke;
- 7. Through the sale of tobacco products, pharmacies convey tacit approval of the purchase and use of tobacco products. This approval sends a mixed message to consumers who generally patronize pharmacies for health care services;
- 8. In 1970, The American Pharmaceutical Association stated that mass display of cigarettes in pharmacies is in direct contradiction to the role of a pharmacy as a public health facility;
- 9. The Tobacco Education and Research Oversight Committee for California, as well as the American Pharmacists Association, the California Pharmacists Association, and the California Medical Association have called for the adoption of state and local prohibitions of tobacco sales in drugstores and pharmacies;
- 10. A majority (78%) of independently owned pharmacies in California have become tobacco free; however, tobacco products are still sold by 94% of chain drugstores;
- 11. Of the independently owned pharmacies that are tobacco-free, 88% report they have experienced either no loss or an increase in business since removing tobacco from their shelves;
- 12. An overwhelming percentage of California consumers (96.8%) indicate that they would continue to patronize their pharmacy or drugstore as often or more often if it stopped selling tobacco products;

13. A large majority (72.3%) of California consumers are opposed to the sale of tobacco products in drugstores and nearly one-half of California smokers (49.7%) disagree or strongly disagree that tobacco products should be sold through drugstores;

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- 14. Only 13.2% of chain drugstore pharmacists are in favor of the sale of tobacco products in drugstores;
- 15. In a 2003-2004 national survey of pharmacy students, nearly three-quarters (71%) of those surveyed were against tobacco sales in pharmacies. These findings were aligned with the 2003 resolution of the American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy that encourages pharmacy schools to use only training sites that do not sell tobacco products;
- 16. Pharmacies and drugstores are among the most accessible and trusted sources of health information among the public;
- 17. Clinicians can have a significant effect on smokers' probability of quitting smoking;
- 18. Most health care institutions have adopted policies that have banned tobacco sales and created smoke-free environments. In spite of numerous resolutions and recommendations by state and national pharmacy organizations calling for pharmacies to stop selling tobacco, some community pharmacies in the United States continue to sell tobacco products.
- 19. A study of 100 randomly selected San Francisco pharmacies found that in 2003, 61% of pharmacies sold cigarettes, significantly less compared to 89% of pharmacies in 1976. Most of this decrease was among independently owned pharmacies.
- 20. In a 2003 study of San Francisco pharmacies' merchandising of cigarettes, 84% of pharmacies selling cigarettes displayed tobacco advertising.

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21. Prescription drug sales for chain drugstores represent a significantly higher percentage of total sales than for grocery stores and big box stores that contain pharmacies. According to the 2007 Rite Aide Annual Report, prescription drugs sales represented 63.7% of total sales in fiscal 2007. Walgreen's 2007 Annual Report documented prescription sales as approximately 65% of net sales that year. Pharmacy sales at Safeway have been estimated at 7.5% of annual volume. Costco's prescription sales generated 1.5% of total revenue in 2002.

Section 2. The San Francisco Health Code is hereby amended by amending Section 1009.53 and adding Section 1009.60 and Article 19J, to read as follows:

SEC. 1009.53. APPLICATION PROCEDURE: INSPECTION OF PREMISES; ISSUANCE AND DISPLAY OF PERMIT,

- (a) Application. An application for a tobacco sales permit shall be submitted in the name of the person(s) proposing to engage in the sale of tobacco products and shall be signed by each person or an authorized agent thereof. The application shall be accompanied by the appropriate fees as described in section 35 of the San Francisco Business and Tax Regulations Code. A separate application is required for each location where tobacco sales are to be conducted. All applications shall be submitted on a form supplied by the Department and shall contain the following information:
 - 1. The name, address, and telephone number of the applicant;
- 2. The establishment name, address, and telephone number for each location for which a tobacco sales permit is sought;
- 3. Such other information as the Director deems appropriate, including the applicant's type of business, and whether the applicant has previously been issued a permit under this Article that is, or was at any time, suspended or revoked.

- (b) Inspection by Director. Upon receipt of a completed application and fees, the Director may inspect the location at which tobacco sales are to be permitted. The Director may also ask the applicant to provide additional information that is reasonably related to the determination whether a permit may issue.
- (c) Issuance of Permit. If the Director is satisfied that the applicant has met the requirements of this Article and that issuance of the permit will not violate any law, the Department shall issue the permit. No permit shall issue if the Director finds that the applicant is in violation of San Francisco Health Code section 1009.1 (regulating cigarette vending machines), or San Francisco Police Code section 4600.3 (regulating the self-service merchandising of tobacco products), or if the applicant is a pharmacy prohibited from selling tobacco products under Article 191. No permit shall issue if the application is incomplete or inaccurate.
- (d) Display of Permit. Each permittee shall display the permit prominently at each location where tobacco sales occur. No permit that has been suspended shall be displayed during the period of suspension. A permit that has been revoked is void and may not be displayed.

SEC. 1009.60. CONDUCT VIOLATING TOBACCO CONTROL LAWS

(a) Upon a decision by the Director that the permittee or the permittee's agent or employee has engaged in any conduct that violates local, state, or federal law applicable to tobacco products or tobacco sales, the Director may suspend a tobacco sales permit as set forth in section 1009.66, impose administrative penalties as set forth in section 1009.67, or both suspend the permit and impose administrative penalties.

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(b) The Director shall commence enforcement of this section by serving either a notice of correction under section 1009.68 of this Article or a notice of initial determination under section 1009.69 of this Article.

ARTICLE 19J: PROHIBITING PHARMACIES FROM SELLING TOBACCO PRODUCTS SEC. 1009.91. DEFINITIONS.

- (a) "Big Box Store" shall mean a single retail establishment occupying an area in excess of 100,000 gross square feet.
- (b) "Director" shall mean the Director of the Department of Public Health or his or her designee.
- (c) "General Grocery Store" shall have the same meaning as set forth in Planning Code Section 790.102(a) or any successor provisions.
- (d) "Person" shall mean any individual person, firm, partnership, association, corporation, company, organization, or legal entity of any kind.
- (e) "Pharmacy" shall mean a retail establishment in which the profession of pharmacy by a pharmacist licensed by the State of California in accordance with the Business and Professions Code is practiced and where prescriptions are offered for sale. A pharmacy may also offer other retail goods in addition to prescription pharmaceuticals. For purposes of this Article, "pharmacy" includes retail stores commonly known as drugstores.
- (f) "Tobacco Product" shall mean any substance containing tobacco leaf, including but not limited to cigarettes, cigars, pipe, tobacco, snuff, chewing tobacco, and dipping tobacco.

Sec. 1009.92. PROHIBITION AGAINST TOBACCO PRODUCT SALES AT PHARMACIES.

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No person shall sell tobacco products in a pharmacy, except as provided in Sec. 1009.93. 1 2 3 Sec. 1009.93. EXCEPTIONS. The prohibition against tobacco sales at pharmacies in Section 1009.92 shall not apply to: 4 5 (a) General Grocery Stores. 6 (b) Big Box Stores. 7 Sec. 1009.94. PENALTIES AND ENFORCEMENT. 8 Administrative penalties shall be assessed and collected by the Director in accordance with San 9 Francisco Administrative Code Chapter 100, a copy of which is on file in Board of Supervisors File No. 10 11 and which is hereby incorporated by reference 12 13 SEC. 1009.95. EXPIRATION OF PERMIT TO SELL TOBACCO. 14 Any permit to sell tobacco issued to a pharmacy pursuant to Article 19H shall expire on September 30, 2008, and shall not be renewed if sales of tobacco by that pharmacy are prohibited 15 16 under this Article. 17 18 SEC. 1009.96. AUTHORITY TO ADOPT RULES AND REGULATIONS. 19 The Director may issue and amend rules, regulations, standards, guidelines, or conditions to 20 implement and enforce this Article. 21 22 SEC. 1009.97. PREEMPTION. 23 In adopting this Article, the Board of Supervisors does not intend to regulate or affect the rights or authority of the State to do those things that are required, directed, or expressly authorized by 24 25 Mayor Newsom

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federal or state law. Further, in adopting this Article, the Board of Supervisors does not intend to prohibit that which is prohibited by federal or state law.

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SEC. 1009.98. CITY UNDERTAKING LIMITED TO PROMOTION OF GENERAL WELFARE.

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In undertaking the adoption and enforcement of this Article, the City and County is assuming an undertaking only to promote the general welfare. The City does not intend to impose the type of obligation that would allow a person to sue for money damages for an injury that the person claims to suffer as a result of a City officer or employee taking or failing to take an action with respect to any matter covered by this Article

SEC. 1009.99. SEVERABILITY.

If any of the provisions of this Article or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the remainder of this Article, including the application of such part or provisions to persons or circumstances other than those to which it is held invalid, shall not be affected thereby and shall continue in full force and effect. To this end, the provisions of this Article are severable.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

DENNIS J. HERRERA, City Attorney

By: Cecilia T. Mangoba

Deputy City Attorney



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July 29, 2008 Board of Supervisors - PASSED ON FIRST READING

Ayes: 8 - Alioto-Pier, Ammiano, Daly, Maxwell, McGoldrick, Mirkarimi, Peskin,

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Noes: 3 - Chu, Dufty, Elsbernd

August 5, 2008 Board of Supervisors - FINALLY PASSED

Ayes: 8 - Alioto-Pier, Ammiano, Daly, Maxwell, McGoldrick, Mirkarimi, Peskin,

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance was FINALLY PASSED on August 5, 2008 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Clerk of the Board

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Date Approved