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REPORT OF COMMITTEE

Mr. President:

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would respectfully report that we have considered the same and respectfully recommend that

Committee

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MAYOR'S OFFICE

WILLIAM F. DEVIN
MAYOR

SEATTLE 4

January 28, 1946

The City Council
Seattle
Washington

Honorable Members:

Both the spirit and the letter of our National and State Constitutions guarantee equal rights and privileges to all citizens of the United States regardless of race, color or creed.

If we are to build a strong American city, these guarantees must be more than mere words. They must be made real in our civic and community life.

As a city, we must recognize and stand committed to the principle that there shall be no discrimination in employment against any citizen because of race, color or creed, and we should further foster and encourage in every way possible that same principle among those with whom we do business and among all the people of our city.

I, therefore, recommend that the City Council, through resolution or other appropriate action, reaffirm its intention to guarantee to all of our citizens these basic rights and privileges.

Very truly yours,

MAYOR

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See Res. 14192.