



City of Cambridge

COUNCILLOR WALSH

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IN CITY COUNCIL

June 12, 1989

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- RESOLVED: That the City Clerk be and is requested to prepare a duly engrossed copy of this Resolution and transmit same to Leonid Naginsky, President, ARTONA, P.O. Box 450, Cambridge, MA., 02142.

In City Council June 12, 1989.

Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members

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