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**PUBLIC STATEMENT**

***Today's Landmark Passage of Healthy Meal Legislation in San Francisco Places Children's Health Above Fast Food Marketing***

**DAVIS, Calif., November 2, 2010...** "Today's passage of the Healthy Meals legislation in San Francisco is an outstanding example of local government making the health of their citizens, especially their children, a higher priority than the marketing strategies of fast food companies.

"It is obscene for fast food companies to reward children with toys for eating calorie dense, deep fried foods washed down by sugary sodas. With this legislation, the city and county of San Francisco leads the way in bringing common sense and healthier options to their residents and sends a clear message that the health of their children is not for sale."

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