



Resolution

of the City Council

Commending William & Edith Cleary's Gift of Persian & Indian Miniatures to the Crocker Art Museum

WHEREAS, William and Edith Cleary have generously donated their inestimable collection of over 500 Indian and Persian miniature paintings to the Crocker Art Museum; and

WHEREAS, the Cleary collection contains exceptional examples of Persian, Mughal, Rajput, Rajasthani, Pahari, Kangra, Jain and other major schools of Persian and Indian painting; and

WHEREAS, the exhibition of these works of art in the Crocker Art Museum will benefit thousands of Museum visitors from the Sacramento regional community and elsewhere; and

WHEREAS, the Cleary collection represents one of the finest of its kind in the Western United States and incomparably enriches the holdings of the Museum; and

WHEREAS, William and Edith Cleary have also donated to the Crocker Art Museum their outstanding personal library containing thousands of volumes, monographs and reproductions covering the subject of Indian painting;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and the Council of the City of Sacramento that we hereby commend William and Edith Cleary for their gift to the Crocker Art Museum and to the citizens of Sacramento for enhancing the arts of our city.

ISSUED: This 8th Day of December, 1992.

JOE ERNA, JR. MAYOR

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