

**SUNSHINE ORDINANCE
TASK FORCE**



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ORDER OF DETERMINATION

DATE DECISION ISSUED: 3/4/2026

File No. 26015: Complaint filed by Jason Gibbs against the San Francisco Library Commission for allegedly violating Administrative Code (Sunshine Ordinance), Section(s) 67.15, by failing to allow public comment for up to three minutes.

HEARING AND ACTION ON THE COMPLAINT

On 2/17/2026, the Complaint Committee, acting in its capacity to hear petitions/complaints, heard the matter.

Action: Moved by Chair Schmidt, seconded by Vice-Chair Stein, to find that the Task Force has jurisdiction, and forwards the matter to the full Task Force for consideration, with no recommendation.

The motion **PASSED** by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 –

Noes: 0 – None

Absent: 0 - None

On 3/4/2026, the Sunshine Ordinance Task Force held a hearing to review the recommendation from the Committee and/or review the merits of the petition/complaint.

Action: Moved by Member Wolfe, seconded by Member Kumar, to find that the San Francisco Public Library Commission violated Administrative Code (Sunshine Ordinance), Section(s) 67.15(c), by failing to provide up to three minutes for public comment on each agenda item absent a clear reason to reduce speaker time for cause.

The SOTF urges the Library Commission to provide justification when reducing speaker time below three minutes.

The motion **PASSED** by the following vote:

Ayes: 9 – Wolfe, Kumar, LaHood, Sugarman, Anderson, Hyland, Sangirardi, Stein,
Yankee

Noes: 1 – Schmidt

Absent: 1 – Pilpel

This Order of Determination was approved
by the Sunshine Ordinance Task Force
on: 4/1/2026

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