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SENATE BILL 479

57TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 2025

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AN ACT

MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO
STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF CONSTRUCTING A HIGH-SPEED PASSENGER
RAILROAD IN NEW MEXICO.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION.--Two hundred thousand dollars
(\$200,000) is appropriated from the general fund to the
department of transportation for expenditure in fiscal year
2026 to study the feasibility of constructing a high-speed
passenger railroad in New Mexico. Any unexpended or
unencumbered balance remaining at the end of fiscal year 2026
shall revert to the general fund.

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