

HOUSE BILL 183

**44TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - SECOND SESSION,
2000**

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AN ACT

MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR MUSICAL ORGANIZATIONS PROVIDING
SYMPHONIC MUSIC FOR PUBLIC CONCERTS AND EDUCATIONAL
PERFORMANCES STATEWIDE; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

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
office of cultural affairs for expenditure in fiscal years
2000 and 2001 to fund musical organizations providing
symphonic music for public concerts in communities throughout
the state and for educational performances in public schools.
Music organizations eligible for receiving these funds are
limited to orchestras that conduct tours requiring overnight
stays as part of the tour program and orchestras that provide
day concerts for communities outside their cities of
residence. Educational programs in schools may include

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1 performances by ensembles of less than orchestra size and
2 solo instruments with accompaniment. Any unexpended or
3 unencumbered balance remaining at the end of fiscal year 2001
4 shall revert to the general fund.

5 Section 2. EMERGENCY.--It is necessary for the public
6 peace, health and safety that this act take effect
7 immediately.

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