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A MEMORIAL

RECOGNIZING CAREER AND TECHNICAL STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS OF NEW
MEXICO FOR THEIR SERVICE TO THE CITIZENS OF NEW MEXICO.

WHEREAS, career and technical student organizations are
an integral and vital part of career and technical education;
and

WHEREAS, career and technical student organizations
involve about ten thousand students statewide in skill-based
education programs, including classroom instruction, work-
based learning and community service; and

WHEREAS, career and technical student organizations
provide leadership development and competitive activities at
the local, state and national levels; and

WHEREAS, career and technical student organizations have

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1 developed partnerships with businesses, trade associations
2 and professional organizations; and

3 WHEREAS, career and technical student organizations
4 support the economy by preparing students for the workplace,
5 improving employment opportunities for New Mexicans and
6 building the students' self-esteem and confidence; and
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8 WHEREAS, career and technical student organizations
9 include DECA; FFA; business professionals of America; family,
10 career and community leaders of America; SkillsUSA-VICA; and
11 the technology student association;

12 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE
13 STATE OF NEW MEXICO that the career and technical student
14 organizations of New Mexico be recognized for their service
15 to the citizens of New Mexico.