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45TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - SECOND SESSION, 2002

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A MEMORIAL

REQUESTING NEW MEXICO'S CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION TO URGE THE UNITED STATES SENATE MAJORITY LEADER TO SUPPORT PRESIDENT BUSH'S ECONOMIC SECURITY PACKAGE.

WHEREAS, President George W. Bush has proposed a bipartisan economic security package to protect jobs; and

WHEREAS, President Bush's plan reduces taxes for low- and moderate-income households, ensuring that the most vulnerable workers will have more money in their pockets; and

WHEREAS, President Bush's plan promotes new job creation; and

WHEREAS, President Bush's plan provides three billion dollars (\$3,000,000,000) in special national emergency grants to help displaced workers maintain health coverage, supplement their incomes and receive job training; and

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1           WHEREAS, President Bush's plan makes eleven billion  
2 dollars (\$11,000,000,000) available to states to help low- and  
3 moderate-income workers obtain health insurance; and

4           WHEREAS, President Bush's plan encourages displaced  
5 workers to take advantage of more than six billion dollars  
6 (\$6,000,000,000) in existing federal job search, training and  
7 placement programs; and

8           WHEREAS, President Bush's plan encourages businesses to  
9 invest in new equipment and resources, allowing them to make  
10 purchases they might not otherwise have been able to afford;  
11 and

12           WHEREAS, President Bush's plan gives consumers more to  
13 spend and invest and gives businesses and entrepreneurs more  
14 resources to help them retain or create more jobs; and

15           WHEREAS, President Bush's plan reduces taxes for low- and  
16 moderate-income households beyond relief already approved by  
17 congress, ensuring that the most vulnerable workers will have  
18 more money in their pockets; and

19           WHEREAS, the economic security package has passed the  
20 United States house of representatives twice and has  
21 bipartisan majority support in the United States senate;

22           NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF  
23 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO that the New Mexico  
24 congressional delegation be asked to urge the United States  
25 senate majority leader to allow President Bush's economic

1 security package to receive a vote; and

2 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this memorial be  
3 transmitted to members of the New Mexico congressional  
4 delegation.

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