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HOUSE BILL 231

47TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - SECOND SESSION, 2006

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AN ACT

MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO SUPPORT FOOD BANKS STATEWIDE AND
PROVIDE FOOD FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLCHILDREN.

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

Section 1. APPROPRIATION.--

A. One million two hundred thousand dollars
(\$1,200,000) is appropriated from the general fund to the
department of finance and administration for expenditure in
fiscal year 2007 as follows:

(1) six hundred thousand dollars (\$600,000) to
increase funding for the operation of food banks statewide;

(2) two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000) to
purchase fresh fruits and vegetables for public school lunches;
and

(3) four hundred thousand dollars (\$400,000)

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1 to contract with a statewide association of food banks to
2 purchase foods from New Mexico producers and vendors for an
3 emergency food program and the food for kids backpack program.

4 B. Any unexpended or unencumbered balance remaining
5 at the end of fiscal year 2007 shall revert to the general
6 fund.

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