

1 HOUSE BILL 292

2 **53RD LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 2017**

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10 AN ACT

11 RELATING TO REAL PROPERTY; PROHIBITING THE USE OF STATE LAND  
12 FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A NEW BARRIER ORDERED OR SOUGHT BY THE  
13 FEDERAL GOVERNMENT ON THE STATE'S BORDER WITH MEXICO; DECLARING  
14 AN EMERGENCY.

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

17 SECTION 1. [NEW MATERIAL] NO STATE LAND FOR A NEW BORDER  
18 BARRIER.--Beginning on the effective date of this section, no  
19 real property owned or held in trust by the state shall be  
20 used, sold, leased, eased, transferred or otherwise disposed of  
21 for use as a site for the construction of a new barrier ordered  
22 or sought by the federal government on the border of the state  
23 of New Mexico and the Mexican states of Chihuahua and Sonora.  
24 This section shall not prevent the construction of a barrier to  
25 prevent the movement of livestock.

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