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**AGENCY BILL ANALYSIS
2025 REGULAR SESSION**

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SECTION I: GENERAL INFORMATION

{Indicate if analysis is on an original bill, amendment, substitute or a correction of a previous bill}

Click all that apply:

Original **Amendment** ___
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Date 2025-02-06

Bill No: HB287

Sponsor: Reeb, Andrea
Short TELEPHONE, TEXT &
Title: SOCIAL MEDIA CRIMES

Agency Name and Code NMHED
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SECTION II: FISCAL IMPACT

APPROPRIATION (dollars in thousands)

Appropriation		Recurring or Nonrecurring	Fund Affected
FY25	FY26		
N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

(Parenthesis () Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

REVENUE (dollars in thousands)

Estimated Revenue			Recurring or Nonrecurring	Fund Affected
FY25	FY26	FY27		

N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

(Parenthesis () Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

ESTIMATED ADDITIONAL OPERATING BUDGET IMPACT (dollars in thousands)

	FY25	FY26	FY27	3 Year Total Cost	Recurring or Nonrecurring	Fund Affected
Total	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

(Parenthesis () Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

Duplicates/Conflicts with/Companion to/Relates to:

Duplicates/Relates to Appropriation in the General Appropriation Act:

SECTION III: NARRATIVE

BILL SUMMARY

House Bill 287 (HB287) amends statute outlawing using telephones to terrify, intimidate, threaten, harass, annoy, or offend (Sec. 30-20-12) to include social media and text messages; retains the fourth-degree felony penalty. Amends NMSA 30-20-12.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

SIGNIFICANT ISSUES

HB287 may impact police departments at higher education institutions (HEIs). Note that HB287 does not include email or other electronic forms of communication.

PERFORMANCE IMPLICATIONS

N/A

ADMINISTRATIVE IMPLICATIONS

N/A

CONFLICT, DUPLICATION, COMPANIONSHIP, RELATIONSHIP

This is an amendment to Section 30-20-12 NMSA 1978.

TECHNICAL ISSUES

N/A

OTHER SUBSTANTIVE ISSUES

N/A

ALTERNATIVES

N/A

WHAT WILL BE THE CONSEQUENCES OF NOT ENACTING THIS BILL

If HB287 is not enacted, NMSA 30-20-12 will not be amended.

AMENDMENTS

N/A