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AGENCY BILL ANALYSIS - 2025 REGULAR SESSION

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SECTION I:	GENERAL	<u> INFORMATIO</u>	N
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{Indicate if analysis is on an original bill, amendment, substitute or a correction of a previous bill}

Date Prepared: 2/6/2025 *Check all that apply:* x Correction **Bill Number:** HB 314 Original Amendment Substitute

> **Agency Name** and Code

Number: General Services Department - 350 **Sponsor:** Reps. Mejia and Hochman-Vigil

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SECTION II: FISCAL IMPACT

APPROPRIATION (dollars in thousands)

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

(Parenthesis () indicate expenditure decreases)

REVENUE (dollars in thousands)

	Recurring	Fund		
FY25	FY26	FY27	or Nonrecurring	Affected
N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

(Parenthesis () indicate revenue 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

Synopsis:

HB314 revises NMSA 66-3-852 to allow law enforcement officers, department of transportation employees, or anyone acting under their direction, to remove a motor vehicle, vehicle, cargo or debris that is on a roadway or highway right of way in such a manner that constitutes it as an immediate public safety hazard.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

HB314 states that a state law enforcement officer, department of transportation employee, or anyone acting under the direction of the officer or employee, shall not be liable for any damage to the item(s) that caused the immediate public safety hazard. Since nothing set forth in HB314, as written, shall be deemed a waiver of the state's sovereign immunity under the Tort Claims Act, HB314 will have no fiscal impact on the General Services Department (GSD).

SIGNIFICANT ISSUES

PERFORMANCE IMPLICATIONS

ADMINISTRATIVE IMPLICATIONS

CONFLICT, DUPLICATION, COMPANIONSHIP, RELATIONSHIP

TECHNICAL ISSUES

OTHER SUBSTANTIVE ISSUES

ALTERNATIVES

WHAT WILL BE THE CONSEQUENCES OF NOT ENACTING THIS BILL

AMENDMENTS