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SENATE BILL 104  
**42ND LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - SECOND SESSION, 1996**  
INTRODUCED BY  
GLORIA HOWES  
  
AN ACT  
MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR TEACHER WRITING INSTRUCTION PROJECTS TO  
IMPROVE WRITING AND CRITICAL THINKING SKILLS OF PRIMARY AND  
SECONDARY STUDENTS.  
  
BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:  
Section 1. APPROPRIATION.--Two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000) is  
appropriated from the general fund to the state department of public education for expenditure  
in fiscal year 1997 for the purpose of funding the expansion of teacher writing instruction  
projects at eastern New Mexico university, the university of New Mexico and New Mexico  
state university and establishing an additional writing instruction project in western or northern  
New Mexico. The purpose of the writing instruction projects is to provide professional  
development instruction to primary and secondary school teachers to improve writing and  
critical thinking skills of primary and secondary students and to enable those teachers to  
provide instruction to other teachers. Any unexpended or unencumbered balance remaining at  
the end of fiscal year 1997 shall revert to the general fund.

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1 **FORTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE**  
2 **SECOND SESSION, 1996**  
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5 JANUARY 22, 1996  
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7 Mr. President:  
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9 Your **COMMITTEES' COMMITTEE**, to whom has been referred  
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11 **SENATE BILL 104**  
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14 has had it under consideration and finds same to be **GERMANE**, PURSUANT TO  
15 CONSTITUTIONAL PROVISIONS, and thence referred to the **EDUCATION COMMITTEE**.  
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17 Respectfully submitted,  
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24 **SENATOR MANNY M. ARAGON, Chairman**  
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1 **FORTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE**  
2 **SECOND SESSION, 1996**  
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5 January 30, 1996  
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7 Mr. President:  
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9 Your **EDUCATION COMMITTEE**, to whom has been referred  
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11 **SENATE BILL 104**  
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14 has had it under consideration and reports same with recommendation that it **DO PASS**, and thence  
15 referred to the **FINANCE COMMITTEE**.  
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17 Respectfully submitted,  
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22 **Carlos R. Cisneros, Chairman**  
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The roll call vote was 5 For 1 Against

Yes: 5

No: Carraro

Excused: Benavides, Duran, Lyons, Scott

Absent: None

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