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SENATE MEMORIAL 15

43RD LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - SECOND SESSION, 1998

INTRODUCED BY

RAMSAY L. GORHAM

A MEMORIAL

REQUESTING THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE TO ESTABLISH A  
POST OFFICE IN THE VILLAGE OF LOS RANCHOS DE ALBUQUERQUE.

WHEREAS, the village of Los Ranchos de Albuquerque has a  
population of about five thousand six hundred people; and

WHEREAS, the nearest post offices are five miles north  
and eight miles south of the center of the village; and

WHEREAS, historically and socially a community's post  
office has been its heart; and

WHEREAS, Los Ranchos de Albuquerque has existed for forty  
years but has never had its own post office or zip code; and

WHEREAS, the fact that business mail destined for the  
village is actually addressed to Albuquerque hampers the  
village's business growth and creates confusion about its  
identity and location; and

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WHEREAS, about twenty percent of the village's population is over the age of fifty-five, and its elderly citizens need a closer post office for reasons of health and security;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO THAT the United States postal service be requested to establish a post office in the village of Los Ranchos de Albuquerque; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT copies of this memorial be sent to the postmaster of the United States, Senator Pete V. Domenici and Representative Steven H. Schiff.

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7 Mr. President:

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9 Your RULES COMMITTEE, to whom has been referred

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13 has had it under consideration and reports same with  
14 recommendation that it DO PASS.

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The roll call vote was 5 For 0 Against

Yes: 5

No: 0

Excused: Adair, Gorham, Stockard

Absent: None

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