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55TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - SECOND SESSION, 2022

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DISCUSSION DRAFT

AN ACT

RELATING TO THE CRIME REDUCTION GRANT ACT; CREATING THE CRIME
REDUCTION GRANT FUND.

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

SECTION 1. [NEW MATERIAL] CRIME REDUCTION GRANT FUND--
CREATED.--

A. The "crime reduction grant fund" is created in
the state treasury. The fund consists of money appropriated by
the legislature, federal money granted to the state for the
purposes of the fund, income from investment of the fund and
money otherwise accruing to the fund. Money in the fund shall
not revert to any other fund at the end of a fiscal year. The
New Mexico sentencing commission shall administer the fund, and
money in the fund is appropriated to the New Mexico sentencing
commission to provide:

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1 (1) crime reduction grants awarded pursuant to
2 the Crime Reduction Grant Act;

3 (2) support for grant application preparation
4 and compliance; and

5 (3) planning and data acquisition services to
6 support project implementation.

7 B. Money in the fund shall be disbursed on warrants
8 signed by the secretary of finance and administration pursuant
9 to vouchers signed by the chair of the New Mexico sentencing
10 commission or the chair's authorized designee.