Fact Sheet

Area Offices: Santa Fe, Albuquerque, Las Cruces Number of authorized FTE: 304.4

Organizational units: 7 Divisions: Alcohol and Gaming, Administrative Services, Boards and Commissions (31), Construction Industries, Financial Institutions, Manufactured Housing and Securities, with 2 certified law enforcement units (Pharmacy and Securities) and 4 standalone sub-units (Re-cycled Metals, Hoisting Council, Carnival Ride Act and Employee Leasing Act).

RLD Current Initiatives:

Statewide Portal Project and enhance web-site information capabilities

RLD Business Growth Efforts:

Department wide	Increase interactive communications with regulated industries Modernize web-based services enabling the public and regulated businesses to access information directly (also reduces IPRA-based turnaround times)
	Researching avenues to de-regulate when there are no health or safety issues
Alcohol & Gaming	Decrease annual renewal time allowing for 3 periods per year Facilitate small business growth thru enhanced licensing process Clarify "Rules" to eliminate redundant or confusing language
Boards/Comm.	Working with individual Boards to reduce unnecessary regulatory burdens and encouraging the lowering of fees (most recently fees for private investigator employees was lowered from \$200 to \$50 Ongoing modernization of the PMP (Prescription Medical) program
Construction/MHD	Recent elimination of 9 licensing classifications Qualify 17 cross certified inspectors (reducing travel & industry wait times) Implemented new interactive permitting & inspection software Increased electronic plan review capabilities
Financial Industry	Support and qualify state-chartered community banks and credit unions (the bedrock of local business and community lending)
Securities	Significantly increase fraud education throughout the state via all media sources (with an emphasis on elder fraud and conducting business only with qualified and licensed entities)