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HOUSE BILL 361

**44TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - SECOND SESSION,
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AN ACT

MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO CREATE AND MODEL TEN EDUCATIONAL
ACCESS ROOMS FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROVIDING ACCESS TO
TECHNOLOGY AND EDUCATION AT COMMUNITY CENTER LOCATIONS
THROUGHOUT NEW MEXICO.

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

Section 1. EDUCATIONAL ACCESS ROOMS--APPROPRIATION.--

Two hundred thirty-five thousand eight hundred twenty-three
dollars (\$235,823) is appropriated from the general fund to
the local government division of the department of finance
and administration for expenditure in fiscal year 2001 for
the purpose of creating and modeling ten educational access
rooms throughout New Mexico. The division shall, by rule,
develop an application process for communities and procedures
for reviewing the applications and distributing the
appropriation. In developing the process and procedures, the

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1 department shall ensure that the appropriation is expended
2 for educational access rooms that offer a cost-effective
3 initiative that coordinates tutoring, distance learning and
4 parent involvement services at community locations, while
5 providing matching resources. Any unexpended or unencumbered
6 balance remaining at the end of fiscal year 2001 shall revert
7 to the general fund.

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