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**44TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - SECOND SESSION,
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A JOINT MEMORIAL

REQUESTING THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO ALLOW THE USE OF
MATERIALS IN THE CLASSROOM FOR THE STUDY OF CREATION THEORY.

WHEREAS, the spirit of education is inquiry,
investigation and study; in other words, education requires
an open mind; and

WHEREAS, the world's religions have played a vital role
in all cultures' development and history; and

WHEREAS, education is incomplete without an
understanding of the role of religion and spiritual
practices;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE
STATE OF NEW MEXICO that the state board of education be
requested to allow the use of materials in the classroom for
the study of creation theory; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this memorial be

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