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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 1  
**44TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - SECOND SESSION,  
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FOR THE LEGISLATIVE FINANCE COMMITTEE

A JOINT RESOLUTION  
PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE 4 OF THE CONSTITUTION OF  
NEW MEXICO TO REQUIRE THAT THE ANNUAL PERCENTAGE INCREASE OF  
APPROPRIATIONS FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL SUPPORT SHALL BE AT LEAST AS  
GREAT AS THE PERCENTAGE INCREASE OF APPROPRIATIONS FOR  
OPERATIONAL EXPENSES OF ADULT CORRECTIONS FROM THE GENERAL  
FUND AND THE LAND GRANT PERMANENT FUNDS DISTRIBUTIONS.

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

Section 1. It is proposed to amend Article 4 of the  
constitution of New Mexico by adding a new section to read:  
"The annual percentage increase of appropriations for  
public school support shall be equal to or greater than the  
percentage increase of appropriations for operational  
expenses of adult corrections from the general fund and the  
land grant permanent funds distributions."

Section 2. The amendment proposed by this resolution

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2 rejection at the next general election or at any special  
3 election prior to that date which may be called for that  
4 purpose.

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