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**SENATE BILL 20**

**45TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 2001**

**INTRODUCED BY**

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**AN ACT**

**MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO PROVIDE DEVELOPMENT DISABILITIES SERVICES TO INDIVIDUALS NOT ELIGIBLE DUE TO LACK OF FUNDING AND TO PROVIDE A RATE INCREASE FOR DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES SERVICE PROVIDERS.**

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

**Section 1. APPROPRIATION. --**

**A. Nine million dollars (\$9,000,000) is appropriated from the general fund to the department of health for expenditure in fiscal year 2002 in the following amounts for the following purposes:**

**(1) six million dollars (\$6,000,000) to provide developmental disabilities services to individuals not being served due to lack of sufficient appropriations; and**

**(2) three million dollars (\$3,000,000) to**

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1 provide increased reimbursement rates for developmental  
2 disabilities service providers.

3 B. Any unexpended or unencumbered balance  
4 remaining at the end of fiscal year 2002 shall revert to the  
5 general fund.

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