

A JOINT MEMORIAL

**HONORING SANDIA NATIONAL LABORATORIES AND LOS ALAMOS NATIONAL
LABORATORY FOR THEIR OUTSTANDING CONTRIBUTION TO HOMELAND
SECURITY.**

**WHEREAS, New Mexico has been at the forefront of
scientific endeavors for over fifty years and has achieved
recognition as home of the finest multi-program scientific
research laboratories in the world; and**

**WHEREAS, Los Alamos national laboratory and Sandia
national laboratories have made an enormous contribution to
the safety and security of the United States in the wake of
the September 11, 2001 terrorism attack in New York and
Washington D. C.; and**

**WHEREAS, the laboratories are developing new
technologies and improving current technologies to meet the
challenges of homeland security;**

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF
THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO that the Los Alamos national
laboratory and Sandia national laboratories be honored and
commended for their dedicated service to the scientific and
technological communities of this state and the world and for
their helping hand to the citizens of New Mexico in the
complex challenges of homeland security; and**

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Los Alamos national

laboratory and Sandia national laboratories be congratulated by the legislature for their over fifty years of accomplishments in the service of humanity; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this memorial be transmitted to the director of the Los Alamos national laboratory, the director of Sandia national laboratories, the United States department of energy and the members of the New Mexico congressional delegation.