AN ACT

RELATING TO CULTURAL AFFAIRS; CREATING THE NEW MEXICO MUSIC
COMMISSION; PROVIDING POWERS AND DUTIES; MAKING AN
APPROPRIATION.

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

Section 1. NEW MEXICO MUSIC COMMISSION--CREATED--
MEMBERSHIP--POWERS AND DUTIES--DIRECTOR.--

A. The "New Mexico music commission" is created to
protect, promote and preserve New Mexico's musical traditions
and music industry. The commission is composed of seven
members appointed by the governor who represent the musical
traditions and music industry of the state. Members serve at
the pleasure of the governor. The governor shall appoint the
chairperson and vice chairperson of the commission. Members of
the commission are entitled to per diem and mileage as provided

1   in the Per Diem and Mileage Act, but shall receive no other

2   compensation, perquisite or allowance.

3   B.   The commission:

4   (1)   shall appoint a director to carry out the

5   functions of the commission;

6   (2)   shall develop a musical directory of

7   services, venues and performances in New Mexico;

8   (3)   may propose or consider and evaluate other

9   proposals for specific projects that will protect New Mexico's

10   musical traditions or promote the music industry in New Mexico;

11   and

12   (4)   may adopt and promulgate rules in

13   accordance with the State Rules Act to carry out its duty to

14   protect, promote and preserve New Mexico's musical traditions

15   and music industry.

16   Section 2.   APPROPRIATION.--One hundred thousand dollars

17   ($100,000) is appropriated from the general fund to the

18   cultural affairs department for expenditure in fiscal year 2006

19   to support the New Mexico music commission.   Any unexpended or

20   unencumbered balance remaining at the end of fiscal year 2006

21   shall revert to the general fund.

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