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2 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE
3 STATE OF NEW MEXICO that the department of finance and
4 administration and the taxation and revenue department be
5 requested to conduct a study that identifies methods of
6 improving the statewide system of alternative incarceration in
7 local detention centers for inmates convicted of felony charges
8 who are incarcerated in local detention facilities and who are
9 serving sentences that are suspended to less than one year;
10 that identifies requirements necessary to generate revenues for
11 those methods; and that reflects the ongoing costs to local
12 detention facilities of housing inmates; and

13 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the administrative office of
14 the courts, the public defender department, the New Mexico
15 sentencing commission and the corrections department cooperate
16 with the department of finance and administration and the
17 taxation and revenue department in the study; and

18 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the department of finance and
19 administration and the taxation and revenue department provide
20 a written report of their findings and recommendations with
21 respect to the study to the appropriate interim legislative
22 committees by September 1, 2005; and

23 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of the written report
24 be filed in duplicate with the legislative council service
25 library; and

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1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this memorial be
2 transmitted to the secretary of finance and administration, the
3 secretary of taxation and revenue, the director of the
4 administrative office of the courts, the chief public defender,
5 the secretary of corrections and the New Mexico sentencing
6 commi ssi on.

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