

HOUSE BILL 728

47TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - SECOND SESSION, 2006

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AN ACT

MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE CHILDREN, YOUTH AND FAMILIES
DEPARTMENT FOR THERAPEUTIC CHILD CARE.

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

Section 1. APPROPRIATION.--Three hundred thousand dollars (\$300,000) is appropriated from the general fund to the children, youth and families department for expenditure in fiscal year 2007 to provide therapeutic child care for low-income families with children from birth to age six who have a diagnosed and documented special need. The child care provider shall serve low-income families, have a teacher-to-child ratio not exceeding three-to-one and operate a full-day year-round program. Any unexpended or unencumbered balance remaining at the end of fiscal year 2007 shall revert to the general fund.

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