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SENATE BILL 248

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

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AN ACT

MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO FIGHT OBESITY AND PROMOTE PHYSICAL  
FITNESS IN SCHOOLCHILDREN.

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

Section 1. APPROPRIATION.--Two hundred fifty thousand  
dollars (\$250,000) is appropriated from the general fund to the  
public education department for expenditure in fiscal year 2007  
to fund a pilot program in five public elementary schools,  
partnering with a nonprofit organization, directed at health  
education and physical fitness to fight obesity and promote  
physical fitness in schoolchildren. Any unexpended or  
unencumbered balance remaining at the end of fiscal year 2007  
shall revert to the general fund.

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