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- chaired by an academic with established credentials in economics and that the task force include:
- two assigned personnel from the taxation and revenue department;
- one person from the Economic Development Department;
- one person with tax experience in New Mexico and with experience in federal tax law; two persons appointed by the governor;
- two persons recommended by the military officers association of America;
- two enlisted retired military service personnel designated by veterans' associations;
- and at least one woman representing retired military service personnel widows.

Senate Joint Resolution states that that the Task Force reports its findings and recommendations to the Appropriate Interim Committee of the legislature by December 15, 2008.

A copy of this Senate Joint Memorial should be transmitted to the Chair of the Economics Department at New Mexico State University .

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

This Senate Joint Resolution may require some funding for per-diem and travel. Such a study may require a multi-year effort. Furthermore, budgeted funds might need to be used from other sources at New Mexico State University. NMSU states that this a large committee and some additional funding, as per above, may be necessary

This Senate Joint Memorial requests no funding.

POSSIBLE QUESTIONS

What travel and per-diem funds are necessary for this study, and for how long?

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