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FISCAL IMPACT REPORT

ORIGINAL DATE 03/02/09

SPONSOR Fischmann LAST UPDATED _____ HB _____

SHORT TITLE Change Las Cruces-Area TV Broadcasting SM 6

ANALYST Lucero

APPROPRIATION (dollars in thousands)

Appropriation		Recurring or Non-Rec	Fund Affected
FY09	FY10		
	NFI		

(Parenthesis () Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

LFC Files

SUMMARY

Synopsis of Bill

Senate Memorial 6 urges the Federal Communications Commission to narrow the broadcast area for the Las Cruces-El Paso television viewing area so that Las Cruces can have its own broadcasting sphere of influence.

As an alternative, the bill would also urge that timely, effective, state-specific new coverage of New Mexico be included in Las Cruces-El Paso television news broadcasts.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

This bill makes no appropriations and creates no fiscal implications.

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