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SENATE MEMORIAL 44

**50TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 2011**

INTRODUCED BY  
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A MEMORIAL

DECLARING MARCH 10, 2011 AS "SCHOOLS ON THE RISE DAY" AT THE  
NEW MEXICO SENATE.

WHEREAS, New Mexico's education standards are among the  
best in the country as judged by *Education Week's* "Quality  
Counts Survey"; and

WHEREAS, one hundred eighty-three of New Mexico's eight  
hundred twenty-seven public schools met or exceeded adequate  
yearly progress this year; and

WHEREAS, it is the goal of the public education department  
to ensure that all students succeed by rewarding progress and  
reversing failure in schools; and

WHEREAS, the public education department continues to  
recognize schools that have made adequate yearly progress for  
two consecutive years; and

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1           WHEREAS, through the hard work and dedication of teachers  
2 and education leaders, fifteen schools have earned the  
3 designation of "schools on the rise"; and

4           WHEREAS, these schools are S.Y. Jackson elementary school  
5 in the Albuquerque public school district; Miranda junior high  
6 school in the Springer municipal school district; Garfield  
7 elementary school in the Hatch Valley public school district;  
8 Grand Heights early childhood school in the Artesia public  
9 school district; Bayard elementary school in the Cobre  
10 consolidated school district; R.V. Traylor elementary school in  
11 the Lordsburg municipal school district; Nob Hill elementary  
12 school in the Ruidoso municipal school district; Middle College  
13 high school in the Gallup-McKinley county school district; San  
14 Juan elementary school in the Espanola public school district;  
15 Paul D. Henry elementary school in the Las Vegas city public  
16 school district; Pablo Roybal elementary school in the Pojoaque  
17 Valley public school district; Truth or Consequences elementary  
18 school in the Truth or Consequences municipal school district;  
19 Questa junior high school in the Questa independent school  
20 district; Rio Rancho cyber academy in the Rio Rancho public  
21 school district; and Gil Sanchez elementary school in the Belen  
22 consolidated school district;

23           NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE  
24 OF NEW MEXICO that March 10, 2011 be declared "Schools on the  
25 Rise Day" at the senate to honor and recognize the fifteen

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1 schools on the rise; and

2 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this memorial be  
3 transmitted to each of the fifteen schools on the rise.

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