

1 A MEMORIAL

2 DECLARING MARCH 17, 2015 "NEW MEXICO MESA DAY" AT THE SENATE.

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4 WHEREAS, New Mexico MESA, incorporated, a nonprofit  
5 organization, is a mathematics, engineering and science  
6 achievement program; and

7 WHEREAS, New Mexico MESA, in partnership with schools  
8 and universities, promotes educational enrichment for  
9 pre-college students from historically underrepresented  
10 ethnic groups; and

11 WHEREAS, currently, New Mexico MESA is in one hundred  
12 schools statewide and has grown dramatically since its  
13 introduction in 1982 in seven schools; and

14 WHEREAS, New Mexico MESA provides thousands of middle,  
15 junior high and high school students with year-round support  
16 and career guidance; and

17 WHEREAS, New Mexico MESA activities include tutoring,  
18 advanced study, college and career counseling, field trips  
19 and academic competitions, leadership workshops, summer  
20 programs, scholarship incentives, community service and  
21 teacher professional development; and

22 WHEREAS, New Mexico MESA provides support not only to  
23 students but also to their teachers, families and  
24 communities; and

25 WHEREAS, through the efforts of New Mexico MESA,

1 participating students receive the educational enrichment  
2 experiences and practical help that they need to achieve  
3 academic excellence and prepare for college majors in  
4 mathematics, engineering and the sciences;

5 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE  
6 STATE OF NEW MEXICO that March 17, 2015 be declared  
7 "New Mexico MESA Day" at the senate; and

8 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that New Mexico MESA,  
9 incorporated, be recognized and applauded for its dedication  
10 to preparing minority students for careers in mathematics,  
11 engineering and the sciences; and

12 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this memorial be  
13 transmitted to New Mexico MESA, incorporated. \_\_\_\_\_

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