

HOUSE BILL 226

52ND LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - SECOND SESSION, 2016

INTRODUCED BY

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AN ACT

MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE BOARD OF REGENTS OF NEW MEXICO
HIGHLANDS UNIVERSITY TO FUND RECRUITMENT AND TRAINING OF
UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS IN HEALTH CARE CAREERS SERVING RURAL AND
UNDERSERVED AREAS.

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

SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION.--One hundred thousand dollars
(\$100,000) is appropriated from the general fund to the board
of regents of New Mexico highlands university for expenditure
in fiscal year 2017 to establish a demonstration and research
program to prepare undergraduate students from small
universities for successful entry into medical school or other
related health fields. This includes a focused undergraduate
curriculum, summer science academies, remote learning, medical
school entrance examination preparation and mentoring by rural

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1 physicians and physicians associated with the New Mexico
2 Hispanic medical association. Any unexpended or unencumbered
3 balance remaining at the end of fiscal year 2017 shall revert
4 to the general fund.

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