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HOUSE EXECUTIVE MESSAGE NO. 35

The Honorable Brian Egolf, Jr., Speaker of the House and
Members of the House of Representatives
State Capitol Building
Santa Fe, NM 87501

Honorable Speaker Egolf and Members of the House:

Pursuant to the Constitution of the State of New Mexico, Article IV, Section 22, I hereby VETO and return HOUSE BILL 132 enacted by the Fifty-Third Legislature, First Session, 2017.

House Bill 132 requires the Taxation and Revenue Department to create a specialty license plate for an individual with a permanent mobility limitation depicting the permanent mobility limitation design element. The Department is currently unable to add a design element to an existing specialty plate, upon request. Instead, a minimum number of each of the 130 specialty plates available with the design element included must be ordered. The cost of these plates, plus staff time, will cost the state about \$134,000.

In addition, a mobility limitation placard is required to park in a handicap parking spot—not the license plate depicting the permanent mobility limitation design element.

For these reasons, I veto House Bill 132.

Respectfully yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Susana Martinez".

Susana Martinez
Governor

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Chief Clerk of the House