

1 HOUSE BILL 350

2 **57TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 2025**

3 INTRODUCED BY

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10 AN ACT

11 MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL SERVICE TO
12 CONTRACT FOR CONSULTING AND TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE TO AID THE
13 LEGISLATIVE HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE IN THE
14 COMMITTEE'S CONTINUED WORK OF ANALYZING AND DEVELOPING
15 SOLUTIONS TO ADDRESS KEY HEALTH CARE COST DRIVERS.

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

18 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION.--One million dollars
19 (\$1,000,000) is appropriated from the general fund to the
20 legislative council service for expenditure in fiscal years
21 2026 through 2028 to contract for consulting and technical
22 assistance to aid the legislative health and human services
23 committee in the committee's continued work of analyzing and
24 developing solutions to address key health care cost drivers.
25 Any unexpended or unencumbered balance remaining at the end of

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fiscal year 2028 shall revert to the general fund.

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