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SENATE BILL 139

42ND LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - SECOND SESSION, 1996

INTRODUCED BY

CYNTHIA NAVA

FOR THE LEGISLATIVE HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE

AN ACT

MAKING APPROPRIATIONS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO PROVIDE OR
CONTRACT FOR DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES SERVICES.

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

Section 1. APPROPRIATIONS. --

A. Five million one hundred ten thousand dollars
(\$5,110,000) is appropriated from the general fund to the
department of health for expenditure in fiscal year 1997 to
provide or contract for developmental disabilities programs and
services as follows:

(1) four million one hundred thousand dollars
(\$4,100,000) for increased reimbursement rates for community
services providers, as required by Section 28-16A-16 NMSA 1978;

(2) five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000) to
provide staff development for community service provider program

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1 staff;

2 (3) two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000) to
3 provide comprehensive support for families of individuals with
4 multiply diagnosed conditions; and

5 (4) three hundred ten thousand dollars
6 (\$310,000) to provide civil rights liability insurance coverage
7 for nonprofit service providers for the developmentally disabled
8 and for nonprofit intermediate care facilities for the mentally
9 retarded.

10 B. Any unexpended or unencumbered balance remaining
11 at the end of fiscal year 1997 shall revert to the general fund.

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