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SENATE BILL 151

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

INTRODUCED BY

BEN D. ALTAMIRANO

AN ACT

RELATING TO CAPITAL EXPENDITURES; AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SEVERANCE TAX BONDS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A RECREATIONAL PARK IN GRANT COUNTY; MAKING AN APPROPRIATION; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

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

Section 1. SEVERANCE TAX BONDS--PURPOSE FOR WHICH ISSUED-- APPROPRIATION OF PROCEEDS.--The state board of finance may issue and sell severance tax bonds in compliance with the Severance Tax Bonding Act in an amount not exceeding five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000) when the local government division of the department of finance and administration certifies the need for the issuance of the bonds. The state board of finance shall schedule the issuance and sale of the bonds in the most expeditious and economical manner possible upon a finding by the

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1 board that the project has been developed sufficiently to  
2 justify the issuance and that the project can proceed to  
3 contract within a reasonable time. The state board of finance  
4 shall further take the appropriate steps necessary to comply  
5 with the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended. The  
6 proceeds from the sale of the bonds are appropriated to the  
7 local government division of the department of finance and  
8 administration for the purpose of completing the phase I  
9 construction of a recreational complex, to include a lighting  
10 system for three baseball fields, additional picnic areas,  
11 erosion control, handicapped access and a maintenance and  
12 headquarters facility, located in Grant county. Any unexpended  
13 or unencumbered balance remaining at the end of fiscal year 1999  
14 shall revert to the severance tax bonding fund. If the local  
15 government division of the department of finance and  
16 administration has not certified the need for the issuance of  
17 the bonds by the end of fiscal year 1998, the authorization  
18 provided in this section shall be void.

19 Section 2. EMERGENCY. --It is necessary for the public  
20 peace, health and safety that this act take effect immediately.

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7 Mr. Presi dent:  
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13 has had it under consideration and finds same to be GERMANE, PURSUANT  
14 TO CONSTITUTIONAL PROVISIONS, and thence referred to the FINANCE  
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23 SENATOR MANNY M. ARAGON, Chai rman  
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