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SENATE BILL 158

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

INTRODUCED BY

DI ANNA J. DURAN

AN ACT

RELATING TO CAPITAL EXPENDITURES; AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SEVERANCE TAX BONDS FOR THE PURCHASE OF A VEHICLE TO BE USED IN NORTHERN NEW MEXICO AND TO MAKE REPAIRS TO FACILITIES OF THE OFFICE OF CULTURAL AFFAIRS THROUGHOUT THE STATE; 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.--

A. 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 eight hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$850,000) when the office of cultural affairs 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 board that the project has been developed sufficiently to justify the issuance and that the project can proceed to contract within a reasonable time. The state board of finance shall further take the appropriate steps necessary to comply with the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended. The proceeds from the sale of the bonds are appropriated to the office of cultural affairs in the following amounts for the following purposes:

- (1) seven hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$750,000) to make repairs to facilities throughout the state; and
- (2) one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) to replace a bookmobile vehicle to be used in northern New Mexico.
- B. If the office of cultural affairs has not certified the need for the issuance of the bonds by the end of fiscal year 1999, the authorization provided in this section shall be void. Any unexpended or unencumbered balance remaining from the proceeds of severance tax bonds issued pursuant to Subsection A of this section at the end of fiscal year 2000 shall revert to the severance tax bonding fund.

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

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JANUARY 24, 1996

Mr. President:

Your **COMMITTEES' COMMITTEE**, to whom has been referred

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has had it under consideration and finds same to be **GERMANE**, PURSUANT TO CONSTITUTIONAL PROVISIONS, and thence referred to the

CONSERVATION COMMITTEE.

Respectfully submitted,

SENATOR MANNY M ARAGON, Chairman

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