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HOUSE BILL 198

43RD LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 1997

INTRODUCED BY

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AN ACT

RELATING TO CAPITAL EXPENDITURES; AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SEVERANCE TAX BONDS TO CONTINUE THE CONSTRUCTION OF OR TO EQUIP OR FURNISH THE SENIOR CITIZEN CENTER AT ZUNI IN MCKINLEY 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 nine thousand dollars (\$509,000) when the state agency on aging 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

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1 sufficiently to justify the issuance and that the project can
2 proceed to contract within a reasonable time. The state board
3 of finance shall further take the appropriate steps necessary to
4 comply with the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended. The
5 proceeds from the sale of the bonds are appropriated to the
6 state agency on aging for the purpose of continuing the
7 construction of or equipping or furnishing the Zuni senior
8 citizen center located in McKinley county. Any unexpended or
9 unencumbered balance remaining at the end of fiscal year 2000
10 shall revert to the severance tax bonding fund. If the state
11 agency on aging has not certified the need for the issuance of
12 the bonds by the end of fiscal year 1999, the authorization
13 provided in this section shall be void.

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