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**HOUSE BILL 290**

**43RD LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - SECOND SESSION, 1998**

**INTRODUCED BY**

**G. X. McSHERRY**

**AN ACT**

**MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE NEW MEXICO RIVERS INVENTORY  
AND ASSESSMENT.**

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

**Section 1. APPROPRIATION. --Three hundred thousand  
dollars (\$300,000) is appropriated from the general fund to  
the department of environment for expenditure in fiscal years  
1999 and 2000 for the purpose of initiating the New Mexico  
rivers information system and conducting the rivers inventory  
and assessment. Any unexpended or unencumbered balance  
remaining at the end of fiscal year 2000 shall revert to the  
general fund.**

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7 Mr. Speaker:  
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9 Your AGRICULTURE AND WATER RESOURCES COMMITTEE,  
10 to whom has been referred  
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14 has had it under consideration and reports same with  
15 recommendation that it DO PASS, amended as follows:

16 1. On page 1, line 17, strike "department of environment"  
17 and insert in lieu thereof "office of the state engineer".  
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19 2. On page 1, line 20, after the period insert:

20 "The state engineer may contract for services for the  
21 project. "  
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23 3. On page 1, line 22, after the period insert:

24 "The state engineer shall report his findings to the  
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appropriate committee of the legislature by December 1, 2000.".,  
and thence referred to the APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCE  
COMMI TTEE.

Respectfully submitted,

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G. X. McSherry, Chairman

Adopted \_\_\_\_\_  
(Chief Clerk)

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(Chief Clerk)

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The roll call vote was 6 For 0 Against

Yes: 6

Excused: Abeyta, Porter, Wright

Absent: None

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