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

INTRODUCED BY

CISCO McSORLEY

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REQUESTING THE COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION TO STUDY DUE  
PROCESS AND JUST CAUSE STANDARDS FOR PUBLIC EMPLOYEES AT NEW  
MEXICO'S INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER LEARNING.

WHEREAS, faculty and support personnel at New Mexico's  
institutions of higher learning are dedicated, professional  
public employees; and

WHEREAS, there are no statutory standards of just cause  
and due process for faculty and support personnel employed at  
New Mexico's institutions of higher learning; and

WHEREAS, other public education employees, such as K-12  
teachers and support personnel, have such statutory due  
process and just cause standards upon signing their third  
consecutive yearly employment contracts;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE

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1 STATE OF NEW MEXICO that the commission on higher education be  
2 requested to study the just cause and due process standards  
3 for full-time faculty and support personnel at New Mexico's  
4 institutions of higher learning; and

5 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the commission on higher  
6 education report its findings and recommendations for  
7 legislation to the legislative education study committee by  
8 December 1, 1998; and

9 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this memorial be  
10 transmitted to the commission on higher education and the  
11 legislative education study committee.

1 FORTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

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5 February 17, 1998

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7 Mr. President:

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9 Your RULES COMMITTEE, to whom has been referred

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13 has had it under consideration and reports same with  
14 recommendation that it DO PASS, and thence referred to the  
15 EDUCATION COMMITTEE.

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24 Gloria Howes, Chairman

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8 The roll call vote was 5 For 0 Against

9 Yes: 5

10 No: 0

11 Excused: Adair, Aragon, Gorham

12 Absent: None

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