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SENATE BILL 796

44TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 1999

INTRODUCED BY

Timothy Z. Jennings

AN ACT

RELATING TO THE PUBLIC PEACE, HEALTH, SAFETY AND WELFARE.

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

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1 FORTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE

2 FIRST SESSION, 1999

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6 February 24, 1999

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8 Mr. President:

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10 Your FINANCE COMMITTEE, to whom has been referred

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12 SENATE BILL 796

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14 has had it under consideration and reports same with
15 recommendation that it DO NOT PASS, but that

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18 SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR

19 SENATE BILL 796

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21 DO PASS, and further recommends that it now be referred to the
22 COMMITTEES' COMMITTEE and thence the FINANCE COMMITTEE.

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24 Respectfully submitted,

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Ben D. Altamirano, Chairman

Adopted _____ Not Adopted _____
(Chief Clerk) (Chief Clerk)

Date _____

The roll call vote was 7 For 0 Against

Yes: 7

No: 0

Excused: Campos, Carraro, Ingle, Smith, Tsosie, Wilson

Absent: None

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SENATE BILL 796

44TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 1999

AN ACT

RELATING TO THE PUBLIC PEACE, HEALTH, SAFETY AND WELFARE;
ENACTING A NEW SECTION OF CHAPTER 67 NMSA 1978 TO PROVIDE
GUIDANCE FOR METRIC CONVERSION.

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

Section 1. A new section of Chapter 67 NMSA 1978 is
enacted to read:

"[NEW MATERIAL] METRIC MEASUREMENTS--CONVERSION DELAYED--
FEDERAL LAW.--The department shall not spend any money, adopt
any rules or implement any policies or programs to convert
signs to the metric system or to require the use of the metric
system with respect to designing or preparing plans,
specifications, estimates or other documents for any highway
project before the conversion or use is required by federal
law, except that the department may:

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1 A. spend money and require the use of the metric
2 system with respect to designing or preparing plans,
3 specifications, estimates or other documents for a highway
4 project that is awarded before October 1, 1997 and that is
5 exclusively metric from its inception; or

6 B. prepare for conversion to and use of the metric
7 system not more than six months before the conversion or use
8 is required by federal law. "

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FIRST SESSI ON, 1999

February 27, 1999

Mr. Presi dent:

Your COMMI TTEES' COMMI TTEE, to whom has been referred

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SENATE BILL 796

has had it under consideration and reports same WITHOUT
RECOMMENDATI ON, and thence referred to the FINANCE COMMI TTEE.

Respectfully submi tted,

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Manny M. Aragon, Chairman

Adopted _____ Not Adopted _____
(Chief Clerk) (Chief Clerk)

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FORTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE
FIRST SESSION, 1999

March 4, 1999

Mr. President:

Your FINANCE COMMITTEE, to whom has been referred

SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
SENATE BILL 796

has had it under consideration and reports same with recommendation
that it DO PASS.

Respectfully submitted,

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Ben D. Altamirano, Chairman

Adopted _____ Not Adopted _____
(Chief Clerk) (Chief Clerk)

Date _____

The roll call vote was 8 For 0 Against

Yes: 8

No: 0

Excused: Carraro, Ingle, Lyons, McKibben, Wilson

Absent: None

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