

1 HOUSE JOINT MEMORIAL 21
2 44TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 1999

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8 FOR THE LEGISLATIVE HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE

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10 A JOINT MEMORIAL
11 REQUESTING THE NEW MEXICO HEALTH POLICY COMMISSION TO LEAD A
12 STATE AGENCY EFFORT TO STREAMLINE AND STANDARDIZE HEALTH DATA
13 COLLECTION.

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15 WHEREAS, information is essential to both effective
16 planning and policymaking, as demonstrated repeatedly by
17 policy inadequacies due to insufficient correct data; and

18 WHEREAS, the Health Information System Act requires an
19 integrated statewide health data system, resulting in the
20 implementation of healthlink New Mexico that is providing a
21 foundation for and access to integrated health information;
22 and

23 WHEREAS, state government health data is fragmented in
24 its collection and retention by a variety of state departments
25 and agencies, often resulting in excessive duplication; and

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1 WHEREAS, effective use of data is impeded by lack of
2 knowledge of what data is collected and maintained in which
3 agencies and programs, confidentiality and privacy concerns,
4 and the absence of common data standards and definitions; and

5 WHEREAS, data collection and maintenance is costly to the
6 state, and duplicative reporting requirements present
7 considerable burdens to private industry;

8 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE
9 STATE OF NEW MEXICO that the New Mexico health policy
10 commission, with the support and cooperation of all affected
11 state agencies and departments, develop an effective system of
12 standardized data collection and maintenance for state
13 government; and

14 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the health data project
15 include an inventory of all health information collected by
16 the state, identifying areas of duplication and overlap; and

17 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that assessment be made of the
18 feasibility and desirability of coordination of data reporting
19 requirements, collection and maintenance and the
20 standardization of data definitions; and

21 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that attention be given to
22 reducing data reporting requirements, collection and
23 maintenance and the integration of data from different data
24 bases, and provision for data sharing by state agencies; and

25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this memorial be

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1 sent to the New Mexico health policy commission and to the
2 office of the governor for distribution to all appropriate
3 agencies.

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6 March 2, 1999
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8 Mr. Speaker:
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10 Your GOVERNMENT AND URBAN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE, to
11 whom has been referred
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15 has had it under consideration and reports same with
16 recommendation that it DO PASS, and thence referred to the
17 APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCE COMMITTEE.

18 Respectfully submitted,
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23 James G. Taylor, Chairman
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8 Date _____

10 The roll call vote was 7 For 0 Against

11 Yes: 7

12 Excused: None

13 Absent: None

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7 Mr. Speaker:

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9 Your APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCE COMMITTEE, to
10 whom has been referred

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14 recommendation that it DO PASS.

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21 Max Coll, Chairman
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The roll call vote was 11 For 0 Against

Yes: 11

Excused: Abeyta, Coll, Larrañaga, Pearce, Saavedra, Varela

Absent: None

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Mr. President:

Your CORPORATIONS & TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE, to
whom has been referred

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

Respectfully submitted,

Roman M. Maes, Chairman

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The roll call vote was 6 For 0 Against

Yes: 6

No: 0

Excused: Aragon, McKibben, Rawson, Robinson

Absent: None

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