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

INTRODUCED BY

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A MEMORIAL

RECOGNIZING THE CONTRIBUTION OF SMALL BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT
CENTERS TO NEW MEXICO'S ECONOMY.

WHEREAS, the United States small business administration finds that small businesses comprised ninety-six and six-tenths percent of New Mexico statewide employment in 1996, and small businesses accounted for all net new jobs in New Mexico from 1992 to 1996; and

WHEREAS, small businesses with less than twenty employees represented seventy-three and one-half percent of the small business growth in New Mexico in 1996; and

WHEREAS, the New Mexico small business development center network exists to serve the small business community through technical assistance, training and related services; and

WHEREAS, the New Mexico small business development center

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1 network is a partnership of the state of New Mexico, the
2 United States small business administration and the New Mexico
3 association of community colleges and is a member of the
4 national association of small business development centers,
5 which includes fifty-seven statewide and regional programs;

6 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF
7 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO that the New Mexico
8 small business development center network be recognized for
9 its contribution to the economic well-being of this great
10 state through its services to the small business community;
11 and

12 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that February 25, 1999 be declared
13 as "New Mexico small business development center day" and that
14 all directors and staff of the New Mexico small business
15 development center network be present at the state capitol
16 rotunda on this day for the purpose of recognizing outstanding
17 small business clients of the New Mexico small business
18 development center network; and

19 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this memorial be
20 sent to the state director of the New Mexico small business
21 development center network, the Albuquerque district director
22 of the United States small business administration and the
23 president of the New Mexico association of community colleges.

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6 February 11, 1999
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8 Mr. Speaker:
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10 Your BUSINESS AND INDUSTRY COMMITTEE, to whom has
11 been referred
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15 has had it under consideration and reports same with
16 recommendation that it DO PASS.

17 Respectfully submitted,
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22 Debbie A. Rodella, Vice
23 Chairwoman
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4 Adopted _____ Not Adopted _____

6 (Chief Clerk)

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8 Date _____

10 The roll call vote was 11 For 0 Against

11 Yes: 11

12 Excused: Irwin, Luna

13 Absent: None

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