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FISCAL IMPACT REPORT

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SPONSOR Campos LAST UPDATED _____ HJR 16

SHORT TITLE Curry County Land Concurrent Jurisdiction SB _____

ANALYST Hoffmann

APPROPRIATION (dollars in thousands)

Appropriation		Recurring or Non-Rec	Fund Affected
FY09	FY10		
	NFI		

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SOURCES OF INFORMATION

LFC Files

Responses Received From

State Land Office (SLO)

Office of Military Base Planning (OMBPS)

SUMMARY

Synopsis of Bill

House Joint Resolution 16 proposes concurrent jurisdiction over the Chavez Housing Areas at Cannon Air Force Base. The resolution would allow both state and the federal law enforcement operations to have concurrent authority over matters including public safety, criminal laws, public powers and tax laws.

Under the current structure, civil authorities are exclusively responsible for law enforcement. However, the local civil authorities are limited by the distance of Cannon AFB from Clovis, and by manpower constraints. Cannon AFB law enforcement can serve in an emergency situation. This bill will resolve the current limitations in jurisdictions which in some cases prevent the United States and the state of New Mexico from effectively carrying out public safety functions.

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