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FISCAL IMPACT REPORT

SPONSOR Candelaria **ORIGINAL DATE** 01/28/14
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SHORT TITLE "Multiple Sclerosis Day" **SM** 22

ANALYST Sandoval

APPROPRIATION (dollars in thousands)

Appropriation		Recurring or Nonrecurring	Fund Affected
FY14	FY15		
NFI			

(Parenthesis () Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

LFC Files

SUMMARY

Synopsis of Bill

Senate Memorial 22 declares January 29, 2014 “Multiple Sclerosis Day,” in the Senate and requests the governor declare March 3, 2014 through March 9, 2014 as “Multiple Sclerosis Awareness Week” in New Mexico.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

No fiscal impact.

SIGNIFICANT ISSUES

Multiple Sclerosis (MS) is an unpredictable, often disabling, disease of the central nervous system that generally strikes adults between the ages of 20 and 50, attacking them in the prime of their lives. 2,900 New Mexicans are living with MS and more than two million are affected worldwide.

The National Multiple Sclerosis Society of New Mexico devotes programs and services to enhance the lives of those with MS and invest in research toward identifying a cause and cure.

A copy of SM 22 will be sent to the governor and the regional executive vice president of the National Multiple Sclerosis Society of New Mexico.

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