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FISCAL IMPACT REPORT

SPONSOR Sanchez, M ORIGINAL DATE 01/28/14
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SHORT TITLE "Children's Cancer Fund of NM Day" SM 16

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 16 declares January 29, 2014 "Children's Cancer Fund of NM Day," in the Senate, in recognition of the Children's Cancer Fund of New Mexico making a difference in the lives of children and their families facing childhood cancer.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

No fiscal impact.

SIGNIFICANT ISSUES

Cancer is the second leading cause of death among children and every week one child in New Mexico will be diagnosed. The Children's Cancer Fund of New Mexico was established in 1972 to help children with cancer and their families cope with the emotional and financial needs of living with cancer. The organization supports New Mexico families by providing them with transportation and food vouchers, emergency assistance with day-to-day living expenses, and scholarship assistance to students who been treated for cancer in NM.

A copy of SM 16 will be sent to the Children's Cancer Fund of New Mexico.

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