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New Mexico Private Equity & Other Economically-Targeted Investments October 19, 2017

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- Authorized by statute, NMSA 1978, § 7-27-5
 - Often differential-rate, or "below-market" in returns
 - Intention is to "stimulate the economy of New Mexico"
 - Diminished financial returns expected to be offset by benefits attached to jobs & industry creation
 - ETIs may only be made from the Severance Tax Permanent Fund
 - Specific legislative authorizations of NM-focused investing programs in statute
 - Some programs repealed; many inactive





• ETIs currently in STPF statute:

<u>Statute</u>	<u>Description</u>	Restrictions on Investment		
	Mortgage pass-through securities, collateralized by New			
7-27-5.3	Mexico real estate	\$100 million/year		
	New Mexico business investments via Small Business Act			
7-27-5.4	or Farmers' Home Administration Act	20% STPF		
7-27-5.5	Educational loans	10% STPF, \$10 million/year		
7-27-5.13	Educational institution R&D facilities revenue bonds	10% STPF		
7-27-5.15	NM private equity funds & business investments	9% STPF		
	Small Business Investment Corporation	1% STPF, required by law		
7-27-5.17	Employers Mutual company revenue bonds	\$10 million; 10-year T-bill rate		
7-27-5.19	Deposits in NM financial institutions	20% of STPF		
7-27-5.20	Deposits in NM credit unions	None		
7-27-5.22	Correctional facility bonds	Obligations under 33-1-19 NMSA		
7-27-5.24	State capitol building bonds	\$10.15 million		
7-27-5.26	Film loan investments	6% STPF		



Investment Allocation as of 9/30/17 Net assets: \$22.95 billion



Fixed Income: 22.7% Core bonds/Core-plus12.8%Credit & structured debt4.6%Unconstrained fixed income3.1%Short-term duration1.7%Cash1.0%

Private Market Investments: 30.3%

Private equity 9.6%
Real estate 8.5%
Real return strategies 8.9%
Absolute return (hedge) 3.3%

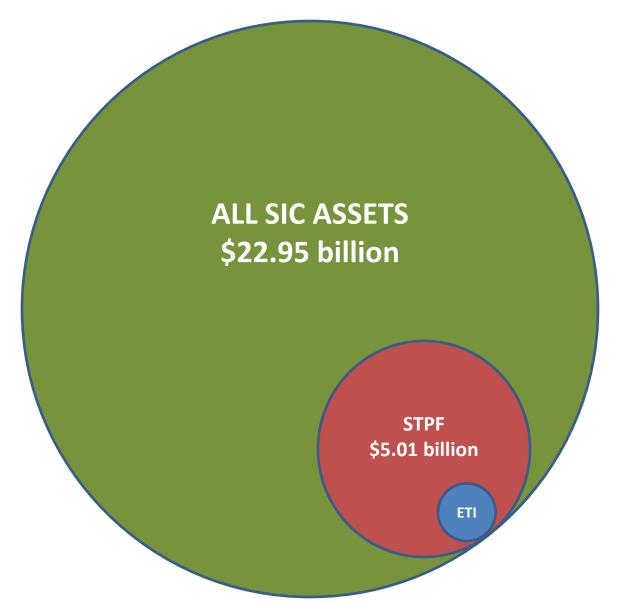
Public Equity: 46.5%

US: 26.2% International: 20.3%



ETIs in the SIC portfolio





STPF=22% of total assets

ETIs=7% of STPF, ~\$350MM





- Primary ETIs in NM since inception:
 - NM Private Equity (1993-present)
 - » Up to 9% of the Severance Tax Permanent Fund
 - » Current allocation target: 5% of STPF
 - Small Business Investment Corporation (2000-present)
 - » Required 1% of the STPF
 - » Directed by SBIC board & Executive Director
 - NM Film Loans (2001-2008)
 - » Up to 6% of the STPF
 - » Council changed loan policy structure in 2011





• Investment returns for ETIs lag historically

- STPF underperformance attributed largely to ETI-impact
- At peak of film-loan program, LFC estimated ETI opportunity-cost at \$40MM/year (about 1%)
- Under tighter controls, higher standards, STPF financial performance has improved

Annualized net returns as of 6/30/17

Annualized net returns as or 0/30/17								
	Value (\$1000s)		<u>1 Year</u>	<u>3 Years</u>	<u> 5 Years</u>	10 Years		
Land Grant								
Permanent Fund	\$ 16,2	72,205	13.0	5.4	8.9	4.8		
Severance Tax								
Permanent Fund	\$ 4,92	20,569	12.8	5.3	8.6	4.2		
NM Private Equity	\$ 30	3,293	8.9	6.3	7.2	2.0		
Other ETIs	\$ 3	7,921	-4.2	-0.3	1.4	-0.7		





- Fine-tuning ETIs
- NM private equity investment program
 - Broadening scope to address need
 - Creation of "NM Catalyst Fund"
 - » Investing in seed/early-stage start-up companies
 - » Partnering with new fund managers
 - » Creating next generation of NM tech companies
 - Statutory change improves NMPEIP
 - » Attracts other regional venture capitalists/expertise to NM
 - » Better networking, better portfolio diversification