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## FISCAL IMPACT REPORT

SPONSOR: Whitaker DATE TYPED: 02/20/01 HB 589  
 SHORT TITLE: In-Plant Training Residency Requirements SB \_\_\_\_\_  
 ANALYST: Woodlee

### APPROPRIATION

Appropriation Contained		Estimated Additional Impact		Recurring or Non-Rec	Fund Affected
FY01	FY02	FY01	FY02		
NFI	NFI	NFI	NFI	NFI	NFI

(Parenthesis ( ) Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

### SOURCES OF INFORMATION

Economic Development Department  
LFC Files

### SUMMARY

#### Synopsis of Bill

House Bill 589 amends Section 21-19-7 NMSA 1978 to change the size of a project located within fifty miles of the New Mexico border that would qualify for an exception to the In-Plant Training residency requirement from 1,500 employees to 150 employees.

#### Significant Issues

Currently, the statute requires that employees receiving training that is funded by the Development Training Fund must be New Mexico residents. This requirement is waived if the project:

- Is located within fifty mile of the New Mexico border where the resident labor force is not sufficient;
- Gives preference to New Mexico workers;
- Employs no less than fifty percent of the project’s workforce with New Mexico residents; and
- Employs more than one thousand five hundred (1,500) employees.

This bill proposes to amend the last requirement to be only one hundred fifty (150) employees.

### FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

The bill does not contain an appropriation or significant fiscal implication.

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