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46TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 2003

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AN ACT

**RELATING TO HEALTH; ALLOWING CERTAIN MINORS TO DONATE BLOOD OR
BLOOD COMPONENTS WITHOUT PARENTAL CONSENT; PROHIBITING MINORS
FROM RECEIVING COMPENSATION FOR A DONATION OF BLOOD OR BLOOD
COMPONENTS.**

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

**Section 1. BLOOD DONATION--MINORS.--A minor who is at
least seventeen years of age may donate blood to a licensed,
accredited or approved blood bank, storage facility or hospital
without parental consent. A minor shall not receive monetary
payment for a donation of blood or blood components.**

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