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**SENATE BILL 2**

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

**INTRODUCED BY**

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**AN ACT**

**MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL SERVICE TO  
PROVIDE A DISTRICT OFFICE AND STAFF FOR EACH LEGISLATOR.**

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

**Section 1. APPROPRIATION. --**

**A. Two million six hundred sixty thousand dollars  
(\$2,660,000) is appropriated from the general fund to the  
legislative council service to provide a district office and  
staff for each legislator for expenditure in fiscal year 2005  
as follows:**

**(1) one million two hundred sixty thousand  
dollars (\$1,260,000) to be divided equally among the members of  
the senate; and**

**(2) one million four hundred thousand dollars  
(\$1,400,000) to be divided equally among the members of the**

1 house of representatives.

2 B. The New Mexico legislative council shall develop  
3 policies, procedures and limitations regarding the use of these  
4 expenditures by the legislative council service on behalf of  
5 the members. Any unexpended or unencumbered balance remaining  
6 at the end of fiscal year 2005 shall revert to the general  
7 fund.

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