FORTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE FIRST SESSION, 2005

March 7, 2005

Mr. Speaker:

Your JUDICIARY COMMITTEE, to whom has been referred

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has had it under consideration and reports same with recommendation that it **DO PASS**, amended as follows:

1. On page 12, strike lines 9 through 17 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 4. A new section of Chapter 59A, Article 47 NMSA 1978 is enacted to read:

"[NEW MATERIAL] PHARMACIST AND PHARMACIST CLINICIAN--DISCRIMINATION PROHIBITED. -- All individual and group subscriber contracts delivered or issued for delivery in New Mexico, which on a service basis or on an indemnity basis, or both, provide for treatment of persons for the prevention, cure or correction of any illness or physical or mental condition, shall include coverage for the services of a pharmacist or pharmacist clinician."".

Respectfully submitted,

Joseph Cervantes, Chairman

Adopted _____ Not Adopted _____ (Chief Clerk) (Chief Clerk)

Date _____

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The roll call vote was 7 For 0 Against Yes: 7 No: 0 Excused: Beam, Marquardt, Martinez, Swisstack Absent: None

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