FORTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE SB 12/a FIRST SESSION, 2009

January 28, 2009

Madam President:

Your **PUBLIC AFFAIRS 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 2, line 3, after "adult" insert ", regardless of physical, behavioral or developmental disability,".

2. On page 4, line 2, strike ", and shall follow" and strike line 3 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof "pursuant to the procedures provided for in Chapter 40 NMSA 1978.".

3. On page 6, line 3, before "submit" insert "appear in person and".

4. On page 7, between lines 9 and 10, insert the following subsection:

"D. The requirement in Subsection B of this section that the individuals appear in person shall be waived for one of the individuals if a special power of attorney properly executed by that individual is presented to the county clerk. The special power of attorney shall include a notarized statement authorizing a domestic partnership with the individual appearing in person.",

and thence referred to the JUDICIARY COMMITTEE.

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Respectfully submitted,

Dede Feldman, Chairman

Adopted______ Not Adopted_____(Chief Clerk) (Chief Clerk)

Date _____

The roll call vote was 5 For 4 Against Yes: 5 No: Asbill, Boitano, Kernan, Munoz Excused: None Absent: None

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