1 SENATE BILL 224 49TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 2009 2 3 INTRODUCED BY 4 Lynda M. Lovejoy 5 6 7 FOR THE INDIAN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE AND THE 8 RADIOACTIVE AND HAZARDOUS MATERIALS COMMITTEE 9 10 AN ACT 11 MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR AN INVENTORY OF ABANDONED URANIUM 12 MINING SITES. 13 14 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO: 15 Section 1. APPROPRIATION. -- Three hundred thousand dollars 16 (\$300,000) is appropriated from the general fund to the energy, 17 minerals and natural resources department for expenditure in 18 fiscal years 2010 and 2011 to complete an inventory of 19 abandoned uranium mining sites in New Mexico, to characterize 20 the extent of existing contamination at those sites and to 21 estimate the cost of cleaning up contamination at those sites. 22 Any unexpended or unencumbered balance remaining at the end of 23 fiscal year 2011 shall revert to the general fund. 24 .174163.1 25

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