January 26, 2010

SENATE EXECUTIVE MESSAGE NO. 45

The Honorable Timothy Z. Jennings, President Pro Tempore and Members of the New Mexico State Senate State Capitol Building Santa Fe, NM 87501

Dear President Pro Tempore Jennings and Members of the Senate:

Pursuant to the Constitution of the State of New Mexico, Article IV, Section 5(B)(2), I am authorizing for your consideration during the Forty-Ninth Legislature, Second Session, 2010 submission of a bill enacting the Public Campaign Act; providing for voluntary public campaign financing of elections for governor, lieutenant governor, attorney general, commissioner of public lands, state treasurer, state auditor, secretary of state and state legislators; prescribing penalties; making an appropriation.

Respectfully yours,

Bill Richardson Governor

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