1	SENATE MEMORIAL 19
2	50TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 2011
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10	A MEMORIAL
11	DECLARING FEBRUARY 3, 2011 "PHYSICAL THERAPY DAY" IN THE
12	SENATE.
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14	WHEREAS, physical therapy is recognized in New Mexico as a
15	profession that brings great value to the residents of the
16	state; and
17	WHEREAS, physical therapy has been established as an
18	advanced health professional degree, subject to licensure by
19	the state; and
20	WHEREAS, more than one thousand nine hundred people are
21	licensed to practice physical therapy in New Mexico; and
22	WHEREAS, physical therapy serves the best interest of the
23	public by promoting physical fitness and wellness-oriented
24	programs and by raising awareness of the importance of
25	preventive health; and
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<u>underscored material = new</u> [<del>bracketed material</del>] = delete WHEREAS, physical therapists and physical therapist assistants contribute to the well-being of individuals of all age groups and populations by using their skills, judgments and interventions to correct impairments and functional limitations and to prevent disabilities related to movement, function and health; and

WHEREAS, physical therapy has helped members of this body and their family members to recover from injuries and make a timely return to work and school;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO that February 3, 2011 be declared "Physical Therapy Day" in the senate; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this memorial be transmitted to the New Mexico chapter of the American physical therapy association.

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