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HOUSE BILL 81

51ST LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - SECOND SESSION, 2014

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AN ACT

MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO PROVIDE NEW MEXICO GROWN FRESH
FRUITS AND VEGETABLES FOR SCHOOL MEALS.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION.--One million four hundred forty
thousand dollars (\$1,440,000) is appropriated from the general
fund to the public education department for expenditure in
fiscal year 2015 and subsequent fiscal years for the public
education department to distribute to school districts and
charter schools for the purchase of New Mexico grown fresh
fruits and vegetables for school meal programs. The public
education department, in coordination with the New Mexico
department of agriculture, shall ensure that the appropriated
funds are expended for the stated purpose. Any unexpended or
unencumbered balance remaining at the end of a fiscal year

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