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### SENATE JOINT MEMORIAL 16

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## A JOINT MEMORIAL

DECLARING MARCH 14 (3.14) TO BE "PI DAY NEW MEXICO" BY THE LEGISLATURE.

WHEREAS, March 14 can be represented by the number 3.14, the simplest value for pi; and

WHEREAS, March 14 is Albert Einstein's birthday; and WHEREAS, pi is the ratio of a circle's circumference to its diameter; and

WHEREAS, pi day's first large-scale celebration was twenty-five years ago at the exploratorium in San Francisco, California; and

WHEREAS, in 2009, the United States house of representatives acknowledged the designation of March 14 as pi day, an unofficial holiday celebrating the mathematical constant pi; and

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WHEREAS, pi day is an educational, fun-filled celebration of art, science and sharing food (pie); and

WHEREAS, New Mexico has the best art, the most advanced science and a tradition of sharing unique food that is not surpassed;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO that March 14 (3.14) be declared "Pi Day New Mexico" by the legislature; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this memorial be transmitted to Hand Pi, LLC.

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