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A RESOLUTION
AMENDING THE HOUSE RULES PERTAINING TO THE STANDING
COMMITTEES.

WHEREAS, House Rule 24-1 provides that the rules of the house may be amended by a two-thirds' vote of the members of the house or by a majority vote of the members of the house upon the recommendation of the house rules and order of business committee;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO that the following house rules be amended to read:

"9-2 The following shall be the standing committees of the house:

(Substantive)

- (a) agriculture and water resources;
- (b) appropriations and finance;
- (c) business and industry;
- (d) consumer and public affairs;
- (e) education;
- (f) energy, environment and natural resources;
- (g) health and human services;
- (h) judiciary;
- (i) labor and economic development;

1 (j) local government, elections, land grants
2 and cultural affairs;

3 (k) state government, Indian and veterans
4 affairs;

5 (l) taxation and revenue;

6 (m) transportation, public works and capital
7 improvements;

8 (Procedural)

9 (n) enrolling and engrossing;

10 (o) printing and supplies; and

11 (p) rules and order of business."; and

12 "11-27 One capital outlay expenditures bill will be
13 introduced and one general obligation bond bill may
14 be introduced in the house. The bills will be
15 referred to the house taxation and revenue
16 committee. Except as provided in this rule, any
17 other request by a house member to appropriate
18 money for capital outlay projects shall be
19 submitted as a capital outlay request prepared by
20 the legislative council service. Signed and
21 numbered capital outlay requests shall be read into
22 the journal and referred to the house taxation and
23 revenue committee for consideration for inclusion
24 in a capital outlay expenditures bill or a general
25 obligation bond bill. A capital outlay request may

1 be made by bill if there is broad legislative
2 interest in both houses in the matter or if
3 referral to several committees is desirable. All
4 such bills must be referred to the rules and order
5 of business committee for a determination that the
6 bill meets such criteria. Capital outlay requests
7 will be treated as amendments, but shall be subject
8 to the limitations for the introduction of bills in
9 Section 2-6-1 NMSA 1978 and Joint Rule 10-1."

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