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A JOINT MEMORIAL

ENCOURAGING STATE AGENCIES TO SUPPORT THE DEVELOPMENT OF AN ENERGY ROAD MAP FOR NEW MEXICO.

WHEREAS, in December 2016, the energy, minerals and natural resources department received a grant from the United States department of energy to develop a statewide energy road map over the next two years; and

WHEREAS, the development of a statewide energy road map would support partnerships and stakeholder involvement with state energy producers, including electric utilities; the oil and gas industry; the coal mining industry; the renewable energy industry; the nuclear power industry; the transportation industry; various local, state and government agencies; community education institutions; and others; and

WHEREAS, the following partners have already provided letters of support for and commitment to the development of the energy road map: the public regulation commission; the department of environment; the New Mexico oil and gas association; Cyrq energy; New Mexico's established program to stimulate competitive research; the green builder coalition; the interwest energy alliance; the independent petroleum association of New Mexico; the New Mexico finance authority; the Santa Fe green chamber of commerce; New Mexico first; the New Mexico rural electric cooperative association; the public

1 service company of New Mexico; positive energy solar; sacred
2 power; the San Juan coal company; the strategic action forum;
3 the tri-state generation and transmission association, URENCO
4 USA; the mid-region council of governments; the microgrid
5 systems laboratory; Santa Fe community college; NSE,
6 incorporated; the auto alliance; Ormat technologies, inc.,
7 and the home builders association of central New Mexico; and

8 WHEREAS, the development of a statewide energy road map
9 would assist the state in determining how to develop, by the
10 most effective means possible, a more viable energy future
11 for New Mexico; and

12 WHEREAS, the energy conservation and management division
13 of the energy, minerals and natural resources department will
14 take a lead role in a public and private partnership to
15 develop a statewide energy road map; and

16 WHEREAS, the statewide energy road map development
17 process seeks to craft planning strategies for the future of
18 energy production, distribution and use that builds on the
19 2015 New Mexico energy policy and implementation plan; and

20 WHEREAS, the current renewable portfolio standard for
21 energy production in the state will not increase after 2020,
22 and the 2015 energy policy and implementation plan provides
23 guidelines for policy development for a new standard after
24 2020; and

25 WHEREAS, the goal is to craft a statewide energy road

1 map that defines the steps required to move to a more
2 diversified energy portfolio for future production and
3 distribution and for efficient use of energy in New Mexico;
4 and

5 WHEREAS, the energy road map will be a source of
6 guidance for the post-2020 renewable portfolio standard, with
7 a potentially broader new portfolio standard, while
8 maintaining the reliability and resiliency of utilities
9 infrastructure; and

10 WHEREAS, the energy, minerals and natural resources
11 department seeks to provide policy insight and guidance to
12 New Mexico's businesses and industries through the energy
13 road map; and

14 WHEREAS, the energy road map would provide future goals
15 for economic development related to the energy sector in the
16 state;

17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE
18 STATE OF NEW MEXICO that state agencies be encouraged to
19 partner with the energy, minerals and natural resources
20 department in the development of a statewide energy road map;
21 and

22 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the state agencies be
23 encouraged to provide information to the energy, minerals and
24 natural resources department in the development of a
25 statewide energy road map; and

1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that each appropriate agency
2 provide representation for the development of a statewide
3 energy road map; and

4 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the energy, minerals and
5 natural resources department and other interested parties be
6 requested to present an update on the development and
7 progress of a statewide energy road map to the appropriate
8 interim committee by November 2018; and

9 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this memorial be
10 transmitted to the governor, the secretary of energy, minerals
11 and natural resources, the director of the energy conservation
12 and management division of the energy, minerals and natural
13 resources department, the secretary of economic development,
14 the public regulation commissioners, the commissioner of
15 public lands, the secretary of environment, the secretary of
16 transportation and the secretary of taxation and revenue.

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