

State of New Mexico
House of Representatives

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FIRST SESSION

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HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENT number _____ to SENATE EDUCATION COMMITTEE
SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE BILL
668, as amended

Amendment sponsored by Representative Matthew McQueen

1. On page 1, line 21, after "RETALIATION;", insert
"PROHIBITING CERTAIN CANDIDATES AND STATE OFFICERS FROM SOLICITING
CONTRIBUTIONS DURING A PROHIBITED PERIOD;".

2. On page 29, between lines 5 and 6, insert the following new
section:

"SECTION 18. Section 1-19-34.1 NMSA 1978 (being Laws 1993,
Chapter 46, Section 12, as amended) is amended to read:

"1-19-34.1. LEGISLATIVE SESSION FUNDRAISING PROHIBITION.--

A. It is unlawful during the prohibited period for a state
legislator, the attorney general, the secretary of state, the state
treasurer, the commissioner of public lands or the state auditor or
a candidate for state legislator, attorney general, secretary of
state, state treasurer, commissioner of public lands or state
auditor, or any agent on behalf of [~~either~~] the attorney general,
the secretary of state, the state treasurer, the commissioner of
public lands or the state auditor or a candidate for attorney
general, the secretary of state, state treasurer, commissioner of
public lands or state auditor, to knowingly solicit a contribution
[~~for a political purpose~~] governed by the Campaign Reporting Act.
For purposes of this subsection, "prohibited period" means that
period beginning January 1 prior to any regular session of the
legislature or, in the case of a special session, after the
proclamation has been issued, and ending on adjournment of the
regular or special session.

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B. It is unlawful during the prohibited period for the governor or the lieutenant governor, or any agent on [~~his~~] the governor's or the lieutenant governor's behalf, to knowingly solicit a contribution [~~for a political purpose~~] governed by the Campaign Reporting Act. For purposes of this subsection, "prohibited period" means that period beginning January 1 prior to any regular session of the legislature or, in the case of a special session, after the proclamation has been issued, and ending on the twentieth day following the adjournment of the regular or special session."".

3. On page 44, between lines 5 and 6, insert:

"SECTION 39. EFFECTIVE DATE.--The effective date of the provisions of Section 18 of this act is January 1, 2020.".

4. Renumber sections to correspond with these and previous amendments.


Matthew McQueen

Adopted _____ Not Adopted _____
(Chief Clerk) (Chief Clerk)

Date _____