

1 SENATE BILL 434

2 **54TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 2019**

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10 AN ACT

11 MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE CHILDREN, YOUTH AND FAMILIES  
12 DEPARTMENT TO EXPAND ARTS PROGRAMS IN JUVENILE JUSTICE.

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

15 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION.--Eight hundred thousand dollars  
16 (\$800,000) is appropriated from the general fund to the  
17 children, youth and families department for expenditure in  
18 fiscal years 2020 and 2021 to support and expand current  
19 programs that provide arts-based curricula to teach academic  
20 subjects, social skills and conflict resolution to children in  
21 a juvenile detention facility or under supervised release, and  
22 to provide similar programming to children after release to  
23 promote successful reintegration and reduce recidivism. Any  
24 unexpended or unencumbered balance remaining at the end of  
25 fiscal year 2021 shall revert to the general fund.

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