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AN ACT

RELATING TO STATE SYMBOLS; ADOPTING LA MARCHA DE LOS NOVIOS
AS THE OFFICIAL DANCE OF NEW MEXICO.

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

SECTION 1. Section 12-3-4 NMSA 1978 (being Laws 1927,
Chapter 102, Section 1, as amended) is amended to read:

"12-3-4. STATE FLOWER--STATE BIRD--STATE TREE--STATE
FISH--STATE ANIMAL--STATE VEGETABLES--STATE GEM--STATE
GRASS--STATE FOSSIL--STATE COOKIE--STATE INSECT--STATE
QUESTION--STATE ANSWER--STATE NICKNAME--STATE BUTTERFLY--
STATE REPTILE--STATE AMPHIBIAN--STATE AIRCRAFT--STATE
HISTORIC RAILROAD--STATE TIE--STATE NECKLACE--STATE DANCE.--

A. The yucca flower is adopted as the official
flower of New Mexico.

B. The chaparral bird, commonly called roadrunner,
is adopted as the official bird of New Mexico.

C. The nut pine or pinon tree, scientifically
known as *Pinus edulis*, is adopted as the official tree of
New Mexico.

D. The native New Mexico cutthroat trout is
adopted as the official fish of New Mexico.

E. The native New Mexico black bear is adopted as
the official animal of New Mexico.

F. The chile, the Spanish adaptation of the chili, SB 386
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1 and the pinto bean, commonly known as the frijol, are adopted
2 as the official vegetables of New Mexico.

3 G. The turquoise is adopted as the official gem of
4 New Mexico.

5 H. The blue grama grass, scientifically known as
6 *Bouteloua gracillis*, is adopted as the official grass of
7 New Mexico.

8 I. The *coelophysis* is adopted as the official
9 fossil of New Mexico.

10 J. The bizcochito is adopted as the official
11 cookie of New Mexico.

12 K. The tarantula hawk wasp, scientifically known
13 as *Pepsis formosa*, is adopted as the official insect of
14 New Mexico.

15 L. "Red or green?" is adopted as the official
16 question of New Mexico.

17 M. "Red and green or Christmas" is adopted as the
18 official answer of New Mexico.

19 N. "The Land of Enchantment" is adopted as the
20 official nickname of New Mexico.

21 O. The Sandia hairstreak is adopted as the
22 official butterfly of New Mexico.

23 P. The New Mexico whiptail lizard, scientifically
24 known as *Cnemidophorus neomexicanus*, is adopted as the
25 official reptile of New Mexico.

