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**55TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - SECOND SESSION, 2022**

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FOR THE WATER AND NATURAL RESOURCES COMMITTEE

AN ACT

MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE BOARD OF REGENTS OF NEW MEXICO  
STATE UNIVERSITY FOR THE OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF THE  
AGRICULTURAL EXPERIMENT STATION'S STATEWIDE SCIENCE CENTERS.

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

**SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION.**--Ten million dollars  
(\$10,000,000) is appropriated from the general fund to the  
board of regents of New Mexico state university for expenditure  
in fiscal year 2023 for the operation and maintenance of the  
New Mexico state university agricultural experiment station's  
statewide science centers, to be apportioned among the twelve  
statewide science centers. Any unexpended or unencumbered  
balance remaining at the end of fiscal year 2023 shall revert  
to the general fund.

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