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SENATE BILL 162

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

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AN ACT

MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE INTERSTATE STREAM COMMISSION FOR  
THE STRATEGIC WATER RESERVE.

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

SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION.--Fifteen million dollars  
(\$15,000,000) is appropriated from the general fund to the  
interstate stream commission for expenditure in fiscal year  
2023 and subsequent fiscal years to administer the strategic  
water reserve pursuant to Section 72-14-3.3 NMSA 1978. Any  
unexpended or unencumbered balance remaining at the end of a  
fiscal year shall not revert to the general fund.

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