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SENATE BILL 191

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

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MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FROM THE APPROPRIATION CONTINGENCY FUND  
TO PROMOTE TOURISM AND PROVIDE FOR HOSPITALITY WORKFORCE  
PROGRAMS.

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

**SECTION 1. APPROPRIATIONS.--**

A. The following amounts are appropriated from the  
appropriation contingency fund for expenditure in fiscal year  
2023:

(1) ten million dollars (\$10,000,000) to the  
tourism department to develop a cooperative event attraction  
and promotion program supporting local governments and  
destination marketing organizations; and

(2) seven million five hundred thousand  
dollars (\$7,500,000) to the workforce solutions department for

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1 the hospitality training and retention reimbursement program.

2 B. Any unexpended or unencumbered balance remaining  
3 at the end of fiscal year 2023 shall revert to the  
4 appropriation contingency fund.

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