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HOUSE MEMORIAL 78

56TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 2023

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A MEMORIAL

DECLARING MARCH 2, 2023 "NEW MEXICO ATHLETIC TRAINERS' DAY" IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

WHEREAS, the New Mexico athletic trainers' association was founded in 1983 as an organization committed to the education of its members and the enhancement of the profession of athletic training, creating better health care for the population it serves; and

WHEREAS, the New Mexico athletic trainers' association is composed of certified athletic trainers from professional, collegiate and high school teams, industries, physician offices, rehabilitation clinics and every branch of the United States military working together to promote and practice the profession of athletic training in New Mexico; and

WHEREAS, athletic trainers have a long history of

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1 providing quality health care for athletes and persons engaged
2 in regular physical activity; and

3 WHEREAS, athletic trainers are highly skilled health care
4 professionals who specialize in immediate, acute and emergency
5 care; examination, assessment and diagnosis; injury prevention;
6 risk management; therapeutic intervention; and rehabilitation
7 of injury and illness; and

8 WHEREAS, the national athletic trainers' association
9 represents and supports more than forty-five thousand members
10 of the athletic training profession, including two hundred
11 eight athletic trainers in New Mexico; and

12 WHEREAS, the national athletic trainers' association and
13 the New Mexico athletic trainers' association celebrate
14 national athletic training month every March; and

15 WHEREAS, leading organizations concerned with athletic
16 training and health care have united in a common commitment to
17 raise public awareness of the importance of the profession of
18 athletic training and the role of athletic trainers in the
19 provision of quality health care services, including those
20 participating in the annual legislative hoops for hope
21 basketball game; and

22 WHEREAS, the New Mexico house of representatives supports
23 improved health care for athletes and everyone who engages in
24 physical activity;

25 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF

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1 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO that March 2, 2023
2 be recognized as "New Mexico Athletic Trainers' Day" in the
3 house of representatives; and

4 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the house of representatives
5 recognize New Mexico athletic trainers for their honorable work
6 in keeping the community healthy; and

7 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this memorial be
8 transmitted to the New Mexico athletic trainers' association
9 and the national athletic trainers' association.