

LFC Requester:

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AGENCY BILL ANALYSIS - 2026 REGULAR SESSION

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AgencyAnalysis.nmlegis.gov and email to billanalysis@dfa.nm.gov*(Analysis must be uploaded as a PDF)***SECTION I: GENERAL INFORMATION***{Indicate if analysis is on an original bill, amendment, substitute or a correction of a previous bill}*Date Prepared: 1/28/26

Check all that apply:

Bill Number: HMI3Original Correction Amendment Substitute

Sponsor: <u>Andrea Romero & Christine Chandgler</u> Short Title: <u>10- Year Criminal Justice Plan</u>	Agency Name and Code Number: <u>770- NMCD</u> Person Writing: <u>A. Griego Quintana</u> Phone: <u>505-479-2296</u> Email: <u>Anisa.griego-quinta@cd.nm.gov</u>
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SECTION II: FISCAL IMPACT**APPROPRIATION (dollars in thousands)**

Appropriation		Recurring or Nonrecurring	Fund Affected
FY26	FY27		

REVENUE (dollars in thousands)

Estimated Revenue			Recurring or Nonrecurring	Fund Affected
FY26	FY27	FY28		

(Parenthesis () indicate revenue decreases)

ESTIMATED ADDITIONAL OPERATING BUDGET IMPACT (dollars in thousands)

	FY26	FY27	FY28	3 Year Total Cost	Recurring or Nonrecurring	Fund Affected
Total	0	0	0	0	N/A	N/A

(Parenthesis () Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

Duplicates/Conflicts with/Companion to/Relates to:
 Duplicates/Relates to Appropriation in the General Appropriation Act

SECTION III: NARRATIVE

BILL SUMMARY

Synopsis: House Memorial 13 requests that the Legislative Finance Committee convene a task force to develop a ten-year plan and funding strategy to address and modernize systemic problems in the New Mexico criminal justice system that interfere with system performance, public safety and equal justice under the law.

Requests that copies of this memorial be transmitted to the staff of the Legislative Finance Committee, the Office of the Governor, the Attorney General, the Administrative Office of the Courts, the Administrative Office of the District Attorneys and the Chief Public Defender.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

Note: major assumptions underlying fiscal impact should be documented.

Note: if additional operating budget impact is estimated, assumptions and calculations should be reported in this section.

SIGNIFICANT ISSUES

None

PERFORMANCE IMPLICATIONS

None

ADMINISTRATIVE IMPLICATIONS

House Memorial 13 contemplates a multi-year, cross-agency planning effort that includes consideration of workforce development, training standards, and long-term system governance. NMCD acknowledges the challenges identified in the memorial and supports collaborative efforts to improve systemwide performance.

Should a task force be convened, NMCD would make appropriate staff available to participate in an advisory capacity and provide operational expertise. Because the memorial envisions potential structural reforms, including changes to how training, education, and professional standards are developed across the justice system, NMCD has a significant interest in ensuring that corrections-specific operational realities are fully represented in any recommendations.

CONFLICT, DUPLICATION, COMPANIONSHIP, RELATIONSHIP

None

TECHNICAL ISSUES

None

OTHER SUBSTANTIVE ISSUES

None

ALTERNATIVES

None

WHAT WILL BE THE CONSEQUENCES OF NOT ENACTING THIS BILL

None

AMENDMENTS

None