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## HOUSE BILL 206

## 43RD LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 1997

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## AN ACT

MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION

FOR COMMUNITY-COLLEGE-BASED EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS PROVIDING HIGH

TECHNOLOGY TRAINING.

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

Section 1. APPROPRIATION. -- One million dollars (\$1,000,000) is appropriated from the general fund to the commission on higher education for expenditure in fiscal year 1998 for the purpose of developing, expanding and supporting broad-based entry-level high technology training programs at community colleges statewide, including instructors, curriculum implementation, laboratory development, equipment operation and maintenance support. Each community college that receives funds for the program shall provide an equal amount of funding from a source other than the general fund. Any unexpended or

unencumbered balance remaining at the end of fiscal year 1998 shall revert to the general fund.

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# State of New Mexico House of Representatives

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Mr. Speaker:

Your **EDUCATION COMMITTEE**, to whom has been referred

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has had it under consideration and reports same with recommendation that it **DO PASS**, amended as follows:

1. On page 1, line 23, after the period insert the following:

"The commission on higher education shall adopt selection and rating criteria developed in consultation with the New Mexico association of community colleges and its industry partners that ensures equitable distribution of funds with respect to statewide geographic distribution and diversity of industry partners.",

and thence referred to the **APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCE COMMITTEE.** 

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