1	HOUSE BILL 956
2	43rd LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 1997
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10	AN ACT
11	RELATING TO CAPITAL EXPENDITURES; AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF
12	SEVERANCE TAX BONDS TO MAKE IMPROVEMENTS TO ALBUQUERQUE CITY
13	PARK IN BERNALILLO COUNTY; MAKING AN APPROPRIATION; DECLARING AN
14	EMERGENCY.
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16	BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:
17	Section 1. SEVERANCE TAX BONDSPURPOSE FOR WHICH ISSUED
18	APPROPRIATION OF PROCEEDSThe state board of finance may issue
19	and sell severance tax bonds in compliance with the Severance
20	Tax Bonding Act in an amount not exceeding four hundred thousand
21	dollars (\$400,000) when the local government division of the
22	department of finance and administration certifies the need for
23	the issuance of the bonds. The state board of finance shall
24	schedule the issuance and sale of the bonds in the most
25	expeditious and economical manner possible upon a finding by the

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board that the project has been developed sufficiently to justify the issuance and that the project can proceed to contract within a reasonable time. The state board of finance shall further take the appropriate steps necessary to comply with the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended. The proceeds from the sale of the bonds are appropriated to the local government division for the purpose of constructing improvements to the city park in Albuquerque to improve safety, comply with the federal Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, increase accessibility and meet the city's off-street parking requirements located in Bernalillo county. Any unexpended or unencumbered balance remaining at the end of fiscal year 2000 shall revert to the severance tax bonding fund. If the local government division has not certified the need for the issuance of the bonds by the end of fiscal year 1999, the authorization provided in this section shall be void.

Section 2. EMERGENCY.--It is necessary for the public peace, health and safety that this act take effect immediately.

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