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

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BEN D. ALTAMIRANO

AN ACT

MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO PLAN OR DEVELOP PROJECTS FOR THE USE OF WATER FROM THE GILA RIVER BASIN.

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

Section 1. APPROPRIATION.--One hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) is appropriated from the general fund to the state engineer for expenditure in fiscal years 1998 and 1999 for the purpose of developing plans or projects, including contracting with the secretary of the interior, for the use of up to eighteen thousand acre feet of water annually from the Gila River basin by water users in New Mexico. Any unexpended or unencumbered balance remaining at the end of fiscal year 1999 shall revert to the general fund.

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Mr. President:

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

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has had it under consideration and reports same with recommendation that it **DO PASS**, and thence referred to the **FINANCE COMMITTEE.**

Respectfully submitted,

Michael S. Sanchez, Chairman

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