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HOUSE JOINT MEMORIAL 71
44TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 1999
INTRODUCED BY
Sheryl Williams Stapleton

A JOINT MEMORIAL
HONORING THE CONTRIBUTIONS OF THE NATIONAL URBAN LEAGUE AND
WELCOMING THE FORMATION OF THE NEW MEXICO URBAN LEAGUE TO THE
MULTICULTURAL FABRIC OF NEW MEXICO.

WHEREAS, the national urban league is an interracial,
nonpartisan-nonprofit community service organization employing
social work, economic law, business management and other
techniques to secure social and economic equity for persons of
all races; and

WHEREAS, the national urban league has existed since 1910
assisting persons in thirty-four states across the country to
achieve full citizen participation in the opportunities of
this democratic society; and

WHEREAS, the mission of the new New Mexico affiliate of
the urban league is to assist the state by advocating public

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1 policies that improve the well-being of the state's citizens;
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3 WHEREAS, the New Mexico urban league's charge is to build
4 bridges of understanding in an integrated and pluralistic
5 society, and to increase public awareness and understanding of
6 the conditions of its constituency and to advocate appropriate
7 initiatives; and

8 WHEREAS, the New Mexico urban league, through its program
9 services emphasizes the importance of addressing the
10 individual and the family in the whole perspective of their
11 lives, and provides technical assistance to empower
12 neighborhoods and communities to fulfill their roles and
13 responsibilities;

14 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE
15 STATE OF NEW MEXICO that the new New Mexico urban league
16 affiliate of the national urban league is welcomed to our
17 state as a constructive vehicle to promote healthy change and
18 full social and economic participation for all New Mexicans;
19 and

20 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the New Mexico urban league
21 be encouraged to develop and expand programs designed to
22 strengthen growth and development and to identify the needs of
23 its constituency; to establish plans and work with existing
24 institutions to make them more responsive; to organize and
25 mobilize minority communities in developing alternatives to

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1 inadequate and ineffective systems; and to work to strengthen
2 those institutions committed to ensuring effective delivery of
3 services to all citizens of New Mexico; and

4 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this memorial be
5 sent to the New Mexico urban league.

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6 February 25, 1999
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8 Mr. Speaker:
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10 Your GOVERNMENT AND URBAN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE, to
11 whom has been referred
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15 has had it under consideration and reports same with
16 recommendation that it DO PASS.

17 Respectfully submitted,
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Absent: None

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Mr. President:

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Excused: Boitano, Garcia, Leavell, Stockard

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Absent: None

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