

1 HOUSE JOINT MEMORIAL 78
2 44TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 1999

3 INTRODUCED BY
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10 A JOINT MEMORIAL
11 ENCOURAGING EXCELLENCE AND COMPASSION IN THE CARE OF PATIENTS
12 WHO HAVE CHRONIC CONDITIONS AND FOR THOSE WHO ARE AT THE END
13 OF THEIR LIVES.

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15 WHEREAS, patients and their families in New Mexico too
16 often face pain, suffering and misunderstanding brought on by
17 chronic and fatal illnesses; and

18 WHEREAS, patients and their families can be helped by a
19 wide range of options and treatments to improve quality of
20 life and end-of-life care;

21 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE
22 STATE OF NEW MEXICO that it encourage public and professional
23 discussions and education about excellence and compassion in
24 the care of patients with chronic conditions and for those who
25 are at the end of their lives; and

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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this memorial be transmitted to the secretary of health for appropriate distribution to health professionals and health facilities.

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6 March 9, 1999
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8 Mr. Speaker:
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10 Your CONSUMER AND PUBLIC 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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22 Patsy Trujillo Knauer,
23 Chairwoman
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The roll call vote was 5 For 0 Against

Yes: 5

Excused: Hamilton, Hawkins

Absent: None

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