

April 6, 2001

**SENATE EXECUTIVE MESSAGE NO. 95**

The Honorable Richard Romero and  
Members of the Senate  
Executive-Legislative Building  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87503

Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I have this day VETOED and am returning SENATE BILL 691, as amended, with emergency clause, enacted by the Forty-Fifth Legislature, First Session, 2001.

This bill creates a joint interim legislative committee to study the feasibility of building a coal-fired or natural gas fired electrical generating facility in northeastern New Mexico. Such a change in the law is unnecessary; the Legislature already has the authority to create an interim committee--it need not enact a law to do so.

Sincerely,

Gary E. Johnson  
Governor

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