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HOUSE BILL 129

47TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 2005

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**FOR THE ECONOMIC AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT
AND TELECOMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE**

AN ACT

**MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO NEW MEXICO INSTITUTE OF MINING AND
TECHNOLOGY FOR THE TECHNOLOGY RESEARCH COLLABORATIVE.**

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

Section 1. APPROPRIATION. --

**A. Seven million nine hundred thousand dollars
(\$7,900,000) is appropriated from the general fund to the board
of regents of New Mexico institute of mining and technology for
expenditure in fiscal year 2006 for the technology research
collaborative to establish advanced technology centers based on
the wealth of scientific and technical talent that exists in
the member institutions and to create new intellectual
property, commercialize the intellectual property and create a
work force to support the enterprises based on the intellectual
property. The appropriation shall be allocated to the advanced**

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1 technology centers in the following amounts for the following
2 subjects of work:

3 (1) two million dollars (\$2,000,000) for
4 medical technologies;

5 (2) seven hundred fifty thousand dollars
6 (\$750,000) for sustainable natural resources;

7 (3) two million dollars (\$2,000,000) for
8 optics;

9 (4) seven hundred fifty thousand dollars
10 (\$750,000) for security technologies;

11 (5) five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000)
12 for digital media and visualization;

13 (6) one million five hundred thousand dollars
14 (\$1,500,000) for alternative fuels; and

15 (7) four hundred thousand dollars (\$400,000)
16 for funding and management oversight.

17 B. Any unexpended or unencumbered balance remaining
18 at the end of fiscal year 2006 shall not revert to the general
19 fund.