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FISCAL IMPACT REPORT

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SHORT TITLE Indigenous Peoples Planning conference SB SJM 83

ANALYST Weber

APPROPRIATION

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SOURCES OF INFORMATION

LFC Files

Responses Received From

Indian Affairs Department
 Department of Corrections
 Public education Department
 Commission on Higher Education

SUMMARY

Synopsis of Bill

Senate Joint Memorial 83 (SJM 83) requests federal, state, local and tribal planning agencies to cooperate and support the initiatives of the American Planning Association Indigenous Planning Division. The bill also encourages all planners that work with or for tribal communities to convene a statewide summit on indigenous planning.

Significant Issues

The Indian Affairs Department contributes the following.

SJM 83 provides statistics on New Mexico's American Indian and Alaska Native population to highlight the need for indigenous planning for the benefit of tribal communities. Further, it encourages federal, state, local and tribal planning agencies to cooperate and support the initiatives of the American Planning Association (APA) Indigenous Planning Division.

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The Indigenous Planning Division is a professional organization that advocates for a community development approach that is based upon an indigenous planning paradigm. Indigenous planning is predicated on land-tenure principles and using the distinctive worldviews of indigenous peoples to inform community development. Some of the long term goals of the Indigenous Planning Division include: developing a professional support network of planners, tribal planners and indigenous planning practitioners; develop a resource manual on approaches to community development; develop a curriculum and certificate program on indigenous planning; and provide internships for students interested in indigenous planning.

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