

1 A MEMORIAL

2 PROCLAIMING TUESDAY, JANUARY 24, 2006, AS "NATIONAL ALLIANCE
3 FOR THE MENTALLY ILL DAY" AT THE SENATE.

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5 WHEREAS, the national alliance for the mentally ill is
6 the voice for the mentally ill in New Mexico and the nation;
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8 WHEREAS, the national alliance for the mentally ill in
9 New Mexico represents eighty thousand consumers and family
10 members who must cope with mental illness; and

11 WHEREAS, the national alliance for the mentally ill in
12 New Mexico is the exemplary educator for the courts, law
13 enforcement, health care and other providers and citizens on
14 the need for treatment of and the reduction of the stigma of
15 serious mental illness; and

16 WHEREAS, Mabel Frary, now deceased, one of the pioneers
17 and leaders who founded the national alliance for the
18 mentally ill in New Mexico, is hereby honored on this day;

19 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE
20 STATE OF NEW MEXICO that Tuesday, January 24, 2006, is hereby
21 proclaimed "National Alliance for the Mentally Ill Day" at the
22 senate to honor the many advocates who devote themselves to
23 public policymaking on behalf of the thousands of voiceless
24 New Mexicans who suffer from mental illness. _____