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SENATE BILL 477

48TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - SECOND SESSION, 2008

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AN ACT

MAKING AN APPROPRIATION ENHANCING TRUANCY REDUCTION IN LAS
CRUCES AREA PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

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

Section 1. APPROPRIATION.--Six hundred thousand dollars
(\$600,000) is appropriated from the general fund to the public
education department for expenditure in fiscal year 2009 for
the Las Cruces public schools, working in partnership with the
local regional education initiative, to implement an enhanced
truancy process, taking a countywide approach to improving
attendance. Any unexpended or unencumbered balance remaining
at the end of fiscal year 2009 shall revert to the general
fund.

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