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SECRETARY OF STATE

Susana Martinez
Governor

April 6, 2017

HOUSE EXECUTIVE MESSAGE NO. 50

The Honorable Brian Egolf, Jr., Speaker of the House and Members of the House of Representatives State Capitol Building Santa Fe, NM 87501

Honorable Speaker Egolf and Members of the House:

Pursuant to the Constitution of the State of New Mexico, Article IV, Section 22, I hereby VETO and return HOUSE BILL 85, as amended, enacted by the Fifty-Third Legislature, First Session, 2017.

This bill addresses the regulation of facilities that house and provide personal care services to at least two paying adults who are not related to the owner of the facility. This bill does not require these facilities to be regulated; rather, it allows local governments to adopt model standards for regulation. Given that nothing currently prohibits local governments from regulating these facilities or from adopting appropriate standards, except the will to do so, this legislation is unnecessary.

For this reason, I veto House Bill 85.

Respectfully yours,

Susana Martinez

Governor

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