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AN ACT

RELATING TO FAMILIES; PROVIDING TO FOSTER FAMILIES, ENROLLEES OF THE FOSTERING CONNECTIONS PROGRAM AND CHILDREN IN THE CUSTODY OF THE CHILDREN, YOUTH AND FAMILIES DEPARTMENT FREE CAMPING PASSES AND FISHING LICENSES; PROVIDING TO ENROLLEES OF THE FOSTERING CONNECTIONS PROGRAM AND CHILDREN IN THE CUSTODY OF THE CHILDREN, YOUTH AND FAMILIES DEPARTMENT FREE ADMISSION TO STATE-OWNED MUSEUMS AND STATE PARKS.

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

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SECTION 1. Section 32A-3A-12 NMSA 1978 (being Laws 2019, Chapter 132, Section 1) is amended to read:

"32A-3A-12. FOSTER FAMILIES--FREE ADMISSION TO MUSEUMS
AND STATE PARKS--CAMPING PASSES--FISHING LICENSES.--

A. As provided in Subsection B of this section,

foster parents and children in the custody of foster parents,

Hfll-youth Hfll Hfll-young adults Hfll enrolled in the

fostering connections program and children who are in the

custody of the children, youth and families department SIRC-or

in tribal custody SIRC, who are residents of the state, shall

be provided for free:

(1) admission to state-owned museums and state
parks; [provided that]

(2) a camping pass for up to three consecutive nights of overnight access to a state park; and

(3) a fishing license.

B. Eligibility for free admission shall be contingent [upon] on demonstration of proof of identity, residency and status as a foster parent, [or] child in the custody of a foster parent, Hfll-youth Hfll Hfll-young adult Hfll enrolled in the fostering connections program or child in the custody of the children, youth and families department SIRC-or in tribal custody SIRC in accordance with rules of the:

[A.] (1) cultural affairs department, for free day-use admission to state-owned museums; [and]
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[B.] (2) energy, minerals and natural resources department, for free day-use admission and camping passes to state parks; or

(3) Hf11→department of game and fish←Hf11

Hf11→state game commission←Hf11 , for fishing licenses."

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