

LFC Requester:

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AGENCY BILL ANALYSIS
2024 REGULAR SESSION

SECTION I: GENERAL INFORMATION

{Indicate if analysis is on an original bill, amendment, substitute or a correction of a previous bill}

Check all that apply:

Original x Amendment
Correction Substitute

Date Prepared: 1/23/2024

Bill No: HB 200

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Agency Name and Code Number: 305 – New Mexico
Department of Justice

Short Title: Second Degree Murder
Sentencing

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SECTION II: FISCAL IMPACT

APPROPRIATION (dollars in thousands)

Appropriation		Recurring or Nonrecurring	Fund Affected
FY24	FY25		

(Parenthesis () Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

REVENUE (dollars in thousands)

Estimated Revenue			Recurring or Nonrecurring	Fund Affected
FY24	FY25	FY26		

(Parenthesis () Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

ESTIMATED ADDITIONAL OPERATING BUDGET IMPACT (dollars in thousands)

	FY24	FY25	FY26	3 Year Total Cost	Recurring or Nonrecurring	Fund Affected
Total						

(Parenthesis () Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

Duplicates/Conflicts with/Companion to/Relates to:

Duplicates/Relates to Appropriation in the General Appropriation Act

SECTION III: NARRATIVE

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BILL SUMMARY

HB 200 proposes to increase the basic sentence for a second-degree felony resulting in death from 15 to 20 years.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

None to this office

SIGNIFICANT ISSUES

None noted.

PERFORMANCE IMPLICATIONS

N/A

ADMINISTRATIVE IMPLICATIONS

N/A

CONFLICT, DUPLICATION, COMPANIONSHIP, RELATIONSHIP

SB 96 seeks to increase the penalty for attempting murder in the second degree in NMSA 1978 Sec. 30-28-1.

TECHNICAL ISSUES

None noted.

OTHER SUBSTANTIVE ISSUES

None at this time

ALTERNATIVES

N/A

WHAT WILL BE THE CONSEQUENCES OF NOT ENACTING THIS BILL

Status quo

AMENDMENTS