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DESIGNATING THE WEEK OF FEBRUARY 18 THROUGH 24 AS NEW MEXICO SCIENCE BOWL WEEK.

WHEREAS, on February 24, 1996, thirty-four high school teams from across the state will convene in Albuquerque to compete in the science bowl; and

WHEREAS, the New Mexico science bowl is a national event aimed at providing a forum for high school students to showcase their understanding of the observation, identification, description, experimental investigation and theoretical explanation of natural phenomena known to the general public as the world of science, by competing in teams against other New Mexico high schools; and

WHEREAS, the New Mexico science bowl is sponsored by Los

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Alamos national laboratory and Sandia national laboratories; and

WHEREAS, the winning New Mexico team will be awarded an all-expense paid trip to Orlando, Florida to compete in the national science bowl, which will be held the week of May 3 through May 6, 1996;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO that it designate the week of February 18 through 24, 1996 as New Mexico science bowl week; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the legislature recognize and commend the participating high school students from across the state of New Mexico for their extraordinary knowledge and love of the world of science.

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