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HOUSE BILL 32

43RD LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 1997

INTRODUCED BY

DEBBIE A. RODELLA

FOR THE REVENUE STABILIZATION AND TAX POLICY COMMITTEE

AN ACT

RELATING TO TELECOMMUNICATIONS; AMENDING SECTION 63-9F-3 NMSA 1978 (BEING LAWS 1993, CHAPTER 54, SECTION 3, AS AMENDED) TO CLARIFY INTRASTATE TELEPHONE SERVICES FOR PURPOSES OF THE TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACCESS ACT.

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

Section 1. Section 63-9F-3 NMSA 1978 (being Laws 1993, Chapter 54, Section 3, as amended) is amended to read:

"63-9F-3. DEFINITIONS.--As used in the Telecommunications Access Act:

A. "commission" means the commission for deaf and hard-of-hearing persons;

B. "communications assistant" means an individual who translates conversation from text to voice and from voice to text between two end users of a telecommunications service;

C. "department" means the general services department;

D. "impaired" means having an impairment of or

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1 deficit in the ability to hear or speak, or both;

2 E. "intrastate telephone services" means all charges
3 for access lines, special services [~~including all calls~~
4 ~~originating and terminating in the state~~] and intrastate toll
5 services, including all calls originating and terminating in the
6 state ;

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8 F. "specialized telecommunications equipment" means
9 devices that when connected to a telephone enable or assist an
10 impaired individual to communicate with another individual using
11 the telephone network;

12 G. "telecommunications company" means an individual,
13 corporation, partnership, joint venture, company, firm,
14 association, proprietorship or other entity that provides public
15 telecommunications services, and includes cellular service
16 companies as defined in Subsection B of Section 63-9B-3 NMSA
17 1978; and

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19 H. "telecommunications relay system" means a
20 statewide telecommunications system through which an impaired
21 individual using specialized telecommunications equipment is
22 able to send or receive messages to and from an individual who
23 is not impaired and whose telephone is not equipped with
24 specialized telecommunications equipment and through which the
25 unimpaired individual is able, by using voice communications, to
send and receive messages to and from an impaired person."

Section 2. EFFECTIVE DATE.--The effective date of the

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1 provisions of this act is July 1, 1997.

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State of New Mexico House of Representatives

FORTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

FIRST SESSION, 1997

January 28, 1997

Mr. Speaker:

Your **BUSINESS AND INDUSTRY COMMITTEE**, to whom has
been referred

HOUSE BILL 32

has had it under consideration and reports same with
recommendation that it **DO PASS**, and thence referred to the
JUDICIARY COMMITTEE.

Respectfully submitted,

Fred Luna, Chairman

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(Chief Clerk) (Chief Clerk)

Date _____

The roll call vote was 10 For 0 Against

Yes: 10

Excused: Corley, Luna

Absent: Varela

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FORTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE
FIRST SESSION, 1997

February 7, 1997

Mr. Speaker:

Your **JUDICIARY COMMITTEE**, to whom has been referred

HOUSE BILL 32

has had it under consideration and reports same with
recommendation that it **DO PASS.**

Respectfully submitted,

Thomas P. Foy, Chairman

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The roll call vote was 9 For 0 Against

Yes: 9

Excused: King, Luna, Rios, Sanchez

Absent: None

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FIRST SESSION, 1997

March 10, 1997

Mr. President:

Your **CORPORATIONS & TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE**, to
whom has been referred

HOUSE BILL 32

has had it under consideration and reports same with
recommendation that it **DO PASS**, and thence referred to the
JUDICIARY COMMITTEE.

Respectfully submitted,

Roman M. Maes, III, Chairman

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The roll call vote was 6 For 0 Against

Yes: 6

No: 0

Excused: Fidel, Kidd, McKibben, Robinson

Absent: None

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March 18, 1997

Mr. President:

Your **JUDICIARY COMMITTEE**, to whom has been referred

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Respectfully submitted,

Fernando R. Macias, Chairman

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The roll call vote was 8 For 0 Against

Yes: 8

No: 0

Excused: None

Absent: None

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Yes: 8

No: 0

Excused: None

Absent: None

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