1995 VETO MESSAGES OF HOUSE BILLS

H 909 LOCAL DWI GRANT FUNDS

April 6, 1995

HOUSE EXECUTIVE MESSAGE NO. 112

I have this day VETOED and am returning HOUSE BILL 909, as amended, enacted by the Forty-Second Legislature, State of New Mexico, First Session, 1995.

This legislation would establish a formula for local DWI grant funds that favors areas with heavier alcoholism problems. While this and other changes proposed to the entire DWI reform program may merit consideration, the current system uses the quality of proposals as the criterion for funding. The bill is vetoed because altering the formula might favor larger counties, regardless of the quality of funding proposals.

H 920 TAOS COMMUNITY EDUCATION PROGRAM

April 7, 1995

HOUSE EXECUTIVE MESSAGE NO. 141

I have this day VETOED and am returning, HOUSE BILL 920, as amended, enacted by the Forty-Second Legislature, State of New Mexico, First Session, 1995.

This legislation would make an appropriation of \$75,000 from the General Fund to the State Department of Public Education for fiscal year 1996 to implement a community education program for the Taos municipal schools. While I am very interested in programs that promote mentorships and inter-generational projects, the bill is vetoed because the state should look at developing such projects on a statewide basis and not just for a specific school district.

H 924 CONFIDENTIALITY OF TAX RETURNS

March 17, 1995

HOUSE EXECUTIVE MESSAGE NO. 20

I have this day VETOED and am returning HOUSE BILL 924, passed by the Forty-Second Legislature, State of New Mexico, First Session, 1995.