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Governor Richardson welcomes West Virginia Governor Manchin to New Mexico

SANTA FE - New Mexico Governor Bill Richardson will be joined with West Virginia Governor Joe Manchin III during his State Government class at the University of New Mexico today. Governor Manchin will talk about initiatives he is proposing in West Virginia in his first year as governor.

"I am happy to welcome Governor Manchin to New Mexico," said Governor Richardson. "I want to congratulate the West Virginia Mountaineers for their victory last night at the NCAA basketball tournament. I look forward to joining with Governor Manchin in a discussion about the many shared problems faced by states today."

Governor Manchin is in Albuquerque supporting West Virginia University at the NCAA. He will join Governor Richardson from **4:00-4:30 p.m. today, March 25, 2005** in **Dane Smith Hall, Room 123, at the University of New Mexico.**

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