



STATE OF NEW MEXICO
GOVERNOR BILL RICHARDSON



For Immediate Release
March 4, 2008

Contact: Alarie Ray-Garcia
(505) 476-2248

Governor Bill Richardson's UPDATED Bill Action

SANTA FE - Governor Bill Richardson today signed six bills. The following is an updated list of signed, vetoed and pending legislation:

SIGNED LEGISLATION

Action Date-March 4th

HB 168	City Of Las Cruces License Plates
HB 517	Information Technology Equipment Replacement
SB 129	Healthy New Mexico Tax Force
SB 226	Insurance Defense & Maximum Coverage
SB 391	Revise Medical Insurance Pool Act
SB 574	Native American Veteran Tax Refunds

Action Date-March 3rd

HB 236	Off-Reservation Native American Health
SB 18	Capital Outlay to Tribal Infrastructure Fund
SB 43	Winery Definitions & Taxations
SB 333	2008 Capital Projects G.O Bond Act
SB 352	Capital Outlay Project Reauthorizations

Action Date-February 29th

HB 100	Ignition Interlock Tampering Penalties
HB 140	Soil & Water District Assessment Extensions (partial veto)
HB 145	Sports & Recreation Facility Financing Act
HB 167	Birthing Workforce Retention Fund
HB 177	Medical License Suspensions & Reporting
HB 181	Behavioral Health Purchasing Rulemaking
HB 215	Eliminate Commercial Driver's License Waivers
HB 263	Sheriff's Fees for Service of Process
HB 327	County Clerk Recording Instrument Fees
HB 364	Children's Mental Health & Disabilities Act
HB 486	Fort Bayard Medical Center Replacement

HB 616	Educational Retirement Contributions
HB 661	Property Tax Valuation Factors
SB 1	Primary Ballot Access for Certain Candidates
SB 8	Housing Audit Service Purposes
SB 80	Conform Election Procedures to Federal Law
SB 81	Eliminate Election Use of SS Numbers
SB 122	Public Service Law Loan Repayment Changes
SB 127	Waive Licensure Fees for Medical Doctors
SB 145	Educational Due Process Reimbursements Cap
SB 161	NMFA Bonds For Lea County Cancer Treatment
SB 269	Polysomnography Practice Act
SB 415	Genetic Counselor Licensing Requirements
SB 421	Prescription Drug Program Expenditures
SB 532	Approve Zoning Special Exceptions Authority
SB 551	Vehicle Port-Of-Entry Requirements

Action Date-February 28th

HB 142	Judicial Performance Evaluation Fund
HB 172	Public Project Revolving Fund Projects
HB 199	Construction Industry Proof of Responsibility
HB 218	Amend Small Counties Assistance Act
HB 227	Domestic Abuse Procedure Changes
HB 237	Automatic Election Recounts
HB 245	NMFA Economic Development Fund Projects
HB 249	Community College & School District Elections
HB 275	Advanced Chiropractic Certification Registry
HB 308	NMFA Water Project Fund Projects
HB 324	Charitable Care Property Tax Valuation
HB 348	Uniform Emergency Volunteer Practitioners Act
HB 412	Revise Basic Child Support Schedule
HB 468	Faculty Endowment Fund Name Change
HB 469	Legislative Retirement Time Period Change
HB 546	Tobacco Settlement Fund Programs
HB 615	Distributions to Sole Community Provider Fund
HB 660	Solar Energy Research Park
SB 116	Raise Property Tax Limitation Income Limit
SB 174	High-Wage Jobs Tax Credit Eligibility
SB 177	Monthly Property Tax Prepayments
SB 178	Breast Cancer Awareness License Plates
SB 209	Amend Uniform Real Property Recording Act
SB 281	Sale of Recycled Metals Act
SB 353	Allow Certain Accountants to Practice in New Mexico
SB 438	Weight Distance Tax Compliance Penalties
SB 489	Alternative Capital Outlay Fiscal Agent
SB 492	Distinctiveness of Purple Heart License Plate

Action Date-February 27th

HB 184 Local Government Investment Provisions
HB 305 Utility Customer Load Management
SB 227 Pecos River Settlement Water Rights

Action Date-February 22nd

HB 33 Domestic Violence Treatment Fund Uses
HB 54 Define Probate Code "Security Account"
HB 89 Physician Assistant Requirements
HB 337 Sex Offense Victim Polygraph
HB 399 Self-Rescue Devices in Coal Mines
HB 387 Locomotive Fuel Tax Exemption Effective Dates
HB 599 Tax Refund Contribution Corrections
SB 31 Expand Schools in Dual Credit Program
SB 34 New Mexico School for The Arts Act
SB 68 Increase Domestic Violence Penalties
SB 71 Create Offense of Human Trafficking
SB 229 Real Estate Broker Insurance Premiums
SB 239 Election of Supreme Court Chief Justice
SB 242 Property Donations to Cultural Affairs Dept.
SB 460 College & Workplace Readiness Assessments

Action Date-February 13th

SB 165 State Agency Expenditures (partial veto)
SB 257 Technical Corrections to 2007 Laws
SB 258 Fort Bayard Medical Center Replacements

Action Date-February 12th

HB 2 General Appropriation Act of 2008 (partial veto)

Action Date-January 18th

HB 1 Feed Bill (partial veto)
SB 66 Minimum Wage Act Exemptions

VETOED LEGISLATION

Action Date-March 3rd

HB 221 Allow Electronic Voting System Negotiations
SB 487 Abandoned Uranium Mine Reclamation Fees

Action Date-February 29th

HB 193 Create Public Defender Commission

Action Date-February 28th

HB 180 Manny Herrera Access to Healthy Foods Act

Action Date-February 13th

HB 43 Severance Tax Bond Projects

PENDING BILL ACTION

Action Due-March 5th

SB 6 Revise County Classifications
SB 13 Legislative Parking Expense Reimbursement
SB 146 Public School Capital Outlay Omnibus Bill
SB 149 Municipal Higher Ed Facility Tax Eligibility
SB 164 Additional Local Liquor Tax Counties
SB 256 Absentee Voting in Small Precincts
SB 298 Gross Receipts to State Building Bonding Fund
SB 349 Veterans Museum Act
SB 355 Raise Property Tax Limitation Income Limit
SB 366 Self-Rescue Devices in Coal Mines
SB 442 Local Government Traffic Fine Limits
SB 471 Severance Tax Bond Projects
SB 509 Capitol Buildings Lease-Purchase Approval