



## State of New Mexico

Michelle Lujan Grisham  
*Governor*

January 26, 2026

### HOUSE EXECUTIVE MESSAGE NO. 31

The Honorable Javier Martinez, Speaker of the House and  
Members of the New Mexico House of Representatives  
State Capitol Building  
Santa Fe, NM 87501

Speaker Martinez and Members of the House:

Pursuant to Article IV, Section 5(B)(2) of the New Mexico Constitution, I am authorizing for your consideration during the Fifty-Seventh Legislature, Second Session, submission of HOUSE BILL 74, a bill removing the ten-year limitation from the definition of "prior felony conviction" for a habitual offender.

Respectfully yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Michelle Lujan Grisham".

Michelle Lujan Grisham  
*Governor*

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Time: 1:58 a.m. p.m.  
Date: 1/26/26 2026

By A handwritten signature in black ink that appears to read "P. J. Lujan".  
For: Chief Clerk of the House