



# State of New Mexico

Michelle Lujan Grisham  
Governor

February 11, 2026

## HOUSE EXECUTIVE MESSAGE NO. 81

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 149, a bill amending the definition for “qualified entity” in the New Mexico Finance Authority Act to include a nonprofit foundation or support organization affiliated with a charter school; authorizing the New Mexico Finance Authority to make loans from the Charter School Facility Revolving Fund to nonprofit foundations or support organizations affiliated with charter schools; requiring that the amount of a grant from the Public School Capital Outlay Fund for lease assistance to a charter school be the greatest of the possible authorized amounts; limiting a charter school’s local share of a public school capital outlay project qualified under the educational adequacy category to ten percent; making conforming amendments; and making a transfer from the Public School Capital Outlay Fund to the Charter School Facility Revolving Fund.

Respectfully yours,

  
Michelle Lujan Grisham  
Governor

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By   
For Chief Clerk of the House