

American Legion Auxiliary
New Mexico Girls State
2016 Bill/Resolution



Committee: CIVIL Affairs

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Bill No.: H74

Delegation: ALA NM Girls State 2016

Status: Failed in committee

Title of Bill: Making an Appropriation for a Hotline for Children in Crisis

1 **Be It Enacted By The American Legion Auxiliary New Mexico Girls State 2016**

2 **Section I. Body:**

3 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of New Mexico:

4 Section I. Appropriation. One hundred and seventy-five thousand dollars
5 (175,000) is appropriated from the general fund to the New Mexico Child Abuse
Prevention Partnership, for expenditures to develop and implement a hotline
for children in crisis statewide.

6 **Section II. Definitions:**

7 Hotline: A phone line staffed by individuals that are trained in managing
8 crisis in children of all ages, with age appropriate interventions. The
9 hotline uses a simple three digit number (#333).

10 Crisis: A time of intense difficulty, trouble or danger, as perceived by the
11 child.

12 **Section III. Penalty: N/A**

13 **Section IV. Repeal:** All laws, acts, provisions, or parts of laws contained in
14 the Constitution of the State of New Mexico in conflict with any provision of
15 this act are hereby repealed.

16 **Section V. Effective Date:** This act shall become effective immediately upon
17 its passage and approval by the American Legion Auxiliary New Mexico Girls
18 State Governor or its otherwise becoming a law.

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