1	SENATE MEMORIAL 2
2	54TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 2019
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10	A MEMORIAL
11	RECOGNIZING THE NEW MEXICO MEDIATION ASSOCIATION FOR ITS
12	DEDICATION TO EDUCATING THE PUBLIC ABOUT THE BENEFITS OF
13	MEDIATION.
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15	WHEREAS, mediation is a nonadversarial, voluntary and
16	confidential process in which a neutral third party helps to
17	facilitate discussion of difficult issues and negotiate
18	agreements; and
19	WHEREAS, the parties to mediation determine the outcome of
20	the process while mediators facilitate communication and use
21	collaborative problem-solving skills; and
22	WHEREAS, parties that engage in mediation are often able
23	to settle disputes before they reach the courts; and
24	WHEREAS, the process of mediation can help improve
25	judicial efficiency; and
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1	WHEREAS, the New Mexico mediation association is a
2	nonprofit association that promotes mediation as a method of
3	resolving disputes; and
4	WHEREAS, the New Mexico mediation association educates the
5	public regarding the benefits of mediation in New Mexico;
6	NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE
7	OF NEW MEXICO that the New Mexico mediation association be
8	recognized for its dedication to educating the public about the
9	benefits of mediation; and
10	BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this memorial be
11	transmitted to the board of directors of the New Mexico
12	mediation association.
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