

1 SENATE BILL 369

2 **52ND LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 2015**

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10 AN ACT

11 RELATING TO MILITARY BASE PLANNING AND SUPPORT; REVISING THE
12 APPOINTMENT AUTHORITY AND MAKEUP OF THE OFFICE OF MILITARY BASE
13 PLANNING AND SUPPORT AND THE MILITARY BASE PLANNING COMMISSION;
14 REPEALING SECTION 9-15-51 NMSA 1978 (BEING LAWS 2003, CHAPTER
15 166, SECTION 4, AS AMENDED).

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17 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

18 SECTION 1. Section 9-15-48 NMSA 1978 (being Laws 2003,
19 Chapter 166, Section 1 and Laws 2003, Chapter 170, Section 1,
20 as amended) is amended to read:

21 "9-15-48. OFFICE OF MILITARY BASE PLANNING AND SUPPORT
22 CREATED--DUTIES.--

23 A. The "office of military base planning and
24 support" is created, which is administratively attached to the
25 economic development department. The department shall provide

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1 administrative services to the office.

2 B. The ~~[governor's homeland security adviser]~~
3 governor shall appoint a director of the office of military
4 base planning and support.

5 C. The director of the office of military base
6 planning and support shall:

7 (1) employ, under the authorization of the
8 governor's ~~[homeland security adviser]~~ chief of staff, the
9 staff necessary to carry out the work of the office of military
10 base planning and support and the military base planning
11 commission;

12 (2) support the commission;

13 (3) inform the governor and the governor's
14 ~~[homeland security adviser]~~ chief of staff about issues
15 impacting the military bases in the state, including
16 infrastructure requirements, environmental needs, military
17 force structure possibilities, tax implications, property
18 considerations and issues requiring coordination and support
19 from other state agencies;

20 (4) serve as a liaison with the community
21 organizations whose purpose is to support the long-term
22 viability of the military bases;

23 (5) communicate with the staff of the state's
24 congressional delegation; and

25 (6) identify issues, prepare information and

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1 provide for presentations necessary for the commission to carry
2 out its duties."

3 SECTION 2. Section 9-15-49 NMSA 1978 (being Laws 2003,
4 Chapter 166, Section 2 and Laws 2003, Chapter 170, Section 2,
5 as amended) is amended to read:

6 "9-15-49. MILITARY BASE PLANNING COMMISSION CREATED--
7 COMPOSITION.--

8 A. The "military base planning commission" is
9 created, which is administratively attached to the economic
10 development department. The department shall provide
11 administrative services to the commission.

12 B. The commission consists of [~~seventeen~~] eleven
13 members, [~~fifteen of which are~~] appointed by the governor with
14 the advice and consent of the senate. The commission shall
15 include [~~the lieutenant governor, the governor's homeland~~
16 ~~security adviser and~~] nine appropriate representatives from the
17 counties, or adjoining counties, in which military bases are
18 located. Two members shall be appointed at large from other
19 counties.

20 C. The governor shall appoint a chair from among
21 the members of the commission. The commission shall meet at
22 the call of the chair and shall meet not less than quarterly.
23 Members of the commission shall not be paid but shall receive
24 per diem and mileage expenses as provided in the Per Diem and
25 Mileage Act.

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