

1 SENATE BILL 244

2 **50TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - SECOND SESSION, 2012**

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10 AN ACT

11 MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FROM THE STATE LANDS MAINTENANCE FUND
12 TO THE STATE LAND OFFICE FOR REDUCTION OF FUEL AND TREE
13 DENSITIES ON STATE TRUST LAND; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

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

16 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION.--Eight hundred ninety thousand
17 dollars (\$890,000) is appropriated from the state lands
18 maintenance fund to the state land office for expenditure in
19 fiscal years 2012 and 2013 to reduce the high levels of fuel
20 and tree densities that can fuel wildfires on state trust land.
21 Any unexpended or unencumbered balance remaining at the end of
22 fiscal year 2013 shall revert to the state lands maintenance
23 fund.

24 SECTION 2. EMERGENCY.--It is necessary for the public
25 peace, health and safety that this act take effect immediately.

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