

Cover Analysis

1. What is it?

The Albuquerque Police Department (APD) is eligible to receive a grant to purchase safety-related equipment and training in the amount of \$48,026 from the New Mexico Department of Transportation (NMDOT).

2. What will this piece of legislation do?

This legislation will authorize the Albuquerque Police Department to accept and utilize grant funds to purchase motorcycle safety equipment, traffic cones, a GPS total station, safety glasses and training for APD officers.

3. Why is the project needed?

The project is needed to improve the quality and safety of traffic services within the state.

4. How much will it cost and what is the funding source?

The APD will receive \$48,026 from NMDOT. Indirect costs of \$1,009 are necessary to support this award and are available in the FY/11 Transfer to Operating Grants Fund Program in the General Fund.

5. What will happen if the project is not approved?

If the project is not approved, APD will not be able to purchase equipment and training to enhance the performance of APD.