REFERENCE TITLE: appropriation; economic development; rural; tribal.

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HB 2163

Introduced by Representatives Miranda: Ableser, Alvarez, Rios P

AN ACT

MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE FOR RURAL AND TRIBAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

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Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:
Section 1. Appropriation: rural and tribal economic development: exemption

- A. The sum of \$266,800 is appropriated from the state general fund in fiscal year 2007-2008 to the department of commerce for the following:
- 1. \$133,400 and two FTE positions to enable the department to adequately respond to service demands from rural and small communities for state-level economic development assistance.
- 2. \$133,400 and two FTE tribal economic development specialists to remove barriers to business investment and to develop business opportunities for Arizona tribes primarily in the areas of energy systems and workforce.
- B. The appropriation made in subsection A of this section is exempt from the provisions of section 35–190, Arizona Revised Statutes, relating to lapsing of appropriations.

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