

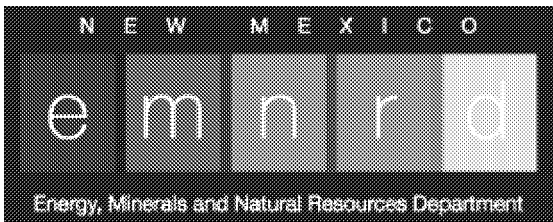
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I am putting something together and will have it to you shortly...

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Deputy Cabinet Secretary-

I wanted to reach out to you regarding a quote for David Ross. Thanks for being willing to help! The following is being used by another state's DEQ and will serve as an example:

"Mr. Ross has exceptional credentials and experience for the role of Water Director. In addition, his views on cooperative federalism are exactly what is needed at US EPA."

Do you think this is something you might be able to provide us with ASAP?

Let me know if you have any questions. My cell is Ex. 6. Feel free to call any time including over the weekend.

Tate

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