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Senator Greg Baca Applauds Senate Confirmation of Kurt Sommers to State Investment Council

SANTA FE — Today, the Senate confirmed Mr. Kurt Sommer to the State Investment Council (SIC) with a unanimous vote. Mr. Sommer was appointed to the SIC by Senate Republican Leader, **Senator Greg Baca** (R-Belen), and the Legislative Council, and will serve a five-year term. The SIC manages the investments for New Mexico’s four permanent funds: the Land Grant Permanent Fund, the Severance Tax Permanent Fund, the Tobacco Settlement Permanent Fund, and the Water Trust Fund.

“I am proud that New Mexico will have such a well-qualified and highly esteemed individual keeping an eye on our state’s investments,” said Senator Baca regarding the confirmation. “Mr. Sommer’s record speaks for itself and I wish him all the best as he begins his service on the State Investment Council.”

Mr. Sommer is a shareholder and managing director of the Sommer Udall Law Firm, P.A., in Santa Fe. He is a graduate of Georgetown University and the University of New Mexico School of Law.

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