



OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

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To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 340 without my signature.

This bill requires the Public Utilities Commission to establish a program to encourage the use of women, people of color and disabled veteran-owned businesses for projects funded by the Electric Program Investment Charge.

This bill inadvertently contains language that would jeopardize critical renewable programs funded by this charge.

Sincerely,


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