

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

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To the Members of the California State Senate:

I am returning Senate Bill 759 without my signature.

Under this bill, homeowners associations that govern Common Interest Developments would be forced to approve the installation of Astro Turf.

A decision to choose synthetic turf over natural vegetation is best left to individual homeowners associations, not mandated by state law.

Sincerely,

Edmund G. Brown Jr