



OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

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To the Members of the California State Senate:

I am returning Senate Bill 223 without my signature.

This bill permits the City and County of San Francisco to enact a voter-approved local assessment on vehicles registered to a San Francisco address.

Before we embark on a piecemeal approach for one city, we should try to fashion a broader revenue solution to our state's fiscal crisis.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Edmund G. Brown Jr." with a large, stylized flourish at the end.

Edmund G. Brown Jr.