



OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

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To the Members of the California State Senate:

I am returning Senate Bill 344 without my signature.

This bill interferes with the work of the State Board of Education as it implements, through an open and transparent process, the Local Control Funding Formula.

Moreover, it contains provisions contrary to the July budget agreement.

For these reasons, I am unable to sign this bill.

Sincerely,

  
Edmund G. Brown Jr.