



OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

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To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 1122 without my signature.

This bill requires the Commission on Teacher Credentialing to provide guidance in establishing partnerships between school districts and higher education institutions on the subject of bilingual teacher preparation programs.

I believe this bill is unnecessary. California recently funded programs to recruit additional teachers, including bilingual education teachers. I want to assess the success of these efforts before spending additional money on new programs.

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.