



OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

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To Members of the California Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 710 without my signature.

This bill requires the campuses of the University of California, California State University, California Community Colleges, and independent and private postsecondary educational institutions to post specified information regarding students' cost of attendance on their respective websites.

I share the goal of equipping students and their families with the most accurate and consistent information surrounding full cost of attendance across college and university campuses. However, the educational institutions affected by the bill are already providing much of this information to prospective students. In addition, this bill requires the use of data points that may not be reflective of the true costs of attendance while ignoring data that could be more informative.

Therefore, I cannot sign this bill.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Gavin Newsom", followed by a long horizontal line extending to the right.

Gavin Newsom