



OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

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To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 476 without my signature.

This bill would require the Department of Consumer Affairs to create a task force to study the licensing of foreign-trained professionals and create a report for the Legislature.

Integrating foreign-trained professionals into California's workforce is an admirable goal. However, creating a new task force and a legislative report to accomplish that goal is unnecessary.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Gavin Newsom", written over a horizontal line.

Gavin Newsom

