

## OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

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To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 2296 without my signature.

This bill would extend the sunset on the Task Force to Study and Develop Reparation proposals for African Americans, with Special Consideration for African Americans who are Descendants of Persons Enslaved in California, clarify that reports published by the task force are within the public domain, and modify provisions relating to the removal of appointees.

At the request of the author of the original legislation that created this task force, I am vetoing this bill.

Gavin Newsom