



## OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

**SEP 25 2024**

To the Members of the California State Senate:


I am returning Senate Bill 1050 without my signature.

This bill would establish a procedure by which a former owner, or their descendants, of property taken as a result of racially motivated eminent domain could apply for the return of the property if still in the possession of the responsible public entity, other publicly held property of the same value, or financial compensation.

I thank the author for his commitment to redressing past racial injustices. However, this bill tasks a nonexistent state agency to carry out its various provisions and requirements, making it impossible to implement.

For this reason, I cannot sign this bill.

Sincerely,



Gavin Newsom

