



OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

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To the Members of the California State Senate:

I am returning Senate Bill 1105 without my signature.

This bill would limit federal law enforcement's powers of arrest and prohibit California law enforcement agencies from entering into an interagency agreement unless the agreement is in writing and expressly provides that the California agency shall not engage in racial or identity profiling.

State law already prohibits racial profiling. While this bill seeks to ensure that current and future interagency agreements with federal law enforcement entities reaffirm that vital protection, a noble intent, I am deeply concerned that this bill will result in significant unintended consequences to critical public safety programs that unfortunately outweigh its merits.

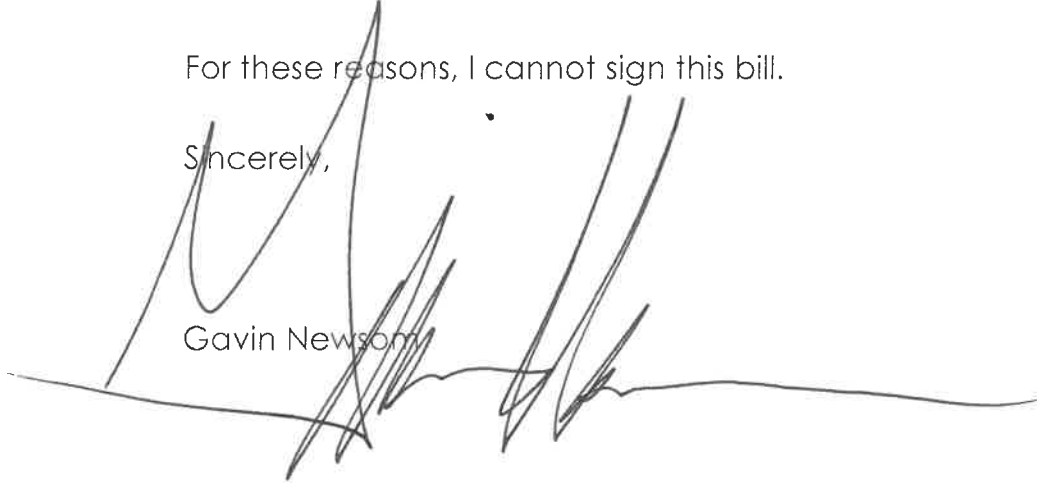
Our state and local law enforcement depend on information-sharing and other federal agreements to accomplish critical public safety objectives, such as combatting drug and human trafficking, counterterrorism, addressing cybersecurity threats, and preparations for the Olympics in Los Angeles in 2028. By requiring unplanned changes to longstanding agreements, this bill, as just one example, could severely impact the Office of Emergency Services' ability to participate in joint operations or maintain essential federal partnerships and multi-jurisdictional efforts, such as the Joint Terrorism Task Force Agreements and Counterintelligence Task Forces.

These critical components of our public safety infrastructure must be allowed to continue unimpeded, and it would be unwise to jeopardize this apparatus for the purpose of restating existing protections in law.

For these reasons, I cannot sign this bill.

Sincerely,

Gavin Newsom

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