



OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

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To the Members of the California State Senate:

I am returning Senate Bill 52 without my signature.

This bill requires a charter city with a population of at least 2.5 million people to establish an independent redistricting commission, if one is not already required by the city's charter.

While I agree with the goal of the author's proposal, this bill is contingent on the enactment of Assembly Bill 1248, which I have vetoed.

For this reason, I cannot sign this bill.

Sincerely,

Gavin Newsom

