

BILL NUMBER: SB 733
VETOED DATE: 09/30/2010

To the Members of the California State Senate:

I am returning Senate Bill 733 without my signature.

While the model of service supported by this bill has proven effective at the San Francisco Trauma Recovery Center, the Restitution Fund is an inappropriate ongoing source of funding for this type of program. The Restitution Fund is the funding source of the Victim Compensation Program, which was designated to pay for certain out-of-pocket expenses to specific victims of crime.

The use of the Restitution Fund to support programs of this type presents a significant concern to its ongoing ability to support the compensation of crime victims for which it was established.

For these reasons, I am unable to sign this bill.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger