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On Behalf Of:  
Committee: Senate Committee On Natural Resources and  
Wildfire  
Measure, Appointment or Topic: SB777  
Opposition to SB 777

Dear Chair Golden, Vice Chair Nash and Members of the Committee:

Thank you for your service. Please do not advance this bill.

This bill would make an awful situation even worse. It would encourage ranchers who now are open to using non-lethal coexistence tools to instead collect the seven-times compensation multiplier. Further, it would drain the funds needed for helping ranchers implement lasting, non-lethal solutions. In other words, it would gut the current program. Please do not advance this bill.