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I am opposed to Senate Bill 686. This is a very bad bill for the following reasons:

1. Government would be taxing one private company to reward another private company.

2. Government would be using a tax as a sledgehammer to politically punish people and not fix a single problem.

3. Newspapers would be receiving government directed tax dollars. It would no longer be journalism. It would be government sponsored media and would further increase the government's control of every aspect of our lives. Journalism should be free of government influence or obligation.