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VETO MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY REGARDING SENATE BILL 16 OF THE 2024 REGULAR SESSION

I, Andy Beshear, Governor of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, pursuant to the authority granted under section 88 of the Kentucky Constitution, do hereby veto the following:

Senate Bill 16 of the 2024 Regular Session of the General Assembly in its entirety.

Senate Bill 16 prohibits not just drones, but any video recording device, audio recording device, or photography equipment on property containing a "key infrastructure asset," which includes a commercial food manufacturing or processing facility or an animal feeding operation. In this way, the bill diminishes transparency.

For these reasons, I am vetoing Senate Bill 16.

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This, the $\underline{1}$ day of April, 2024.

Andy Beshear Governor

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