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Let R be a commutative local ring and M be an R-module. We say that M is an nth syzygy if there is an exact sequence

$$0 \to M \to F_1 \to F_2 \to \cdots \to F_{n-1} \to F_n$$

where  $F_i$  is free for all  $i \ge 1$ . We show that if certain *R*-modules are *n*th syzygies for *n* large enough, it implies some nice properties of the ring *R*. (Received September 22, 2009)