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## Masin opposed to government finance omnibus bill

St. Paul, Minn. – As the Minnesota House debated the omnibus state government finance bill Thursday, Rep. Sandra Masin, DFL-Eagan, released the following statement:

"After responsible fiscal stewardship over the last several years, Minnesota finds itself in a healthy economic position. Unfortunately, this bill arbitrarily cuts vital state government services and will lay off more than 2,000 state workers who are responsible for serving our veterans, protecting our natural resources, and ensuring the safety of our nursing homes.

In a time of unprecedented attacks on government data, there is no investment in Gov. Dayton's cyber security initiative, putting our data and financial security at risk. These major issues with the legislation, along with deregulation of our elections and the deliberate weakening of our Campaign Finance Board, are why I must vote 'no' on this omnibus bill."

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