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Senator Brown Comments on Final Budget Passage

Columbus – State Senator Edna Brown (D-Toledo) issued the following statement today after voting “no” on the final version of the biennial state budget (HB 153) as reported by the Conference Committee:

“Instead of focusing on jobs, we have nearly 5,000 pages of policy changes and drastic, unfair cuts in this budget. Local governments and the neediest school districts are the most adversely affected.

“Republicans also removed the five percent reduction in state legislator pay. I wanted this budget to be about shared sacrifice, not safeguarding special interests.”