



It's Back!

Remember the plan to reduce the number of state agencies by half and to eliminate 11,000 state workers called Senate Bill 52?

Well, it's back. And some politicians are saying it's a better way to deal with Ohio's budget crisis than freezing an income tax cut on the wealthy.

We disagree!

Call your Senator! To find the number, go to:

www.ocsea.org/lookup

and tell him or her to vote:

No on Senate Bill 52 that will put thousands of Ohioans at risk by slicing vital state services.

Yes on House Bill 318 that will freeze a tax cut that we just can't afford.



Tell lawmakers to support reasonable solutions to Ohio's budget crisis—no more drastic cuts!!!!

NO to
Senate Bill 52

YES to
House Bill 318

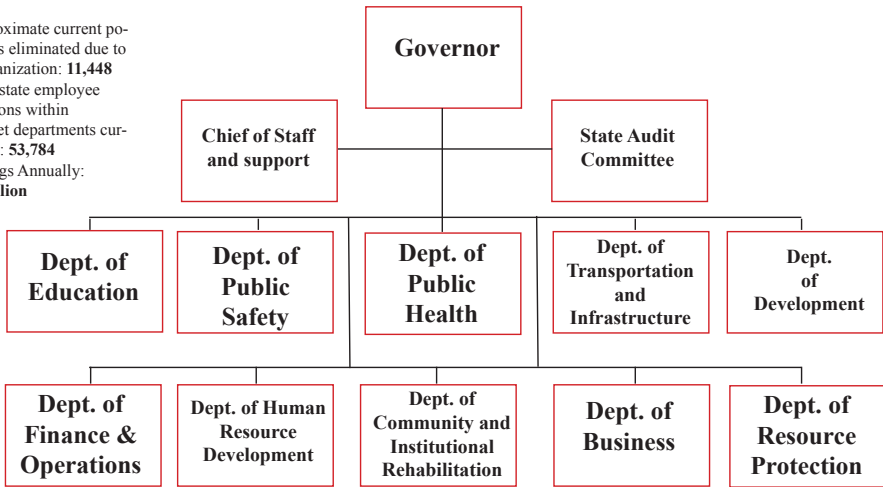
the jobs we
save could be
our own!

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OCSEA Legislative Alert: Senate Bill 52

Oppose a Plan for Reshaping Ohio Government

- Approximate current positions eliminated due to reorganization: 11,448
- Total state employee positions within cabinet departments currently: 53,784
- Savings Annually: \$1 billion



...Do you see *your* department?

Proponents say this proposal will "simplify" state government by eliminating over 11,000 state employee positions from payroll. A similar proposal was introduced in 2005 by former Attorney General Jim Petro. That proposal didn't go through, and now it is crucial to ensure this new version doesn't, either. Our jobs depend on it.