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**U.S. SENATE CANDIDATE BETSY SWEET'S STATEMENT ON CONGRESSIONAL VOTE  
TO LIMIT TRUMP'S WAR POWERS**

*The House of Representatives voted to restrain Trump's ability to use military action in Iran  
without congressional approval.*

AUGUSTA, ME (January 9, 2020) - Today, The House of Representatives voted on a resolution aimed that restrains President Trump's ability to use military action against Iran without congressional approval. This comes after Trump ordered the assassination of one of Iran's military leaders, Qasem Soleimani.

**Statement from U.S. Senate Candidate Betsy Sweet on the Congress's vote to limit  
President Donald Trump's war powers:**

"I fully support Congress's decision to limit President Trump's war powers. Trump committed an unprecedented and illegal act of war. There was no proof that the assassination of Qasem Soleimani would stop an imminent attack or bring stability. It has clearly done the opposite.

The American people will not stand for more lies that cause millions of people to be murdered and displaced. And we will not send more of our young people into an endless war that is solely for political and economic profit."

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