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## Stec: Cuomo should resign

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“Governor Cuomo should resign,” said Senator Dan Stec.

“The federal investigation into the nursing home scandal, threatening a state lawmaker and now credible claims of sexual harassment by two former female staffers are all very troubling. They all tie into the governor’s notorious reputation of being a self-serving bully intent on abusing power and discrediting anyone who dares to challenge him. He can’t be trusted to lead.

“He can’t appoint his own investigator either, as he is trying to do. That isn’t how justice in America works. The accused does not get to select who investigates them. Cuomo should have nothing to do with it.

“For weeks, Democrats in the Senate have been blocking our efforts to end the governor’s emergency powers. They’ve blocked legislative subpoenas to investigate the nursing home death cover-up. One party rule isn’t working in Albany. I can’t imagine what more is needed for the leadership to take a stand on behalf of the families of people who died in nursing homes and the victims of sexual harassment.

“Three things need to happen this week: take the governor’s emergency powers away, issue subpoenas to put people under oath who were involved in the nursing home cover-up and

an independent investigator should be named. Or, Cuomo should resign because he can't lead."