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WASHINGTON, D.C., Nov. 1, 1971 --- U.S. Sen. Bob Dole (R-Kans.) commented today on the Department of Agriculture's action Friday to convert 192 counties in 26 states from food commodity programs to food stamp programs.

Two of the counties designated for the food stamp plan are in Kansas.

Dole said, "As a member of the Senate Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs, I have been aware of the needs of Rice and Harvey Counties to attain assistance in food programs, and am pleased that they are now going to be recipients of the USDA food stamp program."