

NEWS from U.S. Senator Bob Dole

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WASHINGTON, D.C., OCT. 11, 1972 -- Senator Bob Dole today announced the 1973 Department of Defense Appropriations Bill will include \$32 million to finance procurement of 60 A-37B light attack aircraft.

"The A-37B, built in Wichita by the Cessna Aircraft Company, is important not only to the President's defense policies but to the future of one of America's most progressive cities as well," said Dole.

The A-37B appropriation had been eliminated in the Senate version of the bill but included in the House version. Senator Dole urged members of the conference committee to include the House proposal.

The joint conference report must now be approved by both houses of Congress and signed by the President before becoming final.