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\$1.4 MILLION IN LAW ENFORCEMENT GRANTS TO KANSAS

WASHINGTON, D.C.--Senators Bob Dole and James Pearson today announced that the Law Enforcement Assistance Administration has awarded more than \$1.4 million in grants for improvements in the Kansas criminal justice system. LEAA is the agency within the Department of Justice that was created by the Congress in 1968 and given the responsibility for improving state and local law enforcement by providing financial and technical assistance.

\$1,309,000 is a block action grant to be used for projects selected by the state criminal justice planning agency, the Governor's Committee on Criminal Administration. The remainder of the grant, \$154,000 is for improvements in the state corrections system.