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DOLE STRESSES NEED TO CONTROL INFLATION

WASHINGTON, D.C. -- Senator Bob Dole today commended new Treasury Secretary William Simon for his views on the importance of controlling inflation.

"It is most encouraging to note in your Senate confirmation hearings and public statements that you rank control of inflation as your first priority in your new job. This echoes my belief that inflation is the number one domestic problem facing America today." Senator Dole said.

The Senator's comments were made in a letter congratulating Mr. Simon upon being sworn in as the new Secretary of the Treasury.

"The cost of living affects the wages, savings, pensions and security of every American," Senator Dole said, "and I am sure you will find responsible Members of Congress ready to cooperate in formulating solutions and seeking answers for this problem."