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DOLE CALLS ON MONDALE TO DEMAND FULL FINANCIAL DISCLOSURES
FROM RUNNING MATE AND HER SPOUSE;
KANSAS SENATOR AND WIFE DID THE SAME IN 1976

DALLAS -- Kansas Senator Bob Dole today stated that when he was the Republican Vice Presidential candidate in 1976 he turned over all personal tax information to the White House for public disclosure. Dole said that contrary to some media reports, he did make full disclosure of his finances -- including his wife's shortly after his joining the Presidential ticket.

Earlier this week in Dallas, Dole called on Democrat candidate Walter Mondale to demand full financial disclosures from his running mate Geraldine Ferraro and her husband John Zaccaro. Ms. Ferraro had previously promised to make public her husband's and her own tax returns, but has since reneged on that promise.

"Contrary to some news accounts, I offered every shred of personal tax information to the White House in 1976 for disclosure purposes. Included was a 1975 joint return for me and my wife Elizabeth in our first year of marriage along with a full five years of my previous tax information." Also included was a detailed list of campaign contributions," said Senator Dole.

"The Ford White House subsequently released a summary of my tax information and distributed a full disclosure document. It was not just a summary. It included the essentials of my 1040 returns. I would also emphasize that I had no real estate transactions, no stocks, no oil and gas royalty income, or any other similar unearned income. There was no sheltered or shielded income. My earnings were mostly limited to my Senate salary, savings accounts interest, and modest honoraria income. Essentially everything that is contained in the 1040 Form was made public by the White House in September, 1976."

"Candidate Mondale should follow the examples of Gerald Ford, Jimmy Carter and Ronald Reagan in demanding full and complete financial disclosures from Geraldine Ferraro and her husband. No less has been promised, no less should be settled for."