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NEWS from U.S. Senator Bob Dole

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ASSISTANT U.S. ATTORNEY JOHNSON RECOMMENDED TO REPLACE ROTH

WASHINGTON, D.C.--Senator Bob Dole has recommended to the Attorney General the appointment of Mr. E. Edward Johnson to be United States Attorney for the District of Kansas.

Johnson presently serves as assistant U.S. attorney under Robert Roth who has announced his resignation to be effective June 1. He has the support of both Dole and Kansas Senator James Pearson.

In a letter of recommendation sent Tuesday, Dole told Attorney General Edward Levi, "I am sure you will find Ed's integrity beyond reproach and abilities meritorious..." Dole cited Johnson's "ten years of experience with the U.S. Attorney's office in Topeka" and the fact that "since June, 1973, he has served as the First Assistant to Bob Roth and is therefore totally familiar with all phases of the U.S. Attorney's duties and responsibilities."

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