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## DOLE COMMENDS STAFFORD FOR OUTSTANDING SENATE CAREER

WASHINGTON -- SENATE REPUBLICAN LEADER BOB DOLE (R-KS.) TODAY SAID, "VERMONT AND ALL OF NEW ENGLAND WILL LOSE AN ABLE AND DEDICATED PRESENCE IN WASHINGTON WHEN BOB STAFFORD RETIRES IN 1988."

"DURING HIS TWO TERMS IN THE SENATE, CONGRESS HAS ENACTED LANDMARK ENVIRONMENTAL LEGISLATION, THANKS IN LARGE MEASURE TO BOB'S HARD WORK AND LEADERSHIP. HE HAS BEEN A GOOD FRIEND, A GOOD, AND A GOOD REPUBLICAN.