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DOLE APPOINTS GLENN WALKER OF CONCORDIA TO NATIONAL EDUCATION COMMISSION ON TIME AND LEARNING

WASHINGTON -- Senate Republican Leader Bob Dole, (R-KS) today announced his appointment of Glenn Walker, a high school teacher from Concordia, Kansas, to the National Education Commission on Time and Learning.

"Glenn Walker's years of hands-on-experience as a high school teacher coupled with his commonsense heartland values, bring a valuable perspective to this important Commission," Dole said. "This Commission will examine some of the most important issues facing our nation's children and Glenn will be an important voice in shaping the future of education in the United States. I applaud his commitment to promoting excellence in American education, " Dole added.

The National Education Commission on Time and Learning will examine the quality and adequacy of the study and learning time of elementary and secondary students in the U.S. Issues to be examined include the length of the school day and year, the extent and role of homework, how time is being used for academic subjects, year-round professional opportunities for teachers, and the use of school facilities for extended learning programs.

Mr. Walker has been a social studies teacher for twenty-one years, fifteen of which have been at Concordia High School. He is state chairman of "Initiative for Understanding", a U.S. -U.S.S.R youth exchange program. He has an undergraduate degree from McPherson College and a Masters of Arts from Ft. Hays State University.