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WASHINGTON, D.C., April 25 -- U.S. Senators James Pearson and Bob Dole (R-Kans.) today recommended Robert J. Roth, 1070 North Armour, Wichita, for U.S. District Attorney for Kansas.

The Senators made the recommendation in a letter to the deputy director of the executive office for U.S. attorneys, Department of Justice.

Roth, a member of the Hershberger, Petterson, Jones and Thompson law firm in Wichita since 1958, was Kansas' Assistant Attorney General from 1956 to 1958. He served as Senator Pearson's administrative assistant in Kansas in 1962.

Long active in the Republican party in Kansas, he is currently finance chairman for the Fourth Congressional District

Born in 1928 in Victoria, Kans., Roth is a graduate of Ft. Hays Kansas State College, Hays, and received a law degree from Washburn University, Topeka, in 1955.

He is married to the former Lucy Dreiling of Victoria. The couple has three children.