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WASHINGTON, D.C. AUG. 8---Senator Bob Dole (R-Kan) conferred today with Attorney General John Mitchell about Kansas Supreme Court Justice Earl O'Connor.

Justice O'Connor has been nominated by Senators James Pearson and Dole to become a U.S. Supreme Court Justice.

"I pointed out that Justice O'Connor is highly qualified," Dole said. "His name was submitted after weeks of consideration and checking with lawyers, judges and Republican leaders in Kansas."