

445

FROM: THE OFFICE OF U.S. SENATOR BOB DOLE
NEW SENATE OFFICE BUILDING
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20510
(202) 225-6521

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

MINNEAPOLIS, MINN., June 1 -- "I respect responsible differences and measured criticism from whatever source and believe those who feel they must speak out should do so without regard to age or other status," U.S. Senator Bob Dole (R-Kans.) said here today. Dole spoke before the Minneapolis Boosters Club.

Dole said he was impressed by most of the events during the most recent protest march in Washington.

"A tribute to those protesting was their dedication and resolve to avoid violence and disturbance whether in Washington or on their own campus.

"Now that the students have gained the ears of their President and legislators, they must demonstrate responsibility.

"They must use their power to open and broaden education, not close and narrow it; to strengthen and expand the society, not to undermine and constrict it.

"Today's youth has great potential and they have great responsibilities. I believe they can, and will, live up to both."