



# **NEWS** from **U.S. Senator Bob Dole**

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WASHINGTON, D.C., JAN. 31, 1973 -- Senators Bob Dole and James Pearson today introduced legislation to increase the milk price support level.

The legislation was introduced to stop losses being sustained by Kansas dairymen.

Senator Dole and other members of the Kansas Republican delegation met with a group of Kansas dairymen this morning in Dole's Senate office. Attending the meeting were; Norman Barker of Pratt, Gordon Walle, of Culver, Frank White of Cedar Vale and Ivan Strickler of Iola.

Dole said, "Our Kansas dairy farmers are in difficult financial circumstances due to increased soybean meal and feed grain prices. Many will sell their dairy herds if they are not assured of an increased milk price support level."