

## NEWS from U.S. Senator Bob Dole

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WASHINGTON, D.C., FEB. 26, 1973 -- Senator Bob Dole today announced his assignment to three new subcommittees of the Senate Committee on Finance. These are the subcommittees on Health, Private Pension Plans, and International Finance and Resources.

Dole said, "the new orgainizational structure of the Finance Committee offers me a challenging opportunity to focus on three of the most important and urgent problem areas facing America today."

"Membership on the Health Subcommittee is particularly gratifying, because Kansas, along with many other rural states, is facing unique problems in assuring adequate health care for all its citizens. I hope to serve on this subcommittee as a major spokesman for the interests of rural America and for all Americans who are concerned with economy, effectiveness and responsibility in the formulation and administration of a sound national health care strategy."

"I view the Subcommittee on Private Pension Plans as dealing with one of the most important developing areas of Congressional interest. With the elderly population of the United States increasing at the highest rate of any group, it is essential that private sector programs for their retirement security be fair, reliable and assured of delivering what their participants rely on when they join. This subcommittee will have important investigative and oversight authority to study the problems, needs and trends in this area."

The subcommittee on International Finance and Resources will deal with a variety of subjects, other than strictly trade issues, which are within the Committee's jurisdiction. Expected areas of interest include taxation of overseas income, foreign investment tax policy, the Sugar Act, and energy policy.