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WASHINGTON, D.C. -- Senator Bob Dole today announced that the Meat and Poultry Inspection Program plans to establish a Compliance Staff Office in Lawrence.

This office will be responsible for conducting an in-plant review for all segments of the Meat and Poultry Inspection Program to determine compliance with the Federal Meat Inspection Act, the Poultry Products Inspection Act, and related laws.

Dole said that Lawrence has been selected because it is a rural location in the center of the United States and is approximately 50 miles from an international airport. The office will have 32 full-time employees.

The proposal was today granted preliminary approval by the Assistant Secretary of Agriculture, C.K. Yeuter.