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DOLE REACTION TO GRAMM-RUDMAN-HOLLINGS DECISION

WASHINGTON -- SENATE MAJORITY LEADER BOB DOLE (R-KANS.) MADE THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT IN REACTION TO THE SUPREME COURT'S DECISION ON THE CONSTITUTIONALITY OF THE GRAMM-RUDMAN-HOLLINGS, BALANCED BUDGET LAW:

"We in Congress had the responsibility to reduce the deficit and balance the budget before Gramm-Rudman-Hollings was passed, we have it now, and we'll have it ten years from now. The Court's decision should in no way deter us from doing what we know we have to do -- make the tough choices necessary to get the deficit down to zero as quickly and responsibly as possible."