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DOLE URGES AQUINO TO ACCEPT LANDON LECTURE INVITE

Washington, DC -- Following her address to a joint meeting of the Congress today, President Corazon Aquino of the Republic of the Philippines received a private message from Kansas Senator Bob Dole: Be a "Landon Lecturer" at Kansas State University.

Sen. Dole took the opportunity during President Aquino's Capitol Hill visit to "express my support for the invitation to deliver an address as an Alfred M. Landon lecturer" which had been extended earlier by the university.

"It would be a pleasure to have you follow other distinguished leaders who have honored Gov. Landon and Kansas State University," Sen. Dole told President Aquino. "The Landon Lecture series has come to be recognized as a leading event throughout mid-America, serving as a forum for major policy statements by world and national leaders."

Dole said K-State President Jon Wefald in July invited President Aquino to speak as a Landon Lecturer. No date was proposed in the invitation.