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DOLE COMMENDS PRESIDENT'S APPOINTMENT OF ART FLETCHER TO HEAD CIVIL RIGHTS COMMISSION

WASHINGTON -- SENATE REPUBLICAN LEADER BOB DOLE TODAY COMMENDED PRESIDENT BUSH FOR SELECTING ART FLETCHER TO BE THE NEXT CHAIRMAN OF THE CIVIL RIGHTS COMMISSION. MR. FLETCHER HAS STRONG KANSAS ROOTS AND RECEIVED HIS COLLEGE DEGREE FROM WASHBURN UNIVERSITY IN TOPEKA, KANSAS WHERE SENATOR DOLE ALSO EARNED HIS DEGREE.

"THE PRESIDENT HAS PICKED A GOOD MAN. I'VE KNOWN ART FOR MANY YEARS AND I CAN ATTEST TO HIS LIFELONG COMMITMENT TO EXCELLENCE AND JUSTICE. HE'LL DO AN OUTSTANDING JOB AS DIRECTOR. ART KNOWS FIRSTHAND THE PROBLEMS CONFRONTING AMERICAN MINORITIES AND HE KNOWS THE PEOPLE WHO ARE COMMITTED TO SOLVING THOSE PROBLEMS. I CONGRATULATE ART AND LOOK FORWARD TO WORKING WITH HIM."

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