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DOLE CONTINUES WORK ON FARM BILL

Washington, D.C. -- Final consideration and approval of the farm bill, the Food and Agriculture Act of 1977, is expected next week, Senator Bob Dole, (R-Kan.) said today.

"The compromised version of the bill, along with an explanatory report, will be filed in the Senate as soon as it reconvenes next Tuesday, and we anticipate approval later in the week."

"The report," Dole said, "is quite lengthy and complicated. We will be working on the final committee language Monday and Tuesday for its accuracy so that any errors can be corrected before official submission."

"The Senate will act first on the bill, followed promptly by the House of Representatives. Because no changes can be made in the legislation at this point, it will either be approved or rejected. If approved by both Houses of Congress, and I believe it will be, it will be up to the President for his signature."

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