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## DOLE'S "NATIONAL ANIMAL AGRICULTURE WEEK"

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WASHINGTON -- Kansas Senator Bob Dole's "National Animal Agriculture Week" was passed unanimously Saturday evening on the Senate floor. Senate Joint Resolution 77 requests the President to proclaim the week of July 24 - 31, 1983 as "National Animal Agriculture Week."

Dole, the ranking Republican on the Senate Agriculture Committee, saluted the achievements of the American Society of Animal Science, an organization that has been at the forefront of animal agriculture research and development since its inception in 1908.

"Through the application of tested principles and dissemination of information, scientific organizations have worked diligently over the past three quarters of a century to improve the efficiency of meat animal production with the added benefits of providing a more wholesome food supply to consumers at lower costs," Dole said.

The American Society of Animal Science will be conducting a Diamond Jubilee Celebration during the week with the theme "serving human needs through animal agriculture."

"Today we honor the tremendous progress made in the past seventy-five years by applying scientific principles to animal agriculture and the role of animal products in our daily life. Because of the efforts of the Society and countless American farmers, the American diet is the envy of the world," Dole said.

Representative Tom Foley (D-Wa.) has introduced a similar resolution in the House of Representatives.