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DOLE: "BLOCK HAS DONE GOOD JOB UNDER DIFFICULT CIRCUMSTANCES"

WASHINGTON -- Senate Majority Leader Bob Dole (R-KS) extended a vote of appreciation and best wishes to Agriculture Secretary John R. Block, who today announced his resignation from President Reagan's Cabinet.

"In my view, most farmers will agree that Jack Block did a good job as Secretary during a very difficult period for agriculture," Dole said. "It's easy to be popular when demand is high and prices are up, but the past five years have seen hard times in the farm belt. However, I believe most farmers and ranchers -- regardless of political persuasion -- appreciate Jack's honesty and dedication to the job. I wish him the very best in his future endeavors."

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