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WASHINGTON -- Senate Majority Leader Bob Dole (R-KS) today applauded the selection of the U.S. arms control negotiating team named today by President Reagan.

"These individuals bring a broad knowledge of and a deep commitment to the arms control process," said Dole.

"Max Kampelman has had tremendous experience in dealing with the Soviets in the CSCE process. In my capacity as Co-Chairman of the Helsinki Commission, I have found him to be a forceful negotiator with the Soviets, but also a man who knows how to find common grounds on tough issues. Senator Tower, as former Chairman of the Senate Armed Services Committee, brings to the negotiating team a deep knowledge of the START process. His service in the Senate has prepared him well for the give and take that is required in any arms control negotiations. General Rowny will join Paul Nitze as a Special Advisor to the President. Both men are seasoned veterans in dealing with the Soviets and both know where we want to go on arms control. Ambassador Glitman also brings impressive credentials and will make a major contribution to the team," Dole added.

"As I have stated before, an arms control agreement will take hard bargaining and great patience. However, I am confident that these men, all committed to the arms control process and all experts on dealing with the Soviets, will do everything possible to negotiate an arms control agreement that is both equitable and verifiable. The President has assembled a formidable team which will be able to work well with the team of Senate observers," said Dole.