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BEECH AWARDED FUNDING FOR TRAINING DISPLACED WORKERS

WASHINGTON -- Kansas Senators Bob Dole and Nancy Kassebaum announced today that the U.S. Department of Labor has awarded Beech Aircraft of Wichita \$787,473 to be used in training displaced workers for new technology aircraft positions.

"We are very pleased that the U.S. Labor Department has agreed with us and with Governor Carlin that the Beech job training program is worthy of this federal commitment," said Dole and Kassebaum. "The fact that 200 guaranteed Beech Aircraft jobs will result from the project is of significance to the Wichita economy."

"Beech and the International Association of Machinists, which jointly designed the program, are to be commended for foresight and initiative," said the Kansas Senators.