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KU AND KSU RECEIVE MINORITY GRADUATE PROGRAM FUNDING

Washington, D.C. -- Senator Bob Dole announced today that two universities in Kansas will receive funding for minority graduate programs during the upcoming school year.

Kansas State University will receive \$210,510 and the University of Kansas will receive \$150,000 from the Department of Housing and Urban Development to fund a graduate program in community development.

"This is a boost to the graduate programs for both of these schools. We must continue to seek funding for programs that create the opportunity for additional education for minorities. KSU and KU are top level schools which will use these grants to their fullest," said Dole.

The grant will support nine students at Kansas State University and five students at the University of Kansas in a two-year community development graduate program.