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NEW SURVEY SAYS DOLE MOST EFFECTIVE, MOST RESPECTED SENATOR

WASHINGTON -- KANSAS SENATOR BOB DOLE HAS ONCE AGAIN EARNED TOP MARKS FOR EFFECTIVENESS AND CONGRESSIONAL RESPECT IN A NEW SURVEY OF KEY REPUBLICAN AND DEMOCRATIC STAFFERS.

ACCORDING TO THE SURVEY BY FLEISHMAN-HILLARD PUBLIC RELATIONS, SENATE STAFFERS PUT DOLE NUMBER ONE IN THE U.S. SENATE WHEN IT COMES TO RESPECT, AND NUMBER ONE IN LEGISLATIVE EFFECTIVENESS.

WHEN HOUSE AND SENATE VOTES WERE ADDED TOGETHER -- REPUBLICANS AND DEMOCRATS -- DOLE STILL EARNED AN IMPRESSIVE CONGRESS-WIDE NUMBER TWO RATING IN EFFECTIVENESS AND RESPECT.

THE TELEPHONE SURVEY OF 372 SENIOR STAFF MEMBERS FROM BOTH PARTIES IN BOTH HOUSES WAS CONDUCTED BETWEEN JANUARY 9 AND FEBRUARY 3, 1989.