

Bob Dole



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DOLE REQUEST FOR FORT LEAVENWORTH SCHOOLS WINS SENATE APPROVAL

WASHINGTON - Kansas Senator Bob Dole announced today that the U.S. Senate approved legislation including his request for funds to improve the quality of education at the Fort Leavenworth School District. His request for \$477,000 will be used to enhance the District's communication technology by integrating Fort Leavenworth schools into the base's already existing fiber optic network.

"The Leavenworth School District has an excellent opportunity to improve the education it provides to the children of our service men and women," Dole said. "Taking advantage of this new technology will be a big step forward."

The funds are included in the 1996 Defense Appropriations Bill, which now awaits House action.

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