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TO: SENATOR DOLE

FROM: MARK SCANLAN

SUBJECT: CALIFORNIA AG LEADERSHIP GROUP

The California Ag Leadership Program allows promising young agricultural-related leaders between the ages of 27-40 to participate in a two year leadership program studying non-agricultural disciplines such as communications, social studies, government and economics. These leaders participate in a variety of seminars as well as national and international travel.

They are in Washington from the 10th through the 14th and are meeting with representatives of USTR, FDA, EPA, Interior, USDA, and the State department. They will also meet with Senate and House Ag Committee members and representatives of the Republican National Committee and Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee.

YOUR ROLE -- Participants include farmers and promising employees in agri-industry. There will be 30 - 40 in attendance. Senator Wilson's staff stresses that this is very informal and you can stay for less than 15 minutes if you wish. It is primarily an opportunity for them to meet with a member of the Senate leadership. Format has usually been Q's & A's. Most of them are Republicans. They are open to comments on any subject and are likely to be interested in your comments on the current Senate agenda.

Http://dolearchives.ku.edu Aperatives Hittp://dolearchives.ku.edu Aperatives Hittp://dolearchives.ku.edu Aperatives Washington, DC 20540 This document is from the collections at the Dole Archives, University of Kansas PETE WILSON ARMED SERVICES CALIFORNIA AGRICULTURE, NUTRITION, AND FORESTRY GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS SPEAK SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON AGING JOINT ECONOMIC COMMITTEE mark 10:30 and w SR-189 March 21, 1989 The Honorable Bob Dole United States Senate Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Bob:

On behalf of the <u>California Agricultural Leadership</u> Program, I wish to invite you to meet briefly with these distinguished members of our agricultural community.

The California Agricultural Leadership Program is composed of a select group of men and women actively involved in all phases of the agribusiness community. For the past seventeen years the program has selected thirty to thirty-five exceptionally promising agriculturalists to visit other states and foreign countries. The members typically range in age from their late twenties to early forties and many have advanced degrees in their specialized fields. Washington, D.C. is an important part of their exposure to agriculture's role in the United States and throughout the world.

If you would be available to give a fifteen minute speech on Thursday, April 13 between the times of 10:00 a.m. and 11:30 a.m., please contact Greg Hurner at 4-0593.

Sincerely,

PETE WILSON

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