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Great Bend, Kansas 67530

January 29, 1975

Senator Robert Dole  
U. S. Senate  
Washington, D. C. 20510

Subject: Food Stamps

Dear Senator Dole:

The enormous expense of food stamps has become intollerable. The enclosed copy of a broadcast by Ronald Reagan is interesting.

All of us know food stamps were devised as a program to get rid of a specific surplus. These surpluses no longer exist. We do not need food stamps. If our Government insists on giving away food, they should do it through other welfare channels.

Abolish the food stamp program.

Very truly yours,  
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Dear [REDACTED]

Thank you for your comments on the Food Stamp Program and the copy of Governor Reagan's radio commentary on the subject.

I share with you a concern about the operation of the Food Stamp Program. Have also called on the General Accounting Office to conduct a study of the entire program to determine if changes are called for. This study is due to be completed by the end of the month and may be used as a basis for considering amendments to the Food Stamp Act. Am enclosing a copy of a recent news release on this matter for your information.

Thank you again for writing and sharing your comments with me, and trust you will let me know whenever I may be of assistance.

Sincerely yours,

BOB DOLE  
United States Senate

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