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July 3, 1968

Mrs. Diana G. Garcia
PA Worker I
State Dept. of Public Welfare
Courthouse Basement
Alice, Texas 78332

Dr. Hector P. Garcia
1315 Bright
Corpus Christi, Texas

Re: Mrs. Florentina Lopez
P. O. Box 259
Orange Grove, Texas

Dear Dr. Garcia:

Please refer to letter dated June 4, 1968 from Mr. Homero Rodriguez Area Supervisor with the State Dept. of Public Welfare here in Alice.

I was assigned to take this application. I visited Mrs. Lopez at her home in Orange Grove on June 25, 1968. Our Aid to the Permanently and Totally Disabled Program was discussed with her, and it was learned that at the present time she is taking one medication from Dr. Moet. Mrs. Lopez is able to perform her own personal services and can get around without assistance. I asked her permission to contact Dr. Moet regarding her condition and learn from him if, in his opinion, Mrs. Lopez would be considered permanently and totally disabled. Mrs. Lopez agreed to have worker talk to Dr. Moet, and if in his opinion she did not qualify for APTD, the application would be withdrawn.

I contacted Dr. Moet at his office and explained the purpose of my visit. It was his opinion that although Mrs. Lopez is a highly nervous person, more so since the death of her husband, her condition is not considered permanently and totally disabled.

The application was withdrawn and Mrs. Lopez was referred to County Welfare for surplus commodities, medical care, and drugs.

If further information is needed, feel free to write.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Diana G. Garcia".

(Mrs.) Diana G. Garcia
PA Worker I

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cc: Mr. Manuel J. Raymond, Jr., Director, Region 017, Laredo
Mr. Tino S. Pappas, Supervisor 6-117, Laredo
Mr. Homero Rodriguez, Supervisor 4-117, Alice