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TO: SECRETARY WILBURN COHEN
HEALTH EDUCATION AND WELFARE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

REQUEST WITHHOLDING ALL FEDERAL MONEY TO
TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE IN VIEW OF
DISCRIMINATION IN TOP POSITIONS IN THAT DEPART-
MENT.

LETTER WITH REPORT FOLLOWS. WELFARE IN
TEXAS IS ADMINISTERED BY A DEPARTMENT THAT HAS
ALWAYS DISCRIMINATED AGAINST MEXICAN AMERICANS.

SIGNED, HECTOR P. GARCIA, M.D.
FOUNDER
AMERICAN G I FORUM OF U.S.