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Dr. Hector P. Garcia
Chairman, American GI Forum
of the United States
1315 Bright Street
Corpus Christi, Texas 78405

Dear Dr. Garcia:

This is in reply to your correspondence of
January 22, 1970. We apologize for our delay in
responding.

We have given careful consideration to the
information furnished to the Federal Bureau of
Investigation and to previous correspondence con-
cerning the "pig killing case" in Hondo, Texas.
The circumstances do not, however, warrant action
by this Department.

Sincerely,

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