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Dr. Sidney P. Marland, Jr.
Commissioner
Department of Health, Education and Welfare
Office of Education
330 Independence Avenue, S. W.
Washington, D. C. 20201

Dear Commissioner Marland;

Mr. Arnold P. Payne is interested and in need of securing some assistance for his disseration project on education administration under the Title of "Student Involvement as a Determinant of Successful Integration of Schools".

I have known Mr. Payne for many years and have known of his work as a teacher and administrator at the Austwell-Tivoli High School in Texas. He has been a dedicated person sincerely interested in the educational aspects of all children especially the spanish speaking.

His disseration has been approved by the Committee on Education from Texas A & M College. They feel that there is a great need for such a disseration and study in order to help Texas and other states in this field.

He is in dire need of a "grant" from HEW in order to continue with this work. I would appreciate it very much if you could help him.

Give my regards to my friend, Armando M. Rodriguez

Thank you,


Dr. Hector P. Garcia