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J. A. "Tony" Canales Testimonial Dinner 1315 Bright Street Corpus Christi, Texas 78405

Gentlemen:

This will acknowledge receipt of the invitation addressed to Mrs. Halladay and to me to attend the testimonial dinner for the Honorable J. A. "Tony" Canales, United States Attorney, Southern District of Texas.

We regret very much that a previous engagement having to do with the University System of South Texas will prevent our being present. Our regret is quite sincere in as much as we have such a high personal and professional regard for Mr. Canales.

Enclosed please find my personal check in the amount of \$10.00. Even though we cannot attend, we would wish to support this testimonial dinner. Perhaps you could make our tickets available to someone who would wish to be present but could not otherwise do so. Again, we regret the circumstances which will prevent our being present.

Sincerely,

D. Whitney Halladay Chancellor

DWH:sld Enclosure cc: The Honorable J. A. "Tony" Canales Dr. Hector P. Garcia

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