Congress of the United States House of Representatives

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AIRMAIL - PERSONAL

Hector P. Garcia, M. D. 1315 Bright at Morgan Avenue Corpus Christi, Texas 78405

Dear Dr. Hector:

I want to say again how much I appreciated and enjoyed your visit to my office Friday. I know I commandeered far too much of your time, but I am glad that I had the opportunity to tour a little of the Capitol with you and to acquaint or reacquaint you with some of Capitol Hill's leading exponents of democracy.

What you said to me about my service to the Latin-American citizens is something very close to my heart and about which I am quite sentimental. Your expressions are always much too generous; but if I have been of any real service to our Latin-Americans, I am very pleased; and I hope that such service will, if only in a small measure, be a token of my appreciation for the many fine things that they have done for me and my family over the many years of our happy relationship. After my dad died my mother earned a living for herself and her seven small children by teaching in what was then known as the "Mexican School" in Corpus Christi. Her pupils she loved and respected as she did her own children, and many of our closest and most cherished friendships date back to that period of our revered relationship with the Latin-American people. Their favors to me down through the years have been countless, and I know you can understand my deep sense of gratitude and indebtedness.

I was very much interested in some of the late developments which you informed me of relative to our mutual interests here. I don't recall that there was any further action on my part indicated at this time, but I hope that you will keep me closely advised of the situation as it is reported to you. If there is anything that I can do to help in any way, I know that you know you have but to call on me. Hector P. Garcia, M. D. - 2 - March 20, 1967

I hope to see you at home in the District soon. My present plan is to get home Tuesday or Wednesday after Easter.

With kind personal regards, I remain,

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Sincerely yours,

John Young