

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF STAFF WASHINGTON 25, D.C.

June 30, 1949

Honorable Lyndon B. Johnson

United States Senate

Dear Senator Johnson:

This letter will reply to your recent communication expressing your personal interest in behalf of Dr. Hector P. Garcia, 3024 Morgan Avenue, Corpus Christi, Texas. You will recall that Dr. Garcia furnished you with certain additional facts pertaining to the general court-martial case of General Prisoner Rosendo G. Gonzales and you asked to be advised if it were possible to have a review made of the record of trial for the purpose of reducing the sentence of the prisoner, based upon the information furnished to you.

I have received a report from The Judge Advocate General, who has jurisdiction in matters of this nature, with respect to the case of General Prisoner Gonzales. I have taken the liberty of inclosing a copy of that report for your information.

Your interest in the case of General Prisoner Gonzales is appreciated, and I trust the information I have furnished will be helpful to you in replying to the inquiry you received.

Sincerely yours,

C. G. BLAKENEY Colonel, GSC Legislative and Liaison Division

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