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Dr. Hector P. Garcia 1315 Bright Street Corpus Christi, Texas 78405

> Re: Mr. and Mrs. Victoriano Lopez 1400 South Almond Street Alice, Texas 78332

Dr. Garcia:

Thank you for the interest you have shown for the Lopez' Family. Mr. Lopez applied for assistance at our agency on October 11, 1968, but for some reason or another, they didn't come in for an interview until October 23, 1968, when the first interview was held.

Various individuals and agencies have also indicated an interest, and at present, the Jim Wells County Migrant Program is trying to get him admitted into John Sealy Hospital in Galveston, Texas. I understand that at this time they are filled to capacity and are checking day to day to see if Mr. Lopez can be admitted in the very near future.

Mr. Lopez' application had not been worked on any sooner due to an increase in applications during August, September, and October.

Mr. Lopez was seen today by me and his medical report was submitted to his doctor. My report is ready and when the medical report is returned, they will be submitted to the state office for final decision in this case.

It is our policy to try and work on the pending cases as they come in on a first come-first serve basis. We feel that this is the most just manner in handling our applicants. We, in Jim Wells County, are fortunate in that in January, 1969, we are to acquire an additional social worker, which should relief the pressure of delinquent applications and be in a better position to help our recipients.

Once again, thank you for your interest in this particular case.

Sincerely,

Robert D. Herrera P. A. Worker I

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cc: Mr. Homero Rodriguez, Supervisor, Unit 4 Alice, Texas