

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

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Dear Dr. Garcia:

Some concern has been expressed to me over how this Administration might react to the Supreme Court's decision in the Bakke case. I think the attached memo from the President to Agency officials demonstrates the Carter Administration's continuing commitment to affirmative action.

Remember: affirmative action is a two-way street. It is our responsibility to remind these Agency officials that affirmative action programs are more than a piece of paper.

Sincerely,



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Enclosure