



INTER-AGENCY COMMITTEE ON MEXICAN AMERICAN AFFAIRS

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OFFICE OF THE CHAIRMAN

December 12, 1968

Dear Dr. Garcia:

It is a pleasure to enclose the prints of photographs made during the ceremonies in which you took your oath of office as member of the United States Commission on Civil Rights.

The occasion was another significant "first" for all of us.

Sincerely,

Vicente T. Ximenes  
Chairman

Dr. Hector P. Garcia  
1315 Bright Avenue  
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Enclosures



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*memorandum*

TO: Commissioner Ximenes

DATE: Dec. 23, 1968

FROM: Jose A. Chacon

SUBJECT: Food Stamp and Commodity Program in San Patricio County,  
Texas

San Patricio County is where a child died of hunger. We have asked USDA to take positive action to get improvement of the food distribution program. Mr. Lott reports that a Mr. John Slaughter of their Dallas Office has investigated and found the San Patricio County operation in violation of the program plan regarding the certification of migrant families. He says that a new County Commission will take over in January and that Mr. Slaughter prefers to bring the matter up before that Commission. I believe Dr. Garcia brought this matter to our attention and therefore will give him a copy of this memorandum for his information. Incidentally, Mr. Lott reports that all of the surrounding Texas counties are also in violation.

cc: ✓ Dr. Garcia