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Dr. Hector P. Garcia American GI Forum of the U.S. 1315 Bright Street Corpus Christi, Texas 78405

Dear Dr. Garcia:

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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20515

TELEPHONE: 202-225-4365

I am in receipt of your recent letter regarding discrimination in education against Mexican-American children in Texas.

I am contacting the Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare asking for a report on the situation and the steps he is taking to correct this tragic situation. When I receive a response, I will again be in touch with you.

Charles B. Rangel Member of Congress

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