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THIRD QUARTERLY MEETING - MCALLEN

FINAL ARRANGEMENTS HAVE BEEN MADE FOR THE THIRD QUARTERLY MEETING IN MCALLEN, ON AUGUST 10, 1974, AT THE SHERATON-FAIRWAY MOTOR HOTEL. THE MEETING, WHICH WILL BEGIN PROMPTLY AT 9:00 A.M., PROMISES TO BE ATTENDED BY ALL COMMISSIONERS AND THE AGENDA INCLUDES A HIGHLY INTERESTING AND VARIED NUMBER OF ITEMS. THERE WILL BE A. BRIEF ADDRESS BY DR. HECTOR P. GARCIA, CORPUS CHRISTI, FOUNDER OF THE G.I. FORUM AND FORMER MEMBER OF THE U.S. COMMISSION ON CIVIL RIGHTS; AND A REPORT BY A REPRE-SENTATIVE FROM THE IMMIGRATION & NATURALIZATION SERVICE DETENTION DEPORTATION CENTER AT LOS FRESNOS, TEXAS.

RECEPTION

THERE WILL BE AN INFORMAL RECEPTION FOR THE MEMBERS OF THE COMMISSION AND THEIR WIFE/HUSBAND AT THE SHERATON-FAIRWAY FROM 6:30 TO 7:30 ON THE EVENING OF AUGUST 9. MR. WADE TERRELL, EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT OF THE MCALLEN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE AND MEMBERS OF THAT EFFICIENT ORGANIZATION, ARE HOSTING THE EVENT IN HONOR OF THE MEMBERS OF THE COMMISSION.

WE HAVE SENT INVITATIONS TO THE MEMBERS OF THE VALLEY LEGISLATIVE DELEGATION AS WELL AS OFFICERS OF INTERESTED ORGANIZATIONS.

IGNO BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING.

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR ATTENDED THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING OF THE INTERNATIONAL GUOD NEIGHBOR COUNCIL IN MONTERREY, MEXICO, ON JULY 20, 1974. IT WAS AN IMPORTANT AND A VERY SIGNIFICANT MEETING IN THAT REPORTS MADE DURING THE SESSIONS REVEALED THAT THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE OPGANIZATION IS AT ITS BEST DURING ITS 20 YEAR HISTORY. MANUEL JARA, OF THE FT. WORTH CHAPTER, REPORTS THAT THE ASSEMBLY TO BE HELD IN FT. WORTH ON OCTOBER 17-20, 1974, PROMISES TO DRAW A RECORD NUMBER OF DELEGATES FROM TEXAS, NEW MEXICO AND NORTHERN MEXICO.

1973 ANNUAL REPORT ON TEXAS MIGRANT LABOR

REQUESTS ARE STILL POURING IN FROM ALL OVER THE NATION FOR ADDITIONAL COPIES OF THE COMMISSION'S 1973 ANNUAL REPORT ON TEXAS MIGRANT LABOR. THE DISTRIBUTION LIST WAS CONSIDERABLY EXPANDED THIS YEAR, PARTICULARLY THE NUMBER MAILED TO MEMBERS OF THE TEXAS LEGISLATURE AND TO MEMBERS OF CONGRESS.

MIGRANT AFFAIRS AND PASE

A WRITTEN REPORT ON RECENT DEVELOPMENTS IN MIGRANT AFFAIRS AND THE PAN AMERICAN STUDENT FORUM WILL BE DISTRIBUTED TO THE COMMISSIONERS AT THE MCALLEN MEETING.

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THIRD QUARTERLY MEETING

AUGUST 10, 1974

McALLEN, TEXAS
SHERATON FAIRWAY MOTOR HOTEL

AGENDA

9:00 A.M.

- 1. INTRODUCTION OF SPECIAL GUESTS BY CHAIRMAN VICARS
- Report by a representative of the Port Isabel Detention/Deportation Center, Immigration & Naturalization Service, Los Fresnos, Texas
- 3. DEVELOPMENTS IN MIGRANT LABOR AFFAIRS OF THE COMMISSION
- 4. REPORT ON RECENT DEVELOPMENTS IN THE PAN AMERICAN STUDENT FORUM
- 5. DISCUSSION OF COMMISSIONER GAMMAGE'S PROPOSALS:
 - A. PREPARATION OF BROCHURE FOR U.S. CITIZENS RELATIVE TO MEXICAN DRUG LAWS
 - B. PROSPECTS FOR GRANTS FROM TEXAS FOUNDATION TO THE GOOD NEIGHBOR COMMISSION OF TEXAS COMMISSIONER'S FUND
 - C. PREPARATION OF LIST OF MEXICAN-AMERICAN ORGANIZATIONS IN TEXAS, AND ADVISING SAME OF COMMISSIONERS RESIDING IN AREA WHO ARE AVAILABLE TO PARTICIPATE IN MEXICAN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES

LUNCHEON RECESS

2:00 P.M.

- 6. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT:
 - A. BUDGETARY MATTERS
 - B. BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING OF IGNC ON JULY 20, 1974 IN MONTERREY, MEXICO
- 7. PROGRESS REPORT ON COMMISSION'S CONTINUING PROJECTS:
 - A. OJINAGA-PRESIDIO BRIDGE
 - B. FALL IGNC ASSEMBLY IN FORT WORTH
- 8. INTRODUCTION OF DR. HECTOR P. GARCIA, FOUNDER OF AMERICAN G.I. FORUM, AND FORMER MEMBER OF U.S. COMMISSION ON CIVIL RIGHTS
- 9. ROUND TABLE DISCUSSION BY COMMISSIONERS
- 10. EXECUTIVE SESSION PERSONNEL MATTERS

ADJOURNMENT