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Dear Senator Yarborough:

Reference is made to your recent letter concerning Mr. Esau Flores, an Immigration Patrol Inspector stationed at El Paso, Texas, who desires a transfer to Kingsville, Texas.

I am sorry to have to advise you that the prospects for favorable consideration of Mr. Flores' request in the near future are not good. The Service's manpower needs for Immigration Patrol Inspectors are greater at El Paso than at Kingsville. However, under our new merit promotion and reassignment system, vacancies which are to be filled will be announced and Mr. Flores will have an opportunity to apply for those in which he is interested.

You can be assured that when appropriate vacancies occur and Mr. Flores applies for them, he will be given every consideration along with the other interested officers who apply.

Sincerely,

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Honorable Ralph W. Yarborough United States Senate Washington, D. C.

Enclosure