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Dear Dr. Garcia:

Thank you for your kind invitation for me to address the G.I. Forum National Convention on Saturday, July 28.

Unfortunately, due to our move to new headquarters, your telegram was delayed in delivery and was not received by me until August 15. Needless to say, we are unable to accept your invitation.

Incidentally, thanks for your congratulations and good wishes.

With appreciation, and best wishes, I am

George McGovern

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