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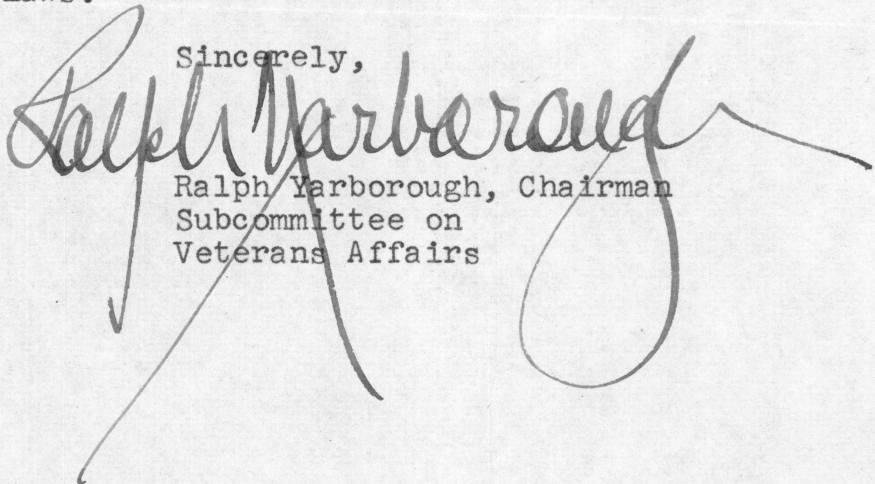
Dr. Hector P. Garcia
American GI Forum of the United States
Office of the National Chairman
Corpus Christi, Texas

Dear Dr. Garcia:

I am happy to inform you that on June 17 the Senate Subcommittee on Veterans Affairs approved the bill (S.1138) to provide a GI Bill for post-Korean veterans. It is anticipated that the bill will soon be considered by the full Committee on Labor and Public Welfare and thereafter by the full Senate.

The public is greatly concerned about the problems produced for individuals by the compulsory draft law. I personally share this concern and believe it is absolutely essential that the Congress take action to cope with these problems by reinstating the GI Bill. While, as I am sure you realize, final passage of the bill will largely depend upon the public concern being expressed to Members of Congress by their constituents, I assure you that I am doing all within my power to have this vitally needed measure restored to our Public Laws.

Sincerely,


Ralph Yarborough, Chairman
Subcommittee on
Veterans Affairs