## THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

January 19, 1967

Dear Dr. Garcia:

We have enclosed three items which may be of interest:

- 1. The announcement of the appointment of a Mexican American to be Regional Director of OEO on the East Coast. Mr. Sanchez will play the same role for this Coast that Mr. Luevano plays on the West Coast.
- 2. The White House announcement of Ambassador Telles' appointment to the chairmanship of the United States Mexican Commission on Economic and Social Development of the Border Area.
- 3. The annual report of the Civil Service Commission on minority group employment within the Federal Government. Although the 1965 and 1966 statistics are not directly comparable, there was a noticeable increase in Spanish surname federal employment between those years, with the percentage of such employment in the five southwestern states being 10% on June 30, 1966.

In addition, we have enclosed the names and addresses of two recently appointed Department of Labor personnel men. Both are Mexican Americans, and both have been given assignments to make the Mexican American community, and other groups, aware of career employment opportunities within the Department. The Post Office Department has a similar program.

We will continue to supply you with similar information as it becomes available.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures

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