

United States Senate
Office of the Democratic Leader
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Dear Hector:

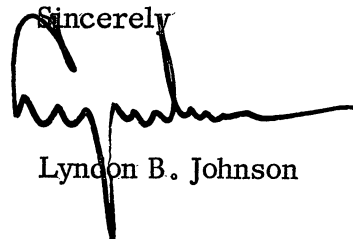
Many thanks for writing me again concerning the possible appointment of Judge Salinas to the Federal District Court for the Southern District of Texas.

As you know, my hands are pretty well tied in this matter; but should Judge Salinas be selected by the Administration for this high office, he will have smooth sailing as far as I am concerned.

Hector, I certainly appreciate having you to keep me advised on the situation in South Texas. Your suggestions have always been a great help to me and I hope you will continue to let me have the benefit of them. Your kind words are appreciated more than you know. I hope I can always conduct myself in such a manner as to merit your confidence.

Warmest personal regards.

Sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Lyndon B. Johnson', with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Lyndon B. Johnson

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