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IN REPLY REFER TO: SAVAE-G (AC)

29 April 1968

Hector P. Garcia, M. D. 1315 Bright Street Corpus Christi, Texas 78405

Dear Doctor Garcia:

This is in reply to your letter concerning Mr. Chrisostomo De Leon, an employee of this Center.

In an effort to provide you with information concerning the employment status of Mr. De Leon, I have had his personnel folder reviewed by my Civilian Personnel Officer. I am informed that his experience basically qualifies him as a Laborer for which he was temporarily employed on 25 May 1966. At the time of his employment, employees hired as Laborers or Helpers were given temporary appointments due to the limitation of permanent civilian spaces allotted to Department of the Army by Department of Defense.

On 7 April 1968 Mr. De Leon was changed from a temporary to a term appointee. This is a new Civil Service type of appointment which I was pleased to tell you about in my letter of 5 April 1968. This appointment, while not permanent, does permit the employee to be considered for promotion, reassignment, as well as insurance coverage and other fringe benefits. Meanwhile, continuing efforts are being made to convert our temporary and term employees to permanent status within the regulatory processes of the Civil Service Commission and Department of Army.

Mr. De Leon is a reinstatement eligible by virtue of his employment status of several years ago with the Naval Air Station. He has been considered very recently (14 March 1968) for permanent status as a Laborer; however, he was not selected.

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SAVAE-G (AC) Hector P. Garcia, M. D.

You are assured that I, too, am eager and desirous to convert the temporary and term appointees who are performing satisfactorily to permanent status as soon as possible.

Sincerely,

LUTHER G. JONES, JR. Colonel, TC Commanding