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Dr. Hector Garcia
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Corpus Christi, Texas 78405

Dear Dr. Garcia:

I just wanted to update you on our actions to locate assistance for Mr. Eddie Cutino and Memorial Medical Center.

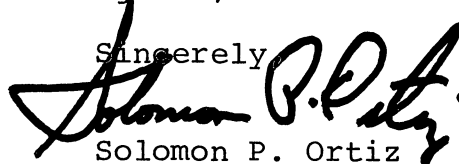
When we were first contacted by Carol Cross of Memorial Medical, we made a series of inquiries to the following offices: Immigration and Naturalization Service, the Jewish Council, Catholic Charities, the Department of Health and Human Services, the Texas Department of Human Resources, Crisis Intervention Services, and the U.S. State Department. At every avenue we were told that Mr. Cutino was not eligible for assistance due to his illegal status.

At this point, we have made another, written inquiry with the Department of Health and Human Services to request further help in locating possible sources of assistance. I will do everything possible to help both Mr. Cutino and the hospital.

Please do not hesitate to contact me or my staff assistant, Ms. Mary Femat, in my Corpus Christi office, whenever you would like further information.

With kindest personal regards, I am

Sincerely,


Solomon P. Ortiz
Your Congressman

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