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Dear Mrs. Abzug:

Ambassador Middendorf has asked me to reply to your letter of June 30 regarding the disappearance of the daughter of Sra. Avalos de Cabilla. While the U.S. Mission to the Organization of American States is not in a position to investigate individual cases I have passed your letter to the Office of Human Rights which will be attempting to obtain information about Veronica Maria.

In the meantime, I would suggest that you advise Sra. Avalos de Cabilla to contact the Inter-American Commission for Human Rights in Washington which may be able to offer some assistance.

Sincerely yours,

Randloph Marcus Adviser

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