

# HUMANITARIAN OPERATION<sup>15</sup>

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## OPERATION "LAS" COLONIAS

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### G.I. Forum "Operation Las Colonias" Strategy Plan

1. the decision to put operation Las Colonias into action, was made Tues June 7, 1968 by founder Dr. Hector Garcia and Nat. Chairman Mario Diaz by telephone.
2. Mario Diaz will arrive June 27, 1968 to hold a Press Conference together with Dr. Hector Garcia where both will notify the Press that the G.I. Forum will be in the Colonias in Texas to investigate complaints of critical health conditions of the Colono 250,000 population and third world economic conditions. Findings to be reported to the National Press Corp. (we will carry several cameras to use P.C.'s at Nat. Conv. to Politicians).
3. Mario Diaz will rent a large van when he arrives on 6/27/68. ON the 6/28/68 we shall depart early to arrive at the first colonia at 0800 the same day. Colonias: Luft in Edinburg, MESA IN Mercedes, EL Rancho + La Paloma on military highway, Cameron Park in Brownsville.