

June 12, 2013

Mr. Richard Villasana
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Re: Family finding case

Dear Mr. Villasana,

On behalf of Casa Pacifica, I would like to sincerely thank you for your extraordinary family finding efforts to locate the grandparents and other relatives of a child in our care. The information you provided will allow us to reach family members in Mexico of one of our foster children.

Our non-profit is contracted with Ventura County to perform, among many responsibilities, family finding for the children in foster care. Family finding requires us to locate as many relatives as possible. Our goal is to have from 40 to 60 adult relatives per case with whom we can work. In this way we can eventually identify those family members who will give the child the family connection he/she needs. The desired outcome is that by finding family members a child can be placed in a permanent home with loving relatives.

The particular case that your organization handled involved a child who has relatives still living in Mexico. Thanks to the specialized efforts of your organization, we now have information on several possible relatives including the grandmother of the foster child.

I sincerely hope that we can count on your continued services to help our efforts to locate family members for other foster children who come into our care and have relatives still living in Mexico.

Again, please accept our most sincere appreciation for the work your organization provides to Casa Pacifica and our foster children through your donor-sponsored program. If I can be of any assistance to you in the future, please do not hesitate to contact me.

With warmest regards,

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