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Mr. Santiago Polanco Abreu
Chairman
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San Juan, Puerto Rico

Dear Mr. Polanco Abreu:

I am grateful for your letter of October 29, in which you inform me that the Bicentennial Commission of Puerto Rico will participate in the Institute's project entitled Puerto Rico at the Turn of the Century and will contribute \$25,000 to the same.

We are submitting to the National Endowment for the Humanities all pertinent information regarding our proposal, as well as copies of our correspondence with the Bicentennial Commission of Puerto Rico. The Commission's contribution is most welcomed, and I am certain that it will greatly assist our efforts to carry out the intended project.

We are planning to start the research on April 15, 1974, as explained in the proposal submitted to the Endowment of which a copy is attached.

Please extend to the full Commission the Institute's thanks for their valuable contribution to our joint endeavor.

Sincerely,

Ricardo E. Alegria
Executive Director