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Dear Dr. Schlottfeldt:

Your letter relative to Senores Agripino Aprunches Viana and Frederico Cotta de Vasconcallo as possible candidates for Latin American scholarships to train in our Mexican Agricultural Program has been received. At the present time, we are not in a position to give you any definite indication as to the possibility of their being accepted. The pressures for our limited funds in support of our scholarship program are severe, so that it might not be possible for our Scholarship Committee to give favorable action even though these two gentlemen offer many favorable qualifications.

I am following up on these two cases by writing to Dr. Ralph Richardson, our Director in Mexico, to determine if they can be accepted in the program there. This is the indicated first step, and afterwards we would need to have a formal request from a responsible official in ACAR for these two fellowships. In addition, ACAR would need to assure us that they would be given positions of responsibility in its program once they have finished their training in Mexico.

I will keep you informed as developments occur relative to these two cases.

Sincerely yours,

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