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Forever Homes for Foster Kids
Richard Villasana, Founder
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Dear Mr. Villasana,

On behalf of the American Civil Liberties Union, we thank you and your charity for your efforts in Honduras to locate a parent who was separated from their child. Our organization has led the fight to reunite the thousands of parents who had their children taken away at the U.S.-Mexico border in recent years. ACLU has dedicated enormous resources to reconnect these parents with their children.

Despite more than two thousand successful reunifications, some mothers and fathers still remain apart from their children, worrying about their health and safety, and desperate to hold their child again. One of the greatest obstacles to successfully locating a parent in Honduras is the limited information we have on file from the U.S. government about the parent.

Earlier this year, we reached out to Forever Homes for Foster Kids because of your organization's expertise in finding relatives in countries throughout Latin America, including Honduras. Forever Homes for Foster Kids has proven effective in engaging with officials who provide their time and resources to locate a parent.

In this particular case, ongoing efforts had failed to locate the mother, so the ACLU called upon your services. Within just weeks of receiving the case information, your organization identified the mother and provided us with her contact information.

Without your services, we would not have the critical information to be able to communicate with this mother. Our ultimate goal is that she have the choice to reunite with her child and live in the U.S.

ACLU greatly appreciates your dedication and diligence to a successful conclusion for this case as well as for the many other cases that Forever Homes for Foster Kids has resolved in Honduras for our organization.

Sincerely,



Daniel Galindo

