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Subject: Death of Eliseo Guzman, new Director-
Administrator of El Mundo.

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The Honorable

The Secretary of State,
Washington.

Sir:

With reference to the Embassy's restricted airgram A-1015 of August 8, 1949 reporting the sale of the newspaper El Mundo of Habana to a publishing firm headed by, among others, Eliseo GUZMAN, I have the honor to report that Sr. Guzman died of a heart attack early in the morning of August 24, 1949.

Biographic data concerning Sr. Guzman were contained in the Embassy's biographic report of June 23, 1948. He had been exercising his new functions as Director and Administrator of El Mundo for less than a month. His successor has not yet been announced.

Respectfully yours,

For the Chargé d'Affaires a. i.:

Earl T. Crain
First Secretary of Embassy

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