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January 27, 1941

Mr. I. Fainkujen
Apartado 116
Mexico, D. F.

Dear Mr. Fainkujen:

Mr. L. Robinson approached me with reference to your desire of entering the United States, and asked me to write to you.

It will therefore be necessary that you send me your complete history and whatever documents you have, such as birth certificates of yourself and family, police certificates, and marriage certificate. Should these certificates require translation and photostatic copies you may attached to your communication a check to cover the expense.

Upon receipt of the above named documents and your letter, I will be in better position to advise you about your admissability.

Awaiting your reply, I am

Sincerely yours,

Mrs. Frank Zlabovsky
1016 Olive Street

FZ:LG

El Paso, Texas
May 3, 1943

Mr. I. Fainkujen
Motolinia 20 - Despacho 506
Mexico, D. F.

Dear Mr. Fainkujen:

Enclosed you will please find letters from the
Hias, who seek further information with reference
to yourself and Mr. Gil Altschuler.

Please answer all questions, and return them and
enclosed letters to me at your earliest convenience.

Thanking you for your prompt attention, I am

Yours very truly,

Mrs. Frank Zlabovsky
1016 Olive Street
El Paso, Texas

El Paso, Texas
May 20, 1943

Mr. Louis Spiegler, Counsel
1317 F Street, N. W.,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I just received the enclosed communications from Mexico City in connection with the cases of Messrs. Fainkujen and Gil Altschuler.

In answers 4 and 5, Mr. Altschuler uses the word ignores. He means ignorant of, in both cases.

I hope with this information you will be able to get favorable action on these cases.

Thanking you, I am

Yours very truly,

Mrs. Frank Zlabovsky
207 El Paso Nat'l Bank Bldg
El Paso, Texas

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WASHINGTON OFFICE

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July 8, 1943

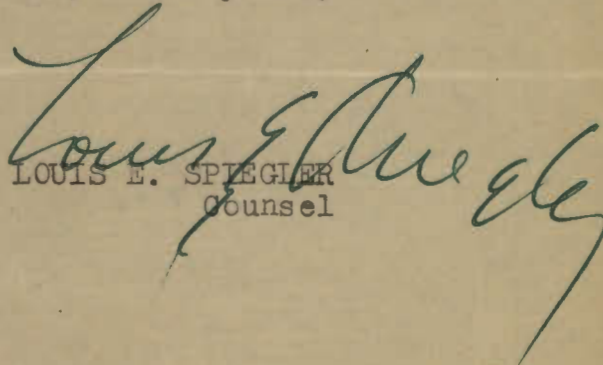
Mrs. Frank Zlabovsky
207 El Paso National Bank Building
El Paso, Texas

Dear Mrs. Zlabovsky:

Reference is made to your letter of May 20, 1943, with regard to the visa application in behalf of Isaac Fainkuchen (Fainkujen).

We are very pleased to advise you that the hearing before the Interdepartmental Visa Review Committee has been scheduled for July 22, 1943, at 9:00 a.m., at which time we shall present and argue the case to the best of our knowledge and ability based upon the facts and information contained in our file. We shall, of course, advise you immediately of any and all new developments in this matter.

Very truly yours,


LOUIS E. SPIEGLER
Counsel

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El Paso, Texas
July 17, 1943

Mr. I. Fainkujen
Motolinia 20 - Despacho 506
Mexico, D. F.

Dear Mr. Fainkujens:

The enclosed are copies of letters received from our Washington Office, which are self-explanatory.

Immediately upon receipt of these letters, I contacted Mr. Baum and asked him to send a telegram requesting that you wire the information requested. However, to date this has not been received, and would appreciate your wiring without further delay in order for me to get the information to our representative in time for the July 22nd hearing.

Thanking you to give this your prompt attention, I am

Yours very truly,

Mrs. Frank Zlabovsky
207 El Paso Nat'l Bank Bldg
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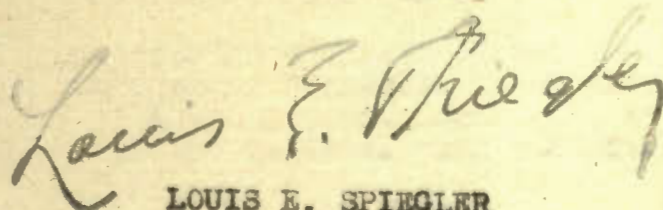
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Mr. Isaac Fainkuchen
Chimalpopoca 30
Mexico, D. F.

Dear Mr. Fainkuchen:

As you know your application for visitor's visa was scheduled for hearing before the Interdepartmental Visa Review Committee on the 22nd instant. At that time we appeared in your behalf and presented the case on the basis of the information furnished to us. We trust the application will be successful and shall be pleased to inform you of the Department's decision as soon as it is conveyed to us.

Yours very truly,



LOUIS E. SPIEGLER
Counsel

BKS:aw

cc: Mrs. Frank Zlabovsky

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OFFICE
425 Lafayette Street
New York, N. Y.

Mr. Gil Altschuler
Provedora Metalica, S. A.
Motolinia 20 - Despacho 506
Mexico, D. F.
Mexico

COPY

Dear Sir:

We are pleased to acknowledge receipt of your telegram of the 22nd instant and your letter of the 19th instant which, however, was not received until today.

The information given in your telegram was sufficient for our use. We have decided not to submit the various letters sent us inasmuch as the ones that possibly might be useful are written in Spanish. Accordingly, all the documents which were attached to your letter are returned herewith.

We presented the case to the best of our ability on the basis of the information furnished to us and hope that your application will be granted. We shall, of course, immediately advise you of the decision when rendered.

Yours very truly,

Louis E. Spiegel
LOUIS E. SPIEGLER
Counsel

BKS:aw
cc: Mrs. Frank Zlabovsky

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Send the following telegram, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

To Louis E. Spiegler Counsel July 27th 19 43

Care of or Apt. No. HIAS

Street and No. 1317 F Street, N. W.

Place Washington, D. C.

Wire my expense decision Isaac Fainkuchen case. His mother seriously ill in Los Angeles Hospital. He is appealing for privilege to leave at once to be at her bedside. He is now in C. Juarez, Mexico awaiting reply.

Mrs. F. Zlabovsky

WANT A REPLY?
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WASHINGTON 4, D. C.

August 3, 1943

LOUIS E. SPIEGLER
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ABRAHAM ROCKMORE
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Mrs. Frank Zlabovsky
1016 Olive Street
El Paso, Texas

My dear Mrs. Zlabovsky:

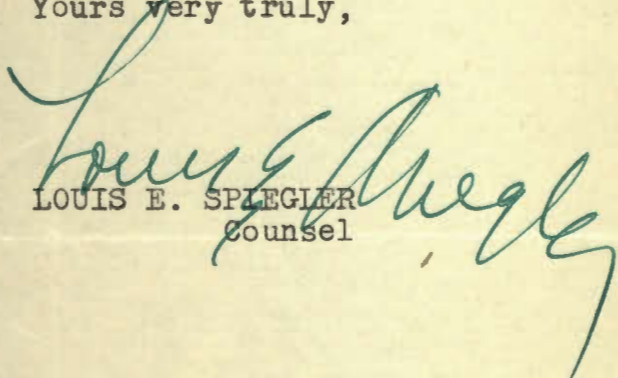
ISIDORE HERSHFIELD
Counsel Emeritus

Reference is made to your interest in the matter of Isaac Fainkuchen and to your telegram of July 27.

Please advise us whether a telegram has been sent to the Visa Division, State Department informing it of the serious illness of the applicant's mother. Also, if you can forward to this office a medical certificate from the attending physician, we can then specially appear and request that action on the visa application be expedited.

NATIONAL
OFFICE
425 Lafayette Street
New York, N. Y.

Yours very truly,


LOUIS E. SPIEGLER
Counsel

LES:aw

El Paso, Texas
August 10, 1943

Mr. Louis E. Speigler, Counsel
1317 F Street, N. W.,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Speigler:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of
the 3rd inst.

I advised Mr. Fainkuchen to send the telegram to
the Visa Division, which he promised to do upon
his return to Mexico. He also told me that he
would send a Doctor's Certificate with reference
to his mother's illness, but since his departure
I have not heard from him. Should I hear from
him, I will transmit the information to you.

No doubt you will advise me when decision is made
by the State Department in both Mr. Fainkuchen and
Altschuler cases.

Thanking you for your interest, I am

Yours very truly,

Mrs. Frank Zlabovsky
207 El Paso Nat'l Bank Bldg
El Paso, Texas

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c.c. I. Fainkuchen

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December 8, 1943.

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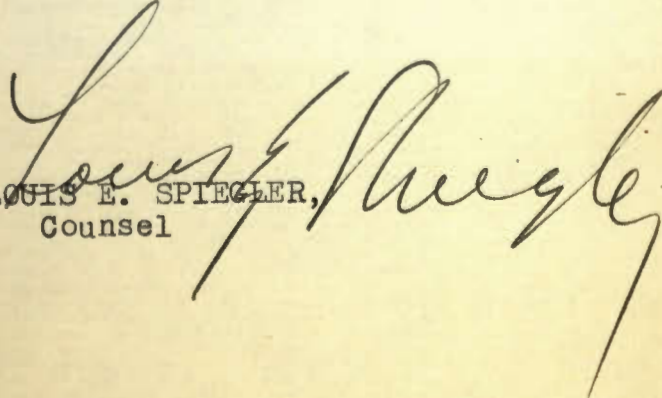
Dear Mrs. Zlabovsky:--

Referring to your interest in the case of Isaac Fainkuchen and supplementing our telegram of even date herewith, we are pleased to advise you that the Visa Division, Department of State has given advisory approval for the issuance of a visitor's visa to Mr. Isaac Fainkuchen.

Appropriate notification has been sent by air mail to the American Embassy at Mexico, D. F.

We sincerely hope that Mr. Fainkuchen will have no further difficulties in coming to the United States.

Yours very truly,


LOUIS E. SPIEGLER,
Counsel

LES:nbk

El Paso, Texas
December 8, 1943

Mr. I. Fainkujen
Motolinia 20 - Despacho 506
Mexico, D. F.

Dear Mr. Fainkujen:

Enclosed you will please find telegram just received from the HIAS, in which approval is given for the issuance of Visitor Visa requested. If you have not already done so, please report to the American Embassy at Mexico City at your earliest convenience.

As you will note from the enclosed telegram, same was sent collect, and I paid \$1.80 charges on it.

With kindest personal regards, I am

Yours very truly,

Mrs. Frank Zlabovsky
207 El Paso Nat'l Bank Bldg
El Paso, Texas

FZ:LRG
(ENC)

El Paso, Texas
December 13, 1943

Mr. Gil Altschuler
Provedora Metalica, S. A.
Motolinia 20 - Despacho 506
Mexico, D. F.

Dear Mr. Altschuler:

I have been advised by the Hias Office in Washington of favorable acceptance of your application for entry into the United States. If you have not already done so, please call at the American Consulate at your earliest convenience, as that office has also been notified of your acceptance.

Assuring you of my pleasure in assisting you in this matter, and looking forward to seeing you soon, I am

Yours very truly,

Mrs. F. Zlabovsky
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El Paso, Texas