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The Government of Mexico through the Consulate in Saint Paul donates 11, 165 Spanish textbooks

The Government of Mexico through the Consulate in Saint Paul will donate 11, 165 Spanish textbooks this coming January 31st, 2007 to a total of 82 organizations located in Minnesota and Northern Wisconsin. Among the recipients are school districts, public libraries, community centers, universities and penitentiary centers.

The "2007 Free Spanish Textbooks Program" is part of the effort that the Government of Mexico has been doing so their nationals as well as the Hispanic community in general can continue their education in Spanish. Each book will contribute to the teaching of Spanish as a second language, furthermore, this program will most definitely contribute to strengthen children, teenagers and adults identity that reside in the State of Minnesota and Northern Wisconsin.

"One of the goals of the Consulate of Mexico in Saint Paul is to establish a permanent relationship with every educational institution that serves the speaking Spanish community throughout the state" affirmed Consul Nathan Wolf.

The free Spanish Textbooks promote the development of abilities, attitudes and knowledge; in the design of their activities, the textbooks incorporate the experiences and knowledge of the students and favor that children and adults who seek information in other documentary sources where they live. From the editorial point of view, these textbooks have been carefully designed and they include the work of a great variety of photographers and Mexican illustrators.

On January 31st, Consul Wolf will present this educational material to all the organizations at the Cesar Chavez Academy in a ceremony in which Saint Paul City's Mayor Chris Coleman and the principal of the Cesar Chavez Academy will attend.

Event: **Donation of 11, 165 Spanish Textbooks**

When? **January 31st, 2007**

Time: **11:00AM**

Where? **Cesar Chavez Academy (1800 Ames Ave. St. Paul, MN. 55119)**

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