

From: Mariano Arista

To: Mr. Vicente Filisola

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Ministry of War and Marine

As a result of the letter dated June 19, this commission has learned the reason for Filisola's resignation from the Office of Fellow Proprietor. Although the commission believes Filisola's reasons for his resignation to be fully justified, the commission must still acknowledge this individual's contributions during difficult times, which he was able to make as a result of his staunch patriotism. Regarding the aforementioned, on June 28, it was also agreed that Filisola should attend the meetings of the commission whenever his busy schedule and well as his infirmities allow him to do so. Therefore, the Secretary has been advised to notify Filisola regarding the dates on which this commission is scheduled to meet. In particular, it is my honor to invite your [Page 2] reply to my letter, which I shall consider and appreciate.

God and Liberty. July 3, 1849

Signed by Arista

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The Most Excellent Mr. Vicente Filisola, Division General and Associate Proprietor of this Commission.