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U.S. Civil Rights Commission to Release Report on Immigration Detention Centers

WASHINGTON – The U.S. Commission on Civil Rights (USCCR) will be releasing its statutory enforcement report to the President and Congress on September 17, 2015, focusing on the state of civil rights at U.S. immigration detention centers including family detention. A press conference with the USCCR Chairman, Martin R. Castro, will be held at the National Press Club that morning to discuss the Commission findings. The report will be available on the USCCR website on the 17th. The Chairman will be available for interviews after the press conference.

WHAT: USCCR statutory enforcement report release on the state of civil rights at immigration detention centers

WHO: USCCR Chairman Martin R. Castro

WHERE: National Press Club, Zenger Room
529 14th Street NW, Washington, DC 20045

WHEN: September 17, 2015; 9:00 a.m. ET

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Please contact Kelsey Crow with any questions and interview requests.

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