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Press Conference: Senator Rodríguez and Representative Ortega to address media following visit to Tornillo facility

El Paso - Senator José Rodríguez and State Representative Lina Ortega will tour the "tent" detention facility in Tornillo, Texas, which currently houses unaccompanied minors and children separated from their parents. Following the tour, they will hold a press conference to share information and address any questions from the media at 11:30 a.m. in front of the Port of Entry at Tornillo.

What: Press Conference to discuss tour of Tornillo detention facility

When: 11:30 a.m., Friday, July 6, 2018

Where: Marcelino Serna Port of Entry, 1400 Lower Island Rd., Tornillo, TX 79853

José Rodríguez represents Texas Senate District 29, which includes the counties of El Paso, Hudspeth, Culberson, Jeff Davis, and Presidio. He represents both urban and rural constituencies, and more than 350 miles of the Texas-Mexico border. Senator Rodríguez currently serves as the Chairman of the Texas Senate Democratic Caucus, and is a member of the Senate Committees on Natural Resources and Economic Development; Transportation; Veteran Affairs and Border Security; and Agriculture, Water, and Rural Affairs (Vice Chair).

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