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Hermano,

As a national Minister for the Brown Beret Organization and a part of the Ministry, we felt it was very necessary that you be informed of the following situations that have taken place within the Los Angeles Brown Berets. Gloria Arellanes has officially resigned from the Brown Beret Organization and as Minister of Finance and Correspondence, and from all further duties in the organization. There has been a great exclusion on behalf of the male segment and failure of the ministers to communicate with us, among many, many other things.

One additional item - ALL Brown Beret women have also resigned from further duties in the organization. We have been treated as nothings, and not as Revolutionary sisters, which means the resolutions that all our "macho" men voted for have been disregarded. We have found that the Brown Beret men have oppressed us more than the pig system has, which in the eyes of revolutionaries is a serious charge. Therefore, we have agreed and found it necessary to resign and possibly do our own thing.

We feel that we can much better organize by ourselves, as the suppression in the past has made it next to impossible to do so. Contrary to what the men are saying that we are "temporarily suspended" we have officially resigned.

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All ex-members of the Brown Beret Female segment.