Republic of Texas.
Department of State.

To all to whom these presents shall come,

The undersigned, Secretary of State of the Republic of Texas, do hereby request all whom it may concern to permit the bearer hereof, Elías María Leal, together with his companions, José María Lambú de Jespeck, and his son, E. P. Johnston, with their servants and muleadares, freely to pass to and return from San Antonio, or such other points as they may wish to visit and to trade on all the horses which they now have in possession as well as mules and packs, and in case of need to give them all lawful aid and protection, so long as they conduct themselves with decency and in order.

Sealed at the city of Llano, this 28th day of July, 1838.

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