

May 19, 1922

Hon. O. B. Black,  
Mayor of San Antonio,  
City.

Dear Sir:-

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of May 13th., outlining conditions under which renewal of lease of Stinson Field may be effected.

Your letter has been referred to the Chief of Air Service for further action, with the confidence that terms of the new lease now being prepared will be satisfactory to all concerned. It has always been the attitude of this office, as well as the Chief of Air Service, to foster commercial aviation in every way possible.

The interest in commercial aviation stimulated by Admiral Fullam during his recent visit in this city, is an added reason for a clause in the new lease retaining privileges for commercial use, as requested in your letter. This office will, therefore, recommend that further use of Stinson Field by the United States Air Service be without hinderance to the development of commercial aviation.

Thanking you for your careful and prompt consideration of our request made thru Mr. Riley, of the Chamber of Commerce, I have the pleasure to be

Yours very truly,

Frank D. Lackland  
Major, Air Service,  
Air Officer

