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Mr. Charles Lake  
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Dear Mr. Lake:

We are responding to your inquiry.

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We regret that we cannot be of service in this matter.

Very truly yours,

*Maurice Padula*

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Senior Consumer Frauds Representative  
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