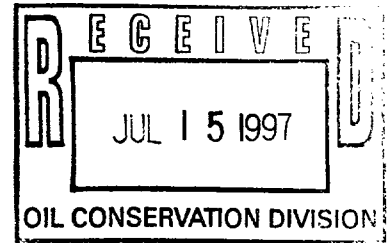


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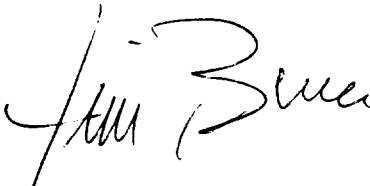
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Dear Florene:

Enclosed are an original and two copies of an application and a proposed advertisement, filed on behalf of Gillespie-Crow, Inc. Please set this matter for the August 7th hearing.

Very truly yours,

  
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