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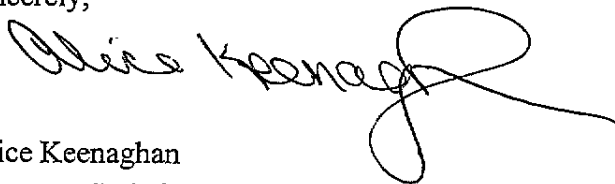
Dear Sir:

I just learned that a check written by one of our best customers was mistakenly returned due to insufficient funds.

On behalf of the entire staff of First Union, please accept my sincere apology for this error. Even though we have a well-planned system of checks and balances, mistakes do occasionally occur. We want you to know that the oversight was entirely ours, and should not reflect on the good standing of our mutual customer.

If you have questions, or need more information, please feel free to call me. Again, I apologize for any inconvenience this may have caused you.

Sincerely,



Alice Keenaghan
Customer Relations Manager
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