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Mr. Neil J. Gillespie
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Dear Mr. Gillespie:

Attorney General Pam Bondi received your correspondence regarding your experiences with the Florida Office of Financial Regulation (OFR). Attorney General Bondi asked that I respond. I am sorry for your difficulties.

We have reviewed your correspondence to determine if our agency can in any way be of assistance to you. Your complaint has been forwarded to the Attorney General's legal staff for further review. What action, if any, this office may take is unknown at this time. However, please be aware our office does not mediate on behalf of private individuals.

If you are dissatisfied with the handling of your concerns by OFR, you may wish to contact the OFR Inspector General for any assistance which may be available. The contact information is:

Office of Inspector General
Office of Financial Regulation
200 East Gaines Street
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0370
Telephone: (850) 410-9712

As the OFR is an agency under the direct authority of the Governor's Office, you may also wish to contact the Chief Inspector General for the State of Florida at (850) 922-4637.

Please consult a private attorney for any legal guidance you may need. The Florida Bar offers a Lawyer Referral Service toll-free at (800) 342-8060. If you cannot afford an attorney, you may be eligible for low cost or pro bono assistance through a local legal aid office. The Florida Bar can assist you with this process.

I hope you will understand the Attorney General's duties are prescribed by law. Thank you for taking the time to share your concerns with the Attorney General's Office.

Sincerely,

Brandon Brooks
Office of Citizen Services