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Trooper Richard Thomas
Florida Highway Patrol
1011 NW 111 Avenue
Miami, FL 33172

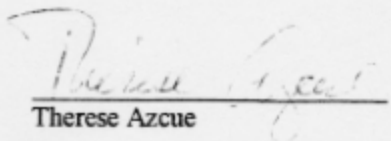
Dear Trooper Thomas,

I hope that you are the trooper who stopped me last weekend at Flaggler Street and 87th Avenue and found me to be operating my vehicle with an expired tag.

I want to reiterate my appreciation for the way in which you handled my situation and further add that it is with particular deliberateness that I send payment on my pledge to the Florida Association of State Troopers, as attested to by the attached copy.

I will not easily forget my encounter with you nor the professional manner in which you conducted yourself. During my active life I had many an occasion to come in contact with both state and municipal authorities in what used to be my home state. This was the first time I came in personal contact with a Florida law enforcement authority. I could not be more impressed with my experience. Thank you very much.

Sincerely,


Therese Azcue