

Supreme Court of the United States
Washington, D. C. 20543

CHAMBERS OF
JUSTICE HARRY A. BLACKMUN

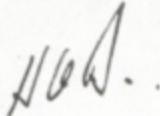
April 1, 1980

Re: No. 78-1779 - Owen v. City of Independence

Dear Bill:

Please join me.

Sincerely,

Handwritten signature of Harry A. Blackmun, consisting of the initials 'H.A.' followed by a period and a flourish.A short horizontal line drawn below the signature.

Mr. Justice Brennan

cc: The Conference