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LETTER OF REFERENCE

To Whom It May Concern:

It has been over 15 years that I have known Rick Merante, as both, a close friend and colleague. I was first introduced to Rick when I joined, Brinderson Inc., where he was associated with us as a primary supplier and representative owner for structural steel fabrication and installation for the petrochemical industry. I am writing this reference letter with regard to his ambitions of bettering his future and hiring on as an asset with your firm.

Rick is one of the most disciplined and punctual person I've ever known. His ability to work efficiently under field conditions and deadlines for work activities is extremely keen and speaks about his hard work, determination, and his ability to produce sound and engineered assessment as needed. During several project , he worked as the representative and liaison for company projects and demonstrated excellent leadership skills and morale.

I would also like to add that, Rick is currently calling on Jacobs as a sales and marketing representative of a well-known contracting firm that produces rigging, erection and heavy transport needs to our industry. he performs his work tasks, with compassion, praiseworthy perseverance and ambition. I believe that he is a deserving candidate for a prominent position and would prove to be an asset for your organization. I thereby, strongly recommend Rick for your organization.

Sincerely,

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