



Powertrain Operations Systems Office

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Gentlemen,

This letter is being written on behalf of John Stout who worked for me for about a year concluding in June, 1993. The project involved developing a DOS application using Microsoft C, a GUI library called C-Scape, and other callable libraries. The application contained twenty modules and about 50,000 lines of code.

John's command of the C programming language proved to be a valuable asset for the project. His programming style also resulted in code which is easily understood. I too have moved on to other projects, but our new counterparts were making substantial code enhancements after just a couple weeks - a feat which a consider potent evidence of the code's maintainability.

John's previous experience with Windows and object oriented programming also made him a de facto on-site consultant for the developers working on Windows projects. His expertise was tapped at least on a weekly basis.

Finally, the value of John's proficiency in Brief should not be underestimated. On several occasions global changes to the code were required which John completed in roughly half the time I would have estimated for the job.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jeff Sisolak".

Jeff Sisolak