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To whom it may concern:

I have known Mr. Perez for approximately ten years. I have worked with Mr. Perez at a professional and personal level. He has been an asset to the Latino community of Buffalo and Western New York. He has demonstrated the ability to adapt to a difficult situation, multi-tasks with ease and is well-liked by students and clients.

He has volunteered and helped me coordinate the food aspect of the Annual Ethnic thanksgiving festival at the International Institute. He has referred Latino students to various immigration services at the International Institute and USCIS, assisted with their assimilation and acculturation to American society with recent Latino arrivals.

He has volunteered countless hours and coordinated with various American agencies to present different aspects of American culture and history to Latino students, assisted Latino students with immigration questions and concerns. He had interpreted in the New York State court system for Latino students. He has translated basic documents from English to Spanish and vice-versa for Latino students.

If any further information is needed, please contact me at 716-884-3067.

Cordially,

Edwin A. Aponte

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