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Governor Atiyeh

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

This is to introduce Stanford Killinsworth, a Portland, Oregon businessman whom I have known both professionally and as a friend for many years.

It has been well over twenty years since my first contact with Stan, who was then a television news photographer when I served in the Oregon Senate. His assignments at the capitol also continued throughout my tenure as Governor. I found him to be a hard working newsman dedicated to being honest and truthful. He never violated a trust.

Some time ago Stan turned to business and these are the same qualities I have perceived in his business dealings. Having been a successful businessman myself, before and after being a Governor, I am in a unique position to make the observations about Stan and his character.

In brief, Stanford Killingsworth is a capable, forthright businessman with whom it is a pleasure doing business.

Sincerely,

Victor Ativeh

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