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Subject: Small Business Enterprise
Letter of Reference
Automated Systems Engineering

To Whom It May Concern:

I am pleased to provide this letter of recommendation for Automated Systems Engineering (ASE). Brown and Caldwell (BC) has enjoyed a strong working relationship with ASE for 7 years and have completed eighteen successful MSDGC projects together. We look forward to continuing this positive working relationship in the future.

BC appreciates the specialty electrical, instrumentation and control, and programming services that ASE provides. ASE is extremely knowledgeable in MSDGCs architecture, systems, and standards and is a valuable resource to successful project completion. ASE provides complete services from planning through startup. Their staff is very professional and understands the importance of client service. ASE is very detail orientated a trait that is an absolute necessity to insure a successful design. They deliver on time and on budget and are always responsive to assist in resolving any issue that arises.

ASE continues to be diligent and forthright in their business relationship with Brown and Caldwell and we will be continuing to work together in the future. I would readily recommend ASE to other firms seeking a reliable, professional team member.

Best Regards,

Brown and Caldwell

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Timothy E. Koch".

Timothy E. Koch, P.E.
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