To Whom It May Concern:

This is a professional job reference for Carsten Bueche.

Carsten worked as a contractor for us as an automation engineer from June 2003 – June 2004. We are a software development company based in Georgia in the United States. We produce a Windows client-server software package for professional tax preparers.

While working for us, Carsten was responsible for constructing and executing automated regression tests. Carsten used Emos Framework for creating a flexible test architecture, Excel for data tables, Winrunner for the script development and Testdirector as a test repository. He completed all work using secure remote acces to our facilitiy from his home in Germany. Using the technique of modularization supported by EMOS enabled a general automation of all tests. Test tables were generated in Excel for expandable test cases that independently could be carried out by functions imbedded in test scripts. Therefore, only a minimal effort to account for GUI changes was required before tests could be executed.

The test cases were generated by Carsten based upon specifications for a set of test scenarios. They were then used in testing on our Cleint/server-system. Supporting tools were Winrunner, TestDirector and Emos Framework. Tests were either executed by Carsten over a WAN by means of remote access on a workstation in our test lab or a test team member on-site.

In addition to creating and executing automated tests, Carsten used the Emos Framework to generate a large part of the indispensable documentation for the tests.

The experiences that were gathered by the use of the tools and Carsten's expert handling, left no doubt at to the efficiency of the methods and the use of the Emos Framework.

In all aspects of his job, Carsten was a consistent and reliable contractor. He performed in a professional manner at all times. He maintained constant contact with me and kept me informed regularly as to his progress. He fully dedicated himself to all aspects of his assignments and never waivered from fulfilling his obligations to us. I recommend him to anyone seeking to fill a similar position.

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