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**OBJECT: PROFESSIONAL RECOMMENDATION FOR RGB PROFESSIONAL SERVICES LLC**

Dear Jenna,

I am happy to recommend Richard G. Barrett of RGB Professional Services, LLC for Information Technology security service delivery at your agency. For the last year, Mr. Barrett has provided architecture and implementation support for our customer's complex and government-regulated software asset inventory systems.

I had the pleasure of working with Mr. Barrett on a contract in support of the Social Security Administration, where he was expected to work independently to provide cybersecurity subject matter expertise to the Agency's IT security engineering team. Mr. Barrett was extremely thorough and proactive in his support of our customer's team, creating project structure and introducing security best practices that strengthened the deliverables and improved the benefit to the Agency. Although the customer's priorities varied over the life of the project, Mr. Barrett remained focused on the Agency's strategic needs while also working attentively with the customer on intermediate work products.

Mr. Barrett, representing RGB-PS LLC, was a flexible and constructive team member. He brought valuable expertise, good judgement, and humor to his work each day. His professional maturity was evident in his communication with the customer, his reliable work ethic, and his attention to detail in both small and large tasks.

I strongly recommend his services to potential clients and would work with Mr. Barrett again on future customer engagements.

Sincerely,



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