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To Whom It May Concern:

Barton Mines has benefitted greatly over the years from Baker Shore sales & use tax reviews. Our first review and subsequent refund, took place in the year 2000. However, during their most recent review, they generated a \$66,000 total refund and the firm's managing partner, Joe DiLorenzo presented a customized seminar at our location to help our company realize future savings though enhanced sales tax compliance.

Over the years our AP files have gone from paper to scanned/electronic and regardless of the circumstance, they conducted their review with little disruption and with minimal help on our part to show how to navigate our system. They worked independently, completing all the forms and documentation to obtain our refund from the State.

Our relationship with this firm is ongoing as we continue to tap their specialized knowledge for clarification to questions as they arise. Based on my experience with this firm and as someone who works for a company with a strong commitment to "*continuous improvement*," I would highly recommend implementing Baker Shore's sales & use tax review and custom seminar as part of that commitment. The professionalism and expertise is second to none.

Sincerely,

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