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To Whom It May Concern:

Regarding the application for Health Care Interpreter credentials by the Oregon Health Authority, this is to certify that I have personal knowledge of (Name of Applicant):

and can attest that his/her/their level of language proficiency in the following language(s):

at minimum meets with ILR Skill Level 3 (Professional Competence):

Able to participate successfully in most social, practical, and professional interactions, including those that may require a range of formal and informal language and behavior. Can adapt to a variety of individuals and groups without being misconstrued and transition smoothly from informal to formal styles of communication. Controls nonverbal responses, such as gestures, and handles unfamiliar situations appropriately, including those involving taboos or emotionally-charged subjects. Rarely misreads cultural cues, and can almost always repair misinterpretations. Can understand and make appropriate use of cultural references and expressions, and can usually discuss a variety of issues and subject matter that refer to the culture, such as history, politics, literature, and the arts. Can interpret reading materials and recognize subtleties, implications, and tone. Able to communicate via social media. In professional contexts, the individual can interact appropriately during meetings and provide detailed explanations or reports both in person and in writing. Social behavior and interactions reflect significant knowledge and understanding of cultural expectations.

Name:

Email Address:

Phone Number:

Occupation:

Relationship to the applicant: