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Ann Tran, M.A.

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Re: Letter of Reference.

Dear Ms. Tran,

Please feel free to use this letter as a letter of reference. I sincerely appreciate your service in my courtroom as a certified court interpreter for a Vietnamese juror. It was clear to me that you performed your duties with excellence throughout the several days of trial and deliberations in the case. I commend you on the professionalism you displayed throughout the proceedings. Specifically it was very helpful to the court that you confirmed the days and times that you would be present and you appeared for the proceedings in a timely manner without fail. Speaking on behalf of the attorneys, the jurors, my staff and myself, you were very pleasant to work with.

Clearly, you know your field of expertise extremely well. I was very comfortable that you interpreted the proceedings with clarity and concisely for the juror and the Court. I recognize that during the trial, complicated testimony arose which could have made your job difficult to perform in an accurate manner. However, it appeared to me that you covered those areas efficiently. Also apparent, throughout the trial was your diligence in keeping pace with the proceedings even through prolonged sessions.

I would not hesitate to request your services again as a certified court interpreter in the Vietnamese language. I would further highly recommend you to others for performance these or similar services.

With Sincere Thanks.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Mark A. Macaron".
Mark A. Macaron