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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

I am writing this letter on behalf of Christina Ballew, who undertook a six week internship at Balkanu Cape York Developments from June to July 2012, during which time she joined the Aurora Project Team and the Wongai Mining Project Team.

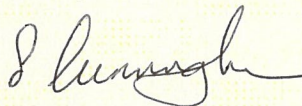
Christina has shown herself to be an independent and reliable worker. She completed all tasks required of her in a timely manner, and was very good about keeping in regular contact with me, despite the physical distance between us when she went out on country to Coen to participate in the induction of a new Ranger Program for the Ayapathu Clan.

Christina contributed most of her time in researching and assessing information to be included in a draft Social Impact Management Plan and Environmental Impact Statement for the Wongai Project. The outcome of this task clearly demonstrates Christina's ability to learn, adapt and effectively articulate the value of the information gathered from the research material.

It is evident to me that Christina has benefited and grown from her experience in the internship by gaining valuable knowledge in Native Title, Indigenous affairs, community development, cultural heritage and Australian environmental issues especially in biodiversity conservation and natural resource management. Christina has an engaging manner which enabled her to deal with local communities in a culturally sensitive and productive way.

Overall, I have been extremely impressed with Christina's performance and dedication in the short time she was a part of our Team. For these reasons, I would recommend Christina without hesitation, and wish her all the best in her future endeavors.

Sincerely,



Sharon Cunningham
Project Manager, Special Projects

