Reference Check Form

Name of applicant:	
Employer:	Phone:
Name of contact and position:	Email:

- 1. In what capacity do you know the applicant (immediate supervisor, manager, co-worker, etc.)?
- 2. Position held/confirmation of employment dates:
- 3. Nature of job (provide a brief job description):
- 4. What would you consider to be the applicant's strengths?
- 5. Were there specific areas that required improvement?
- 6. Can you tell me what kind of an employee the applicant was?
- 7. Could you describe the applicant's relationship with co-workers, customers, and managers?
- 8. Do you think that the applicant works better individually or in a group environment?
- 9. Describe the applicant's expertise in the field for which he or she is applying:
- 10. Please comment on:
 - 1. Quantity of work:
 - 2. Dependability/reliability:
 - 3. Environment required to excel:
 - 4. Quality of work:
- 11. How does the applicant react to stressful situations?
- 12. What comments or suggestions would you have for the new manager of (applicant's name)?
- 13. What is your overall opinion of (applicant's name)?
- 14. Can you tell me the reason the applicant left your organization?
- 15. Would you re-employ the applicant? (If no, why not?)
- 16. From what you know, would you recommend the applicant for the position applied? (If no, why not?)
- 17. Is there anything else you would like to comment on regarding (applicant's name) employment or job performance?

Date of reference check:	Completed by:
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