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Subject: Strong Recommendation for Greg Becker as a Solutions Architect

To Whom it may concern,

I trust this letter finds you well. My name is Rob Kurz, and I currently serve as the Senior Director of Enterprise Architecture at Republic National Distributing Company. It is with great enthusiasm and confidence that I write to recommend Mr. Greg Becker as a Solutions Architect for your esteemed organization.

Greg joined our team in 2021 as a contracted Senior Engineering Manager in our Commercial Service division, where he managed a team of two employees. During his tenure, he exceeded expectations, showcasing exceptional leadership and technical skills. Recognizing his potential, when an opportunity arose in 2023, we were quick to bring him on board as our Network Infrastructure Architect.

In his role, Greg demonstrated a profound understanding of TOGAF and played a crucial role in the development of internal

processes within our Enterprise Architecture team. Whether working independently or collaboratively, Greg's versatility and commitment were evident. He proactively documented numerous application architectures, providing templates and setting high standards for internal organizations.

Greg's dedication to the principles of "Better Together" and the importance of "soft skills" in collaboration was commendable. He actively mentored his peers on SCRUM Agile and CMDB, showcasing his commitment to knowledge sharing. Notably, in 2023, Greg obtained his certification as an enterprise architect with EACOE, underlining his continuous pursuit of professional development.

His involvement in key projects, such as reducing software footprints, implementing CI/CD pipelines, GitHub utilization, Data Center Closure, migration efforts, and Network Topology Diagrams, demonstrated his strategic thinking and technical prowess. Greg spearheaded the creation of our Internal Enterprise Architecture Repository, promoting documentation and collaboration across teams.

Furthermore, Greg played a pivotal role in our transition to the AWS cloud, showcasing leadership in weekly Enterprise Office Hour discussions and Architecture Review Board (ARB) approval meetings. His commitment to fostering a culture of feedback and action was evident in every initiative he undertook.

Greg possesses an exceptional attention to detail, coupled with a powerful creative vision, making him an invaluable asset to any organization. His tireless work ethic and willingness to go above and beyond have left a lasting impact on our team. He is highly regarded by our staff, and we are genuinely sorry to see him go.

I wholeheartedly recommend Greg Becker to your organization, confident that his professionalism, dedication, and creative inspirations will contribute significantly to your success. Should you have any questions or require further information, please feel free to reach out to me directly.

Thank you for considering Greg for this opportunity.

Sincerely,

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