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RE: Project/Job Title: Afghanistan Building Business Network Program (ABBNP)
Period of Performance: 16 November 2014 to 15 November 2014
Location: Kabul, Herat, Mazar-e-sharif, Kandahar

To Whom it May Concern:

Barbaricum—a firm that supports government clients with full-scale Communications, Technology-Enabled Services, Research and Analysis, Cyber Security, as well as International Development to grow people, partnerships, and business—recently teamed with the Afghanistan Center for Excellence (ACE-AHG) to implement various aspects of the Afghanistan Building Business Network Program (ABBNP)—a pilot program with the goal of expanding business networking opportunities and providing information regarding the business environment in Afghanistan.

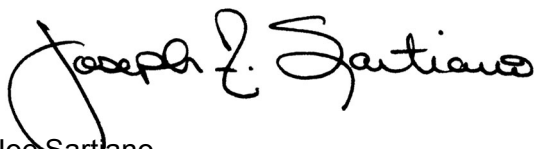
Mr. Fatimie and the ACE team exceeded or completed on time the vast majority of deliverables and goals under the program scope of work. This performance was achieved despite delays due to the elections (particularly the presidential run-off), which began impeding progress in April 2014.

In addition to establishing four Business Hubs in the provinces of Kabul, Herat, Kandahar and Mazar-e-Sharif, ACE was tasked with training more than 100 businessmen and women on fundamental skills to start and grow their business, including Business Journalism, Entrepreneurship, Financial Accounting, Sales and Marketing, and Project Management.

The training provided a cost-effective and proven method of promoting sustainable economic growth and empowerment. Over five courses, a total of 194 individuals were trained, nearly doubling the program goal. A quarter of participants found the trainings so helpful that they participated in multiple courses, including some who attended a course on every topic. The training boasted an overall satisfaction rating of 92% across classes and locations.

At Barbaricum, our passion is innovation and we are committed to client value, mission support, and effective technical solutions. Barbaricum recently ranked among *Inc.* Magazine's 2014 list of the 500 fastest growing companies in the United States, our second year in a row. Our success stems from the innovative approach our team takes to government services. We are explorers in constant pursuit of ways to improve performance and who look forward to working with others, including ACE, who share this goal.

Sincerely,



Joe Sarriano
Director of Operations