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To Whom It may concern,

On behalf of Istanbul Pipe Organ Team, I have the utmost pride of mentioning one of our most hardworking and passionate colleague and friend, Mr. Ata akır, here to your company.

As Istanbul Pipe Organ Team, we are working in this field to maintain and restore our instruments since 2019. In the past we had warm and cooperative conversations with Fasen Orgelbau which maintained our Mascioni organ, Alexander Schuke Orgelbau which promisingly will be restoring our Gesell organ in Deutsche Kreuzkirche and Werner-Bosch Orgelbau which built the organ in our Presidential Symphony Orchestra Hall. As we are aware of high standards of German organ building school in history and present, we do follow those Master's craftsmanship as well.

Mr. Ata akır, being a unique hardworking young person in Turkey, helped us greatly in every operation. Tuning the flue and reed ranks, minor repairs of the action, reconditioning the windchests, harmonium tuning and repairs, bellows releathering etc. He was a great assistant during the works on Rieger organ from 1898, Bossi organ from 1859, Hill and Sons organ from 1911, Mascioni organ from 1948 and Debain, Mustel, Mannborg, Steinmeyer harmoniums and many more. He experienced and observed different bellows shapes such as wedge, single/double rise and schwimmer; different chest types such as slider-pallet, cone-chest, spring-chest, exhaust or charge tubular-pneumatic etc.

He has always given us confidence and trust whilst working together or him alone. Therefore, to make a long story short, I must say he is an experienced and competent candidate for your company and I am sure he will improve his knowledge under your instructions on this field and become a successful orgelbauer making his effort in your company. Istanbul Pipe Organ Team is only a drop in the ocean and he is ready to sail to the big seas.

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