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House of Representatives State of Idaho

Judge Michael Reardon
District Judge Ada County
Boise Idaho, 83702

July 5th 2022

Judge Reardon,

I am State Representative Mike Kingsley from Lewiston Idaho, I am writing in regards to help you in your decision in regards to Aaron Von Ehlinger my former seat mate in the Idaho House.

I have known Aaron since 2019 when I was introduced to him as an individual that was considering running for the primaries against Thyra Stevenson. This is not an easy decision to run against a sitting legislator especially someone I know personally for a few years. I watched Aaron handle this with the dignity, I really witnessed his character as these races can be difficult to maneuver.

From that point, I attended many events after he was appointed by Governor Little to fill in for Representative Stevenson that passed from a massive heart attack. Every meeting or campaign event Aaron proved to me his outstanding character, looking out for the people that he was to serve.

Thank you, feel free to call me if you would like to talk more about what I know about or witnessed of Aarons character.

Representative Mike Kingsley

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Rep. Vito Barbieri
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Honorable Judge Michael Reardon
District Court of Ada County
Boise, Idaho

Re: Aaron von Ehlinger

Dear Judge Reardon:

I write in evidence of the good character of Aaron von Ehlinger.

My legislative office being nearest to his, we have had many hours working, dining, and generally discussing not just the issues of the day, but those things most important to single men, especially career, stability, courage, and character, to name just a few.

Aaron has shown himself an upstanding person, genuine in character and straight forward in thought. He has always presented himself with the utmost in thoughtful concern for others and has followed through with this concern in his behavior. I believe that this demeanor is genuine as he has always acted in accord with his spoken ideals.

I would be happy to formally attest to the foregoing, if necessary.

Thank you for the opportunity to present my perspective on behalf of Aaron von Ehlinger.

Respectfully,

Rep. Vito Barbieri