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To Whom It May Concern:

I am currently a second-year undergraduate at Stanford University, an active tennis player, and a student of Motti Yoshpe. I began taking tennis lessons from Mr. Yoshpe in 1999 and continued actively until moving to Stanford in September 2007. I became a student of the Motti-Vational Tennis Academy when the company was incorporated in 2003.

Since 1999, I have watched Mr. Yoshpe build a successful business of teaching tennis to youth, young adults, and adults. But most importantly, Mr. Yoshpe continually has a vested interest in the development of his younger students. Many of his students have met success in United States Tennis Association ("USTA") tournaments as well as southern California high school tennis leagues. Mr. Yoshpe regularly makes an effort to attend such events in order to further mentor his students – another indication of his keen interest in youth tennis.

Since becoming a student of Mr. Yoshpe at age 10, I have matured greatly under his mentorship. For many years, I spent at least five days of the week with Mr. Yoshpe, and his contributions to both my tennis game and my personal development during those crucial years were extraordinary. With his guidance, I participated in USTA tournaments since I was 12 years old, earning both a national ranking and a southern California ranking. I also played varsity tennis for Calabasas High School (Calabasas, CA) for four years, winning the Marmonte League three times and leading the team as Senior Captain.

In addition to being a student of Mr. Yoshpe, I also assisted in the Motti-Vational Tennis Academy's summer program in 2005. As an assistant, I helped teach young students the basics of tennis and swimming, as well as serving as a personal mentor. During this time, Mr. Yoshpe not only continued to help the young students mature, but he also taught me how to be a teacher and mentor for others.

When applying to universities in 2006, Mr. Yoshpe's contributions shone through in my applications. I was eventually accepted to the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (where I was immediately offered to play varsity tennis), Stanford University, Columbia University (scholarship), the University of Southern California (full scholarship offer), the University of