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## To Whom It May Concern:

I was asked by Mike Carter of Granger Construction to write this letter of recommendation for their company. I would like to say it's a pleasure.

We are one of four "sister" plant tissue culture companies located within twelve miles of each other here in Central Florida. We bid the job out for our 15,000 square foot laboratory with two construction companies. The decision was very easy after talking extensively to parties of both companies. I felt Granger had a better understanding of what we were after and seemed almost excited about building their first tissue culture lab.

Some challenges we both faced was the extensive air conditioning and exhaust system for our media prep room. An autoclave is necessary to sterilize the media and in operating such a piece of equipment requires some thought into venting excess steam as well as keeping the room cool enough to work in. Two of the culture rooms where our "mother stock" is maintained must be free of intrusive pests, high capacity of electrical supply, and a reliable, non contaminating air conditioning unit. All of our expectations were met. Our production rooms, three in total, generate about nine million plants per year and must operate flawlessly each and every day. Exit doors had to be operational in case of emergency but sealed to keep out any outside air or contaminants. Again, all of our ideas and suggestions were used for the benefit of the lab.

Our office facility and warehouse space were fairly standard among construction. Putting things on paper and having them work efficiently in reality are challenging. Working with Mike and Rob was the best experience I've had in dealing with builders, subcontractors, or architects. They held true to their word and helped us several months after completion in dealing with some internal issues that was not caused by their construction.

Please feel free to call me at the numbers above, or stop and see us at our facility.

Sincerely.

Michael Rinck

President

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