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Professor Roger Beckie Department of Earth and Ocean Science 2020 - 2207 Main Mall Vancouver, BC V6T 1Z2

Dear Professor Beckie:

I am applying for a hydrology and soil science job with a Dr. Smukler from the faculty of Land and Food Systems, with whom you may be familiar. I am wondering if you would be willing to write a letter of reference for my application, which I will submit on April 15<sup>th</sup>.

The position is as a technician for the Delta Drainage Research Project. The job description is to collect samples, operate well sites and conduct lab analyses. The research is to determine the ground water flow regime in a changing climate.

Clearly, this job will apply principles I have learned in your geo-hydrology class, EOSC 329. A background in groundwater fluid mechanics makes me an excellent candidate. I look forward to an opportunity to apply some of the techniques I have learned in your classes and labs.

This is exactly the type of work I would like to do after graduating and it could be a big opportunity for me. Also, the experience will be helpful when I apply for my professional designation as a geoscientist with APEG BC, as it could be applied to the four years of required work experience.

If you have any questions about the application, please email me at Jacob.w.bauer@gmail.com. Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Jacob Bauer

Student of Geographical Biogeoscience