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To Whom It May Concern:

My son Hunter started at Linda's Little Laboratory when he was just two years old. Having come from a bad daycare experience, I was really wary of letting someone new watch over my precious little one. All it took was the 1<sup>st</sup> visit to Linda's house, and I knew I had found an angel! Both she and Dennis were very warm and welcoming when she so graciously let us come visit on a Sunday. I knew right away this was the best place for my son. Not only is Linda wonderful with children, she provides a very welcoming and nurturing environment for children of all ages.

Hunter started the next day, and loved every minute of it from that day on! There were days when he didn't want to come home with me! It was so nice to have found the perfect "home away from home" for my son. Linda told me right away about it being "dirty daycare" and I didn't really take her seriously. But the first day he came home after playing in the sandbox, I knew she wasn't fibbing! I was so pleased that he was able to play the way I would let him at home. He could get good and dirty in the sand, which was (and still is) his favorite place to be!

Linda is NOT a babysitter!! She takes her profession seriously and continually improves her education in the child development field. She has the best interest of the children at heart. There is no plopping the children down in front of the television for the day, there are many different activities

constantly going on. She is very well educated and strives to gain as much knowledge as possible.

My decision to move to Oregon was made a bit more difficult because I know that I will never find someone to care for my son like Linda did. Through the years Linda, Dennis, and Marla have become a part of our family. Hunter just loves all three of them and I do, too! I am blessed to have had my son in such a safe and loving environment, and am truly thankful! I know that Linda, Dennis, and Marla will always be a part of our lives. It is wonderful to have found these great people! Our lives just wouldn't be the same without them.

I would be more than happy to speak personally to anyone who is deciding whether or not Linda's Little Laboratory is the right place for their child! It is a wonderful place; Linda truly loves each and every one of her daycare children.

Sincerely,

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