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To: Peter John Burkimsher
Re: Job Application for Desktop Engineer (Auckland)

Hi Peter

Thank you very much for have applied to the above position with Orion Health.
We do apologise for the delay in getting back to you yet due to the volume of
candidates who applied for this role - we have been unable to provide the
prompt assistance that we normally provide to our candidates.

We have reviewed and considered all of the applications now against our role
and unfortunately on this occasion we will not be able to meet with you to
further your interest in a position at Orion Health. We have shortlisted and
found a successful applicant.

We do wish you all the best in your search for a role.

Kind Regards,

Simon Yuen
Recruitment Coordinator Orion Health

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From: "Peter Burkimsher" <peterburk@gmail.com>
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Sent: Sunday, 4 May, 2014 11:36:38 PM
Subject: Job Application for Desktop Engineer (Auckland)

First Name
Peter

Last Name
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Position you're applying for
Desktop Engineer (Auckland)

Resume
536626460acd1-Peter Burkimsher Resume.pdf

Cover Letter
Users come first. In healthcare, lives depend on the tools being used. Software tools should serve customers, improving their efficiency and making difficult tasks easy. When problems occur, broad knowledge is needed to analyse the issue, technical skills are needed to find a solution, and communication skills are needed to guide the end user. I believe that I can bring all of this and more to the Orion network.

I thrive on diversity in all areas of life: work, food, culture, and friendship. I'm a third-culture kid, born in Switzerland but currently holding a British passport by descent. Between each year of my accelerated Masters programme in the UK, I worked in different countries. After graduating, I decided to continue searching for somewhere to call home. Rather than just travelling as a tourist, I spent several months in each place, adapting to the local culture, starting new friendships, and making it heartbreaking for me to leave. Although nowhere is perfect, I've decided that Auckland offers the best environment for family life, and I now hope to move to New Zealand permanently.

Throughout my adventures, my MacBook Pro has always kept me company. Since teaching myself to program AppleScript at age 13, I've written many programs, and I regularly code in Bash, Objective-C, and PHP. Instead of watching TV, I think of applications and write programs to make them possible. For example, I made YouLing, a mouse-over text translator that lets me have instant messaging conversations through Google Translate. I also wrote a script to read the hours I record in iCal, and summarise the time I spend on different projects.

I am familiar with working on Mac OS X, Windows XP and 7, Ubuntu, Red Hat Linux, and Raspbian. During my work at Fisher & Paykel Healthcare, I wrote USB interface software in C for their CPAP device for Mac and Linux, and C# code for debugging that device on Windows. At Lululemon in Canada, I was writing scripts on Windows 7 for network testing. But I prefer Mac OS, and have used it on a family computer since birth, and my own computer since my dad gave me an old Mac Plus at age 9. I was an early adopter of the iPod in 2002, and gained a reputation for repairing iPods for friends in school. When a class set of 20 iBook laptops were being thrown away, I repaired them and sold them to friends when I was 15. Seeing my work improve a person's life is my greatest motivation.

If my adventures cause you to question my commitment, consider this. Most graduates aim for a stable job immediately, and then wonder about greener pastures elsewhere. I waited to make my decision, and I'm convinced that Orion in New Zealand would be an excellent place to put my skills to good use. I'm also aware that your company is one of the elite few on the work-to-residency immigration programme, and I have high hopes for working with other dynamic colleagues with stories to tell.

Please read my résumé and personal website (http://peterburk.dyndns.org) for more background about my life, and send me an email if you consider that the Desktop Engineer or other positions at Orion would suit me well. I'm available from August 2014, and can support my own one-way relocation. I look

forward to hearing from you soon!

Best regards,
Peter Burkimsher

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