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To whom it may concern

I the undersigned, Dr Ivan INEICH, at the Museum of Natural History, Paris, researcher and manager of the national reptile collection, attests to the fact of having executed a number of field missions with Julie Michéle HALATAS in Cameroon within the framework of the "Radeau des Cimes" mission in New Caledonia under difficult dwelling conditions during a study of amphibian aquatic snakes. Julie is particularly apt when it comes to undertaking missions in the field and has a strong constitution. She has a wide knowledge of tropical milieus, especially those with difficult access. She is more than able of working and living with little when the mission imperatives require it.

I strongly recommend her participation in the scientific mission planned on the Galapagos Archipel and Julie will be of great use due to her knowledge and energy in the execution of the mission and her presence will be greatly appreciated.

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