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Attention: Yousry Hamdy, P.Eng., Senior Industrial Specialist

Dear Mr. Hamdy:

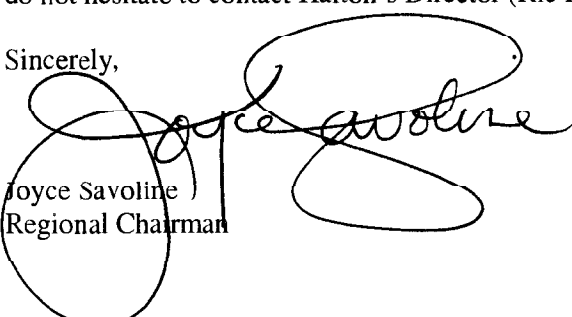
I write this letter on behalf of Pollutech Environmental Limited in support of their submission on the MSTP Technology Evaluation project. As I am sure you are aware, Pollutech has a long-standing excellent relationship with the Region of Halton and I am pleased to provide this letter of reference.

I have had the opportunity to get to know Mr. Laughton of Pollutech over the last few years, during my term as Regional Chairman, in his capacity as a local businessman and one of the Region's active participants in international trade. Richard has also served in a volunteer position with both the Oakville Chamber of Commerce, as a member of the International Trade Committee, and the Milton Chamber of Commerce as an active participant with the Government Relations Committee. Elaine Holding from our Business Development team at the Region of Halton works with Richard on this committee and knows the company well. Please feel free to speak to Elaine if you wish to discuss the company's status in the community. We are always pleased to support our business leaders who actively contribute to the community, as well as expand business opportunities at home and abroad.

There are a number of Halton projects in which Pollutech has demonstrated their technical skills and work ethic, some of which are as follows: the process testing at the Milton nitrification facility, the alternatives evaluation for the Mid-Halton plant, co-treatment evaluations at the Skyway operation, specific input into our Regional leachate management studies, and a number of ancillary studies related to operational issues at both our water and wastewater facilities. I have spoken to my team on their satisfaction with the work that Pollutech has done and I have been advised it was always very professionally completed and always on time and on budget.

I am pleased to have a Halton company presenting a submission for this project and offer my recommendation in support. Should you wish to discuss this reference with me personally, please contact me at (905) 825-6115, however should you require more direct knowledge of the specific technical work that Pollutech has completed, please do not hesitate to contact Halton's Director (Ric Robertshaw) or Plant Supervisors (Tony Smith, George Prior)

Sincerely,

  
Joyce Savoline  
Regional Chairman