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Mr. John Smith XYZ Corporation 1000 Utopia Drive San Francisco, CA 94109

Dear Mr. Smith:

My former colleague Joan Brown informed me that you are seeking to hire an administrative assistant. I worked in Ms. Brown's department at Acme as an office intern and have 2 years of administrative experience. I have long admired XYZ Corporation and would be honored to work for your company.

As you can see from my résumé, I have performed many administrative duties in my previous internships at Acme and Ajax corporations. At Ajax, I helped facilitate the company's transition from handwritten to digital records. That work enabled me to take on more responsibilities and support larger projects. At Acme, I assisted the director of innovation in tracking the development of new products. I helped introduce the company's workflow management system, which enabled Acme to cut the average development time of its software upgrades from 18 weeks to 12 weeks.

I would be pleased to speak with you to discuss the details of the administrative assistant position. Thank you for your consideration of my application.

Best regards,

Jane Doe