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To whom it may concern:

NPE has been involved with Coeur Construction projects over the last 4 ½ years, beginning with the mine process facility at Kensington and ending as recently as December 2010 with the completed construction of the Kensington Tailings Treatment Facility and Comet Beach water treatment plants. Their involvement with these projects was in the following areas:

Heavy Equipment Rigging/Setting
Excavation/Backfilling
Concrete Forming/Placement
Steel Building Erection
Interior Building Finishing's
Structural Steel Installations and modifications
Steel Tank Erection

They have performed well for us on all of these projects. Their management group works hard to meet project schedules and aggressively seek work arounds when confronted with logistics obstacles. Their skilled field crews work efficiently and well with other contractor groups working in the same and/or immediate areas.

I always insure that NPE gets on every bidders list from our office when soliciting for work applicable to their abilities, *which are extensive*. I have a good working relationship with NPE and have found their rates to be very competitive and their ear to always be attentive to the needs of our projects.

Sincerely;

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