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To Whom It May Concern:

I am the officer commanding of Juliet Company (J-Coy) at Blackdown Cadet Training Centre (CTC) located at Canadian Forces Base Borden. On behalf of the Canadian Armed Forces, I would like to express my sincere gratitude that Civilian Instructor (CI) Corey Pearce was a part of the company that I commanded between 10 July to 18 August 2018.

CI Pearce was an integral part of the music program at Blackdown CTC. He coordinated and taught the drumline of the senior band and provided high quality education to the rest of the percussionists in the company. He continuously put forth an extra effort to ensure that the cadets were always learning. He would put in extremely long days, starting at 0630 (6:30 am) and ending most times after 2030 (8:30 pm). CI Pearce's effort lead to a new type of drumming to be introduced at the CTC that succeeded on every level.

CI Pearce is to be commended on his instructional abilities. His constant use of humour and military precision allowed the cadets in J-Coy to perform at the highest levels. He used every instructional technique known to reach each cadet. He would ensure that each cadet understood what was expected and that they were up to performance and training level. CI Pearce was one of the most respected and beloved instructors during this past summer.

CI Pearce is highly recommended to return to Blackdown CTC as an music instructor and should continue his great work with the youth, either in or out of cadets. His purpose on this earth is to instruct the youth, and it is very apparent in his rapport and damenour with the cadets this summer. I extremely enjoyed working with and getting to know CI Pearce this summer and hope that we are able to do the same in the near future. Bravo Zulu to CI Pearce and well wishes in the very near future. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at eric.bremner@cadets.gc.ca or 519-577-7918.

Sincerely,

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