Dear Ripley’s Management,

I have to start off by saying that I am **extremely** enthusiastic about the opportunity to become an extra and do film & tv work as advertised on Seek, especially with such a great talent agency with an outstanding reputation. My full name is Jesse Creed-de Hek, I am currently 16 years old and I have just recently graduated from Year 12. I have keenly studied drama and acting since 2008 and am very passionate about it and I would be honoured to work for your agency as an extra, an actor in commercials, or whatever you see fit for me. Although it definitely wasn’t my best performance, I have posted the only work of mine that has been recorded for a drama assessment last year as a showreel and there is a link for me chatting to the camera as well, here: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BBoY2dnaD6I> (It doesn’t get very interesting until the second half)

This has been constructed a cover letter, but a resume was requested so I will list some details about the drama experience I do have. So to date, I have keenly studied Drama for the entirety of my High School life, for five years from Grade 8 all the way through to Grade 12. (I have taken on all sorts of roles including Hamlet in *Hamlet*, David in *Butterfly Boy* and Rodney in *Juice*, and performed in genres such as Absurdist, Shakespearean and Realism to name a few.) I am currently an A-level Drama student who is at the top of the class and last year, I was recruited as an actor under my High School's Theatre Excellence program, where we devised a play entitled "Starry Starry Night." When this was performed at the Gold Coast Drama Festival, I received a Best Male Actor award and our play got a "Best Devised Play" and "Best 'Wow' Moment" award.

In terms of my personality, I think that I am reasonably confident, have a good sense of humour, am happy to work hard if required, can take orders and direction, and enjoy working in leadership roles but also as a group in a team environment.

So please don't hesitate to ring me straight away today on (03) 9974 0203 and ask for Jesse. Despite the fact that you say no experience is required to become an extra, I feel that my acting/drama background will give me a great advantage in that role, and I **really** look forward to the opportunity of becoming an extra or commercials actor with great anticipation and enthusiasm. Thank you very much for the time you’ve taken to read over my details. I’d absolutely love to hear from you very soon!

Yours Sincerely,

Jesse Creed-de Hek.

P.S. A recent photo of yourself was requested, so here are two photos of myself: