The Office of the Clerk

Washington, D.C. 20515 Legislative Computer Systems

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Mr. Donahue,

This cover letter and attached resume serves as an application for the job of the Software Engineer I (Announcement Number CLK-002-14), listed in vacancy announcement of the Office of the Clerk.

I am an IT professional with a combined 2 ½ years of experience in technical IT positions. I am also a recent graduate of Strayer University having earned my Master’s Degree in Information Systems with a GPA of 4.0.

Currently I am an Agile Tester for Opus Group LLC. Immediately prior to this, I was a Technical Consultant for Blackstone Technology Group, assigned a web site development contract task with the USDA. Simultaneously, I have also been a volunteer Web Administrator for a couple of non-profit organizations ([www.sfova.org](http://www.sfova.org) and www.hopeonesources.org).

I am tremendously interested in this Software Engineer position. Looking at the job requirements, I believe I can efficiently and effectively perform the duties and I will a good fit for the web development team. I have good exposure to Legislative Branch agencies. I have been an intern (three times) for the USGPO. I was tasked to assist in GPO’s Online Book Store Website. I collaborated with various GPO departments in gathering of the requirements and designed improved web site user interfaces.

I am always dedicated to the assigned tasks and have always put the mission first. For your reference I am attaching my resume, which demonstrates that my qualifications map to the tasks for this position. My goal is not to meet your expectations, but to exceed your expectations, and therefore please consider my resume for this position.

I am available to meet with you per your convenience and welcome to opportunity to discuss my qualifications in more detail.

Sincerely,

Shaan Taneja