Hortonworks Inc,

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CA, 95054.

To Hiring Manager,

I am pleased to run into the advertisement for the job of **Associate Solutions Engineering** for Apache Nifi and Data-at-rest technologies at Hortonworks. In this letter, I hope to address my application for this job and persuade you into concluding that I am the right person for this job.

Firstly, as mentioned in the job description, technology has truly been a driving force in the direction of my career for a number of years. It is for this reason I chose to graduate from University of Texas at Dallas as a Master’s of Computer Science candidate with a specialization in Data Science even though I had graduated with a Bachelor’s degree in Electrical Engineering during under graduation from one of India’s top universities, Bits Pilani.

Secondly, I have had the good fortune to work with a number of extremely talented engineers, over the course of several years, during my stay at Avaya India Pvt Ltd, Quibble Genomics Institute Inc. and Hortonworks Inc. and Monsanto Company, where I cultivated a sense of professional contribution to help my team to achieve their goals. A virtue that I certainly hope to continue to exercise if I should be considered for this role.

During the summer of 2016, I participated in Hortonworks Internship Program working with the Technical Documentation Team under the valuable mentorship of Robert Crews, Documentation Infrastructure Manager, to successfully learn to deploy multi node Apache Solr cluster to act as back end for the Hortonworks Documentation Search website. I learned a lot of new skills along the way like python scripting, bash scripting, and multi-threading coding and building complex projects in Java.

Post my internship, I have continued to work with data related technologies particularly pertaining to real time streaming projects both in university coursework and as a contractor with professional data engineers. All my related coursework and work experience are better summarized in my resume for your review.

I would love to speak with you further to discuss and explore the possibilities this job has to offer and to provide you with more information about me if desired.

Regards,

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