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To Whom It May Concern,

I am writing to confirm and elaborate on the selection of Shafeeq Ur Rahaman's participation as a judge for the 2024 Stratus Awards for Cloud Computing hosted by the Business Intelligence Group. I, Russ Fordyce, CEO of the Business Intelligence Group, am pleased to provide additional insights into the qualifications and selection of Shafeeq Ur as a Judge.

Our judging model places a premium on the expertise of industry leaders, wherever around the globe that may be. The selection of individuals for our judging committees is an exacting process, where we meticulously seek out professionals who bring profound experience and insights to the table. In this regard, Shafeeq Ur was invited to join the 2024 Stratus Awards for Cloud Computing judging panel.

The selection of Shafeeq Ur was the result of a comprehensive evaluation of experts within the information technology fields of cloud computing and software as a service. Our judges are individuals who showcase extraordinary competence, and Shafeeq Ur's extensive journey on very complex technologies made an ideal candidate. The wealth of experience and significant contributions to the industry makes for an invaluable asset to our judging panel, aligning seamlessly with the high standards set by the Business Intelligence Group.

The Business Intelligence Group acknowledges and appreciates the unwavering commitment to the field, extending our best wishes for continued success in all future endeavors.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be "R Fordyce", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

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