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To Whom It May Concern:

In the fall of 1998, Steven Heitman headed up a team of San Francisco State University students who designed and created the website for the Youth Law Center, a nonprofit, public interest law program that focuses on protecting the rights of children in the juvenile justice and child welfare systems. The Youth Law Center provided the students with written materials to be placed on the website. As their assignment for the semester, the students took this information and designed and created the web pages for our website, <a href="https://www.youthlawcenter.com">www.youthlawcenter.com</a>. When the students signed up for the project, they envisioned a website of a couple of web pages. They ended up working on well over 50 pages of HMTL text. As the semester progressed, the work fell mostly to Steven Heitman and another student.

The Youth Law Center used the web site as designed and created by Steven Heitman and the other students until the fall of 2002, when staff at Yahoo! volunteered to enhance the website. The basic page design of the website is still there but now there is a new heading and photos on the side of the page. The Youth Law Center is indeed indebted to Steven Heitman for all his hard work as the project manager and his knowledge of information design. If not for Steven's involvement with our website, we would not have as comprehensive a site as we now have.

If you have any questions for me, my email address is <a href="myee@youthlawcenter.com">myee@youthlawcenter.com</a> and I can be reached at (415) 543-3379, extension 3914.

Sincerely,

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