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LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION

It is with pleasure that I am writing this letter of recommendation for **Mr.Nandan.R** to support his application for his master's studies in your institution. He is a diligent student who has always shown consistent meritorious performance throughout his undergraduate study in Civil Engineering. I am pleased to say that he was consistently ranked within the top ten of his batch, In the class, he was extremely inquisitive about the topics which were discussed. He would interact with me on and off the class about the concepts which intrigued him. His efforts to maintain organized notes of the concepts taught in class and his self-study notes are commendable. He was very attentive and had keen interest on the subject.

In relation to his previous interactions with me, he expressed his interest to take up final year project under my guidance by teaming up with three other students to work on the '**Numerical Validation of Experimental Results for Bearing Capacity of Vertical Skirted Footing on C- Φ Soil**'. It was a challenging project for the team as they had to Validate the Experimental results using the PLAXIS-2D software which involved FEM computations. The team showed perseverance although they had a few early setbacks. **Mr.Nandan.R** took the responsibility of working on the literature review and the research methodology parts of the project. He showed good correlation of concepts learnt to what he had read in the reference papers and did not hesitate to seek my intervention whenever needed. Along with the team, Nandan achieved satisfactory results in their project. During my interaction with him, I believed that he had the capability to take up higher studies.

I have come to know that Nandan is planning to enroll in a Master's degree in civil engineering and I have no doubt that he has the passion, self- motivation and ability required to pursue a master's degree. I am happy to recommend **Mr.Nandan.R** for the graduate program in your esteemed institution.

Sincerely,

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