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To whom it may concern

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Dear Sir/Madam,

Ark Architecture & Design

Queensberry Properties Limited is a Joint Venture Company between Buccleuch Properties Limited and Cruden Homes (East) Limited providing both residential and affordable housing throughout Scotland.

Ark were successfully employed as Master Planner by Buccleuch for the overall development at Wester Cowden, Dalkeith (Development of circa 350No. Units) and subsequently employed direct by QPL for Phase 2A (47No. Units) providing a full Architectural Service, whilst also acting as Design Team Leader/Co-ordinator.

We have found Ark extremely helpful, pro-active & competent in reviewing designs, efficient in problem solving, good at establishing a rapport with statutory bodies together with being commercially astute. They have also assisted us greatly when negotiating the subsequent sale of 35No. Units to Melville Housing Association in reviewing/re-designing the layouts and providing strong technical advice to the Association.

In summary QPL would certainly consider employing the services of Brian Taylor and his team in future and have no hesitation in recommending them to any other suitable clients.

Yours Sincerely
For CRUDEN HOMES (EAST) LIMITED

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A. REID
Technical Director



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