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Mr. Barry Mead
Department Chair
Lodging Management Program

Dear Mr. Mead,

Thank you for giving me the opportunity each year to judge the Annual Lodging Management Program at the Guam Community College Multi Purpose Complex. This event has given me a chance to interact with high school students in preparation for a future in hospitality.

As a judge for the past few years, I have noticed that this year was very impressive to me. I have noticed that each group from each school has shown a great amount of improvement in all areas. Each group was very professional in appearance and in presentation. From previous years the students were shy and spoke softly, although this year- each group presented with confidence and knowledge. It was nice to sit in the judge's seat and find these young students having the confidence to stand in front of our panel and present their projects and receive our feedback.

I have also noticed that in previous years the students always looked amongst each other to answer questions and didn't seem sure in what direction to start or carry on. This year was impressive as each group were very prepared and seemed to have planned their presentations with all members presenting a portion of the project. So TEAMWORK was definitely included in the planning.

The Knowledge Bowl was exciting to know that each group had studied hard to prepare for this portion of the event, as many answers were answered. With this note, we are sure that the students are very well aware of the program and what is expected of them.

I would like to give commendations to their teachers, who have worked hard throughout the year to prepare the students for this event. It shows that the teachers have the knowledge and guidance these students need to succeed in this event.

I definitely look forward to participating in the next competition and am anxious to see the next group of future hospitality students.

Thank you,



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