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To Whom It May Concern

I have known William Parton for a period of three years, mainly in my capacity as a musical writer and President of the Southern Jazz Club in Adelaide, South Australia.

Bill has developed a thorough grounding in music from his studies at school, reaching a proficiency level well beyond his years. His interest in music has resulted in his forming a group, known as the Bill Parton Trio, which has become well established on the local performance scene, interrupted briefly by his intensive studies in Year 12.

Bill is proficient at the keyboards and is developing a distinctive vocal style, with a personality that is conducive to leadership and performance in public. With the considerable assistance of his musical colleagues, the Bill Parton Trio has made an impact that is extremely rare in consideration of their youth. If they stay together, there are boundless possibilities.

In 2005, Bill was awarded the President's Trophy by the Southern Jazz Club; a presentation made each year to a young musician of unusual potential. He was a worthy recipient and the Committee expect that he will move on to further recognition as his talents are nurtured and developed.

I have no hesitation in recommending Bill Parton to those who may be considering the utilisation of his musical talents.

Yours sincerely,
Ron Spain.