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*To whom it may concern;*

This is a brief reference for BenchMark security who's services we used for the first time on March 17<sup>th</sup>, 2023. This, being St. Patrick's Day and us being an Irish pub, is our biggest grossing revue day of the year. Since we can expect a full week's sales in one day, extra security is required to maintain the cozy and safe atmosphere that we normally expect to deliver.

After meeting Mark Pope to discuss my requirements and budget for the St. Patrick's Day event, he gave me confidence in hiring BenchMark Security. He clearly set out the cost, timing schedules, and process of running the door and associated checks.

His staff were extremely organized, personable, and arrived early to have a staff briefing. We were quickly approaching capacity and Mark provided staff early to assist with control of the front door and checks. Mark not only kept to his word but exceeded my expectations of how a security company should operate.

BenchMark Security promotes local companies and displays a professional demeanor, even when under pressure. Mark was available at all times of the day to answer any questions I had and adapted with the changing environment.

I would highly recommend his security services: the way this project was dealt with was everything our businesses needed on this busy day. I urge other bars and events to give them a try and see how they can help you like they helped me and St. James Corner.

Sincerely,

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