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The Manager
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Dear Sir/Madam

**REFERENCE FOR LAWRENCE JOHN DENTON AS SOLE DIRECTOR OF TRANSNATIONAL PASTORAL PTY LTD
PROPERTY: 414 OLD MAITLAND ROAD, MARDI NSW 2259**

I have been requested to provide a reference for Mr Lawrence John Denton in his capacity as the sole director of Transnational Pastoral Pty Ltd, the owner of the property known as 414 Old Maitland Road, Mardi NSW 2259.

I have known Mr Denton for approximately seventeen years. My dealings with him have been primarily professional and to a minor degree, social. Our dealings have covered a wide range of matters, both business and personal and I have had ample opportunity to form a view of his character, particularly with respect to his honesty, his integrity and his competence as a businessman.

I am aware that for some time, Mr Denton has been considering the potential obligations of his company under a proposed biodiversity stewardship agreement. This reference relates to that proposal. I would not hesitate to say what follows regardless of the reason for the reference.

As time has passed since I first met him, Mr Denton has increasingly impressed me as a person of vision, honesty and integrity. He takes his obligations, be they commercial or personal, seriously. He considers carefully before making a commitment. Having made a commitment, he honours it.

If I were asked to state the first words that came to mind at the mention of Lawrence John Denton, those words would be, "Integrity, honour, vision and ability". Those qualities have been plainly apparent in his dealings with me. They have been equally evident in what I have seen of his dealings with others.

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I have no hesitation in commending Mr Denton as a person of character, honesty, integrity and competence for the purposes of a biodiversity stewardship agreement or otherwise.

Yours faithfully

LUSCOMBE WRIGHT LAWYERS

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Tony Wright', with a small arrow pointing to the left above the first part of the signature.

Tony Wright