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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Martin Balestie of Montvideo, Uruguay, studied trumpet with me at the University of Michigan Division of the National Music Camp, Interlochen, Michigan, during the summer session of 1979. Mr. Balestie made great strides in his trumpet skills and responded well to my teaching methods. At the end of this session he asked if he might continue his trumpet study a bit more with me at the University of Louisville. I agreed; however, due to obstacles which I do not understand concerning his alien status, he has not been able to register as a student at the University of Louisville. I wish to help Mr. Balestie in any manner possible and have offered to provide private study for the balance of the term without payment; moreover, he would recieve no college credit nor be formally registered in any way. I understand that a "tourist" visa would enable him to remain a bit longer in this country and accept such study and would encourage any responsible authority to make this possible.

Sincerely,

J. Jerome Amend

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Instructor of Trumpet.