

NCSC Practice Materials

Assessment Script for Sight Translation 2 with Keywords

Dear Honorable Judge Sutton:

I am writing to you to provide a personal **reference**¹, as requested by Sandy Dillard, in support of her **child custody**² request. I have known Sandy now for **two-and-a-half**³ years, ever since she began employment with me as a **nanny**⁴ to my two young children, ages one and three. During this time, I have **entrusted**⁵ her with the **sole**⁶ care of my children each weekday from 9:00 a.m. to **3:00 p.m.**⁷ Sandy has become a part of my family and I've come to know her as a responsible, **hard-working**⁸, and kind **caretaker**⁹.

When Sandy **first**¹⁰ started working for us, she mentioned that she had her own small child, Sophia, and I **encouraged**¹¹ her to bring her daughter to work with her each day. **Thus**¹², I have seen **firsthand**¹³ what a loving and **outstanding**¹⁴ mother Sandy is to Sophia. Children always **come first**¹⁵ where Sandy is concerned. In **contrast**¹⁶, on the **numerous**¹⁷ occasions I have interacted with Sandy's husband, David, he has **struck**¹⁸ me as disinterested and emotionally **unavailable**¹⁹.

Based on my **history**²⁰ as Sandy's employer, and **ultimately**²¹ as her friend, I strongly support her **petition**²² for sole **legal**²³ custody and **primary**²⁴ physical custody. I believe these requests are **in the best interest**²⁵ of the child, Sophia Dillard.

Sincerely,

Martha Gilfoy