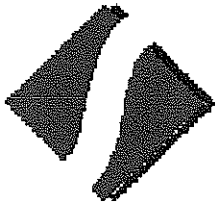


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Dear John Johnston,

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Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

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