

To whom it may concern

Reference letter for Erik Kaimer Olsen

In the frame of his employment with NBI Erik Kaimer Olsen worked specifically for the Centre for Ice and Climate in 2008. We were building a new extraction system for trace gas measurements. The extraction system had several constructive challenges which Erik mastered to our full satisfaction. The construction had to be vacuum tight, ultra clean, and operated at a temperature of -60 °C. Further the system was to be operated pneumatically and get sealed with a metal seal (Indium).

Erik was fundamental in bringing this project to success. The requirements for this project were high and Erik's ideas, his knowledge of working materials and their characteristics, as well as his CAD competence were essential in finding an optimal solution. Erik is very committed to his work. He is innovative and actively participates in finding solutions for upcoming problems. Erik interacts easily with scientific and technical staff.

It is the nature of a prototype that things have to be modified just after construction. Erik always found an easy solution to implement new ideas into the existing system.

We regret the administrative decision to let Erik go. We thank Erik for his contribution to our scientific project and wish him all the best for his professional and private future.

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