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Dear College Basketball Coach:

I am writing to recommend Easton Reagan of Desert Mountain High School (Scottsdale, AZ) for your program.

Easton is a terrific young man whose talent shines whenever he takes the basketball court. He is a tireless worker, committed teammate, a fast learner, and a dedicated student of the game. I've watched Easton grow as a player and as a person over the last twelve months in stunningly impressive ways: he has improved his physicality and athleticism through a rigorous weight training program while simultaneously growing his ability as a skilled offensive player by extending his range and improving his finishing package. Easton's willingness to "make mistakes" by exaggerating his effort (running faster, dribbling sharper, releasing the ball quicker, snapping his passes with greater velocity) is among the best for the players I've coached, including nearly a decade at the NCAA D-I level combined with years in elite level high school programs and in pro player development.

Off the court, I know Easton to reflect only the best of his on-court characteristics as well: he's a favorite among his peers for his wry humor and for his thoughtfulness and loyalty. I admire greatly Easton's commitment to accomplishing his goals in basketball by competing in the classroom and by managing a full schedule of commitments aimed toward his own improvement. I know Easton would happily turn down a late night with friends in return for a chance to get in the gym early in the morning; it's his *drive* that will make him permanently successful.

Please feel free to contact me with any additional questions that you might have. I have been honored to work with Easton and are rooting for his success. I am confident he will be able to impact your program from the moment he steps on campus as a person and as a player.

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