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**[Your Company Letterhead] **
**[Date]**
**[Auditor's Name] **
**[Auditor's Firm]**
**[Firm's Address]**
**[City, State, Zip Code] **
Dear [Auditor's Name],
**Subject: Appointment as External Auditor for [Company Name] **
We are pleased to inform you that [Company Name] has decided to appoint
[Auditor's Firm] as our external auditor for the fiscal year ending
[Fiscal Year End Date]. This decision was made after careful
consideration and evaluation of your qualifications and expertise.
As part of your appointment, we are outlining the key responsibilities
and expectations:
1. **Scope of Work**: Your services will include but are not limited to
the audit of our financial statements, internal control evaluation, and
providing insights on compliance with applicable regulations.
2. **Audit Timeline**: The audit is expected to commence on [Start Date]
and conclude by [End Date]. Key deadlines include [list important dates
related to the audit process].
3. **Fees and Payment Terms**: The agreed-upon fees for your services
will be [Amount]. Payment will be made according to the following
schedule: [list payment terms].
4. **Confidentiality**: All information acquired during the audit process
will be treated with the highest level of confidentiality and will not be
disclosed without prior consent.
5. **Communication**: We expect regular updates on the audit status and
any significant findings should be communicated promptly to our
management team.
Please signify your acceptance of this appointment by signing and
returning a copy of this letter by [Return Date]. We look forward to
working together and appreciate your expertise in ensuring our financial
integrity.
Sincerely,
**[Your Name] **
**[Your Title]**
**[Company Name] **
**[Company Address] **
**[City, State, Zip Code] **
**[Your Contact Information] **
**Accepted by**:
**[Auditor's Name] **
**[Auditor's Title]**
**[Auditor's Firm] **
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**Date: