

To whom it may concern,

My name is Josh Winkler, President & CEO of Winkler Wholesale Grocers located in Dale, Indiana. We are a full-line supplier servicing independent grocery retailers since 1911. In 2016, we acquired Grocers Supply out of Indianapolis. One of the greatest benefits of the acquisition was the hiring of David Bottomley as our Non-Foods Director. Prior to David joining our team we relied on third parties to sell health and beauty care and general merchandise to our customers. David built our in-house health and beauty care and general merchandise program from the ground up, establishing the vendor partnerships, product assortment, planogramming, suggested retail pricing and wholesale gross margins. He has worked tirelessly to set, re-set and merchandise hundreds of our accounts across a five-state region and always represented our company with professionalism and integrity. For his extensive knowledge and experience in procurement, marketing, merchandising, and retail, combined with his high moral character and strong work ethic, I highly recommend David Bottomley's services.

Sincerely,

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