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Mr Mark Hansard
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Dear Mr Hansard

Thank you for your e-mail requesting that I provide you with a reference for this year's Wigan Business of the Year awards. I have had the opportunity to visit your company on two occasions now and thoroughly enjoyed both visits.

As you are aware, I recently judged White Arrow Logistics' excellent Art & Literacy Competition which asked local school children to submit entries to demonstrate 'Why they loved Wigan' and was later honoured to be invited, along with Paul Brooks, to present the competition winners with their prizes.

The competition was a huge success, brilliantly organised and I know that the children participating thoroughly enjoyed both the competition and the fantastic celebration party where the winners were announced and I particularly enjoyed being given the opportunity to drive one of the company's brand new trucks!

The event demonstrated that White Arrow are not only dedicated to continuing to create new job opportunities for Wigan at their new Martland Park site, but also to supporting Wigan's local schools and wider community.

I look forward to working with White Arrow in the future and wish you every success in your bid to become Wigan Business of the Year.

Best wishes.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Lisa Nandy'.

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