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Automated Petroleum & Energy Co., Inc.

To Whom It May Concern:

Automated Petroleum & Energy Company has been doing business with Republic Telecom since 1990. Initially starting with just basic telephone service, as we grew it became necessary for our communication system to grow with us. In 1995 Republic wired our entire building with both telephone and computer lines enabling us to have quicker and more reliable connections. Since then we have added three additional offices within Florida and Republic adeptly added them to our system with little if any "down" time. In a business such as ours which relies heavily on communication, this meant a lot.

From the owner of the company to the salespeople to the technicians, I have nothing but praise in their ability to handle any issue we have ever had within a very short timeframe, very often they have handled it from their own location saving us time and money in a service call. They have always been extremely professional, understanding of our needs, and quick to respond whenever it has been necessary. Besides all of that, they are also an extremely nice group of people!!

By the way, with all the praise I've reaped upon them, I would like to add that we are not related to anyone within the company, this entire testimonial is completely true and I am happy to speak to anyone who would like to hear more about our relationship with Republic or any concerns they have if they are considering new service in their own companies.

Sincerely,

Kathy McKnight

Vice President

Automated Petroleum & Energy Company