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To Whom It May Concern,

This is Professor Kevin Sylwester. I am the Director of the School of Analytics, Finance, and Economics at Southern Illinois University. I also supervise Nouf Al-Shehri, a third-year doctoral student working on her dissertation. Her research requires specific data from your institution.

We request that you grant Nouf Al-Shehri access to the necessary data. This data will be used solely for academic purposes within the scope of her research. We assure you that we are committed to adhering to all applicable laws and policies regarding this data, and it will not be utilized for any purpose other than academic research.

Please don't hesitate to let us know if there are any additional conditions or requirements for granting this request. We can discuss further if you would like.

Thank you for your consideration and any assistance you can provide.

Sincerely,

Kevin Sylwester

Professor and Director