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[Hiring Manager Name]
[Company Name]
[Company Address]

Dear [Hiring Manager Name],

I am writing to express my enthusiastic interest in the Site Reliability Engineer position at [Company Name]. I was referred for this role by **[Referrer's Name]**, who currently serves as [Referrer's Job Title] on your [Department/Team] team.

Having worked closely with [Referrer's Name] at [Previous Company or Context], I have followed [Company Name]'s growth and its commitment to [specific company engineering value, e.g., high availability or developer velocity]. With my background in automating infrastructure, managing distributed systems, and reducing toil through software engineering, I am confident that I can contribute to the scalability and resilience of your production environments.

In my current role at [Current/Recent Company], I have focused on:

- Implementing and managing [Cloud Provider, e.g., AWS/GCP] infrastructure via [IaC tool, e.g., Terraform/CloudFormation].
- Reducing incident response times by [X]% through the development of automated self-healing scripts and robust monitoring in [Tool, e.g., Prometheus/Datadog].
- Optimizing CI/CD pipelines to increase deployment frequency while maintaining a high change success rate.
- Participating in on-call rotations and conducting blameless post-mortems to foster a culture of continuous improvement.

I am particularly drawn to [Company Name] because of your recent work on [specific project or technology]. I am eager to apply my expertise in [specific skill, e.g., Kubernetes orchestration or SLI/SLO definition] to help your engineering team meet its reliability goals.

Thank you for your time and for considering my application. I look forward to the possibility of discussing how my experience aligns with the needs of the [Team Name] team.

Best regards,

[Your Name]