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Dear Ms. Roman:

Mr. Patrick Adams suggested that I contact you regarding a summer clerkship at your law firm. I am a second year law student and hope to work in Des Moines this summer. My interest in litigation and my work experience would make me an excellent fit for your office.

Mr. Adams recommended your firm as one of the premier litigation firms in Iowa. After competing in moot court and interning with a state trial court judge, I have become very interested in litigation. As a native Iowan, I want to practice in the state after graduation. Your firm would be an excellent match for these interests.

I am a hard worker who financed college by working 20 hours per week. Interning for a judge has taught me what succeeds and what fails in the courtroom. Three semesters of legal research and writing and participating on the National moot court helped me further develop my writing and research skills. These traits and experiences would help me serve your law firm and its litigation clients.

My enclosed resume further details the talents I can offer your firm. I will be in Des Moines from December 15 to December 22 and would welcome the opportunity to speak to you regarding a potential clerkship. I will call next week to inquire whether this is possible. Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

Thomas Michaels