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To whom it may concern

I have had the pleasure working together with Dr. Louis Marelle during the last four years. The two first years he lived in Oslo and was one of the members in my research group. The two last year's Louis has lived in France but financed from CICERO mostly through my research projects.

Louis Marelle's work at CICERO has mainly been on understanding the impact of urban heat islands on precipitation and particularly towards extreme precipitation. Additionally, over the last year he has been working on the climate effect of aerosols and aerosol-cloud interactions. I am extremely satisfied with his high-quality work through the projects and as a research group member. Research on urban heat island has been a new topic for Louis and at CICERO. He managed quickly to learn and get an overview of the research field. Louis is very thorough in analyzing and applying appropriate tools to present results. He works very independently, but also contributes to collaborative activities in research projects. I would like to emphasize his willingness to train other researchers at CICERO on utilizing the numerical modelling tool Weather Research and Forecasting (WRF) model, where he is recognized as an expert.

I highly recommend Dr. Louis Marelle for a research position, exemplified by that he would clearly be hired at CICERO if he had applied for the open senior researcher positions within atmospheric sciences.

Sincerely,

Gunnar Myhre