



# Source Evaluation Society

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Reference for: \_\_\_\_\_

This reference form is a required document for the above candidate in his or her pursuit of a certificate through the Source Evaluation Society as a **Qualified Source Testing Observer**. References from professionals familiar with the candidate's work are immensely valuable in determining whether the candidate is qualified to take the QSTO examination for certification. Thank you for taking the time to complete the information below. Please return the completed form to the address above within 5 working days, if at all possible.

**Person giving reference (please print):**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Current Position: \_\_\_\_\_  
Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

**Rather** than providing this written reference, would you prefer we contact you by phone to do a verbal reference?

yes  no If yes, please note the best time(s) for us to call you: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a certified QSTI?  yes  no

**Information about candidate:**

- The candidate is known to me in the environmental profession as:  
 my employer  my employee  my peer from: \_\_\_\_\_ to: \_\_\_\_\_
- The candidate's environmental area of specialization is known to me as:  
 Air  Water  Waste  Policy and Management  Science and Health  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- I consider the candidate's education and experience to be:  
 outstanding  good  average  fair  poor
- I consider the candidate's professional ability and competence to be:  
 outstanding  good  average  fair  poor
- I believe the candidate's appreciation for professional ethical conduct is:  
 outstanding  good  average  fair  poor
- I believe the candidate is qualified for certification as a QSTO.  
 yes  no

Comments:  
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Signature! \_\_\_\_\_

Date: