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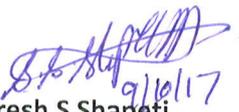
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With above mentioned credentials in English of the listed members above, I certify that proficiency of English more than the advanced level.

  
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