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Cover Letter

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Dear Hiring Team at BlueCrest Infrastructure Advisors,

I am excited to apply for the **Cloud Architect** position at BlueCrest Infrastructure Advisors. With 15 years of progressive information technology experience, I bring a strong record of designing, governing, and operating secure cloud infrastructure across **Microsoft Azure**, AWS, and **Oracle Cloud Infrastructure**.

My work has focused on turning business needs into scalable, reliable cloud solutions. I have created **architecture standards**, led **infrastructure assessments**, and guided teams through **cloud security**, compliance, governance, high availability, and disaster recovery planning. I bring a practical approach to balancing resilience, performance, and cost efficiency.

I have led modernization efforts across IaaS and PaaS workloads, documented SaaS integration patterns, and supported production teams through performance investigations and complex service issues. I communicate clearly with application, security, finance, and infrastructure teams, and I enjoy mentoring engineers through design reviews, troubleshooting sessions, and sound project practices.

This opportunity interests me because BlueCrest Infrastructure Advisors combines cloud architecture with practical guidance for project teams and business needs. The focus on standards, reliable infrastructure, **business continuity**, quality, and continuous improvement matches the work I have led throughout my career. I hold the **AWS Certified Solutions Architect – Professional**, Microsoft Certified: Azure Solutions Architect Expert, and **Oracle Cloud Infrastructure Architect Professional** credentials, along with a valid driver's license.

Thank you for your consideration. I would welcome the opportunity to discuss how my cloud architecture experience can support BlueCrest Infrastructure Advisors.

Sincerely,

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