DEFENSIVE DOCUMENTATION



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THE APPLICATION

At-will status

No oral contracts

Arbitration / Class Action / Jury Waiver

Release (current / prior employers)

Affirmation / After Acquired Evidence

Background check authorization



- AVOID PHYSICAL DESCRIPTIONS TO REMEMBER CANDIDATES
- FOCUS ON QUALITIES OF PROMISING CANDIDATES



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THE OFFER LETTER

- At Will Status / No oral contracts to the contrary.
- Contingencies (drug testing, background check, signing NDA)
- Initial Position & Compensation
- Benefits subject to change
- Relocation reimbursement (cap)







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