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To Whom It May Concern,

Tony Loughhead of Instinctive Driving approached Autism SA in order to discuss and offer his organisation's services. Tony reported that he offers driver training that is tailored to meet the needs of a range of community members, including people on the autism spectrum. Tony expressed interest in engaging in training with Autism SA in order to further develop his skills providing services to people on the autism spectrum. Autism SA has a specialised training available that is relevant to Tony's needs. He is awaiting confirmation from Autism SA of the date of the training and has shown keen interest in being kept up to date of when it will occur.

There is a need for driver training and examination that is specialised and inclusive of those on the autism spectrum. Specialised services may include, but are not limited to, adjustments to teaching technique and strategies, length and number of sessions, and continuity of services, e.g. the same instructor conducting the driver training as conducts the driving examination.

Autism SA supports the provision of autism friendly services in autism friendly environments, and actively works with organisations to develop these with regard to their specific needs.

Kind regards,



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