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Harold Orenstein, Esq.
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Dear Harold:

I had Michael Barackman, our Senior Director of A&R, appraise the music of Terry Boalt and rather than paraphrase his evaluation, I'm enclosing it "straight".

Needless to say, I do wish I could be more affirmative for you but I'm sure you would want a candid opinion.

Warm regards,

Clive

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Clive:

Re: Terry Boalt

I don't feel this is really stand-apart material in the Country area. I don't feel the songs are distinctive enough to emerge as hits for a Leroy Parnell-type. So, I don't feel this merits forwarding to Arista Nashville.

Michael

MICHAEL BARACKMAN