## **Subject: Networking Request - Startup Pitch Competition**

Dear [Recipient's Name],

I hope this message finds you well. My name is [Your Name], and I am the [Your Position] of [Your Startup Name]. We are excited to participate in the upcoming Startup Pitch Competition on [Date] and would love the opportunity to connect with you.

As an entrepreneur in the [Your Industry] sector, I greatly admire your work in [Recipient's Company/Field] and believe that your insights could be invaluable to our growth and development. I would appreciate the chance to discuss potential collaborations and share more about our innovative approach to [Your Solution/Problem Being Solved].

If you are available, I would love to schedule a brief meeting during the competition or at your convenience. Thank you for considering my request. I look forward to the possibility of connecting!

Best regards,
[Your Name]
[Your Position]
[Your Startup Name]
[Your Email Address]
[Your Phone Number]