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His Majesty  
Preah Bat Samdech Preah  
Norodom Sihanouk Varman,  
King of Cambodia  
c/o The Royal Palace

Your Majesty:

The Phnom Penh Post will be producing a Special Commemorative Supplement in honor of Your Majesty's upcoming 73rd birthday, as we have done for the past three years.

In this regard, I am writing to inquire whether Your Majesty would like to submit a message to us for inclusion in this Supplement. The Phnom Penh Post and our readers both here in Cambodia and around the world would be honored to have a statement from Your Majesty on this auspicious occasion.

If Your Majesty deems it appropriate, please feel free to submit a statement of any length and on any subject. Please also accept my apologies in advance for making this request as I'm sure this is a difficult time for Your Majesty just after your recent eye surgery. I did, however, at the very least, want to make the offer to Your Majesty as our readers are always interested to hear from the King of Cambodia.

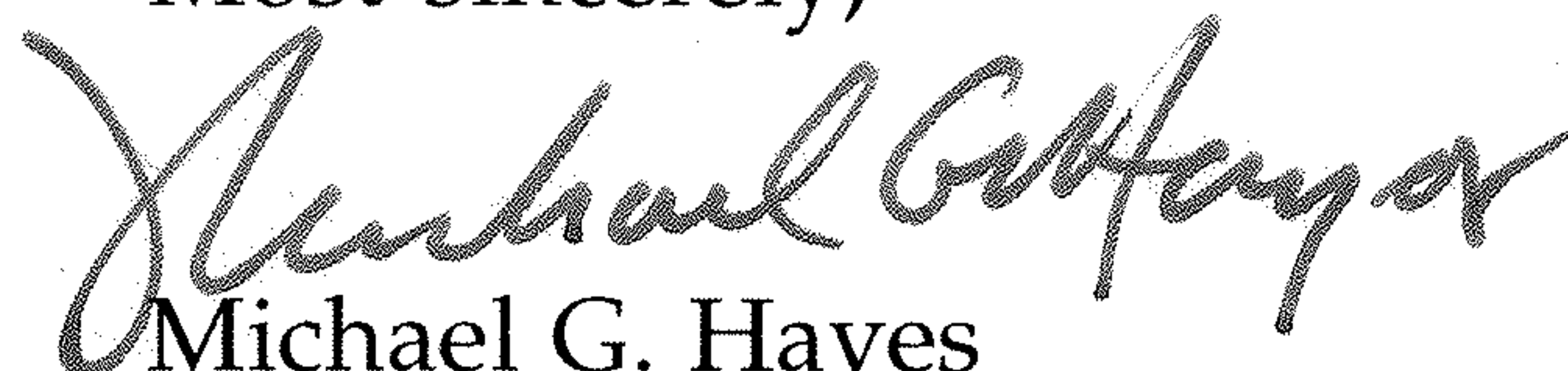
We will be sending the final materials to our printer on October 15, and the respective issue will be released on October 20, 1995.

For Your Majesty's information, we have also asked H.E. Julio Jeldres to submit an article and he has tentatively agreed to submit a piece to us for publication. Should your office have any questions, we can be contacted at the above numbers.

Let me once again convey to Your Majesty my sincerest thanks and appreciation for the considerations shown to the Phnom Penh Post. All of us here feel deeply honored, especially by the sentiments expressed in your letter of September 14.

With my highest respect,

Most sincerely,



Michael G. Hayes

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