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To: Member of press contingent travelling with Secretary Christopher

From: Michael Hayes, Publisher & Editor-in-Chief

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Welcome to Cambodia. The *Phnom Penh Post* is the oldest, existing, independent newspaper in any language in Cambodia. Started in July, 1992, the *Post* recently celebrated its third anniversary.

Copies of two recent issues are enclosed for your information. Specifically, I would like to draw your attention to an opinion piece entitled "Requiem for the Press" on page 14 of our July 28 edition.

If during your brief stay in Cambodia you would like to discuss the situation here with any of our six, English-speaking Cambodian journalists, our Managing Editor, Matthew Grainger or myself, please don't hesitate to contact our office at any time. I can be reached directly on my mobile phone at 015-912-859. As well, our office is located just a ten minute walk away from the Hotel Cambodiana where you will be staying.

In general, if the *Phnom Penh Post* can be of any assistance to you during your stay here, please don't hesitate to give us a call.

Sincerely,



Michael Hayes