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Dear Mike,

Thanks for putting the advertisement on the London Montessori School again in the Phnom Penh Post. I am sorry about the misunderstanding which was resolved nicely by your timely intervention and your decision to print the ad at no charge to us. Let me assure you that in future I shall deal with your advertising people.

As you can see from the letterhead, we have started a primary school under the label British International School, which is based on the British national curriculum. Josette and I plan step by step to build it up into a high school in the future. It all depends the success of this modest step. Furthermore, it is prudent to keep one's dreams to oneself. Action comes before words, according to Josette.

If you are free, please drop in to see what we have. Josette is a low profile person and was not too happy when Cambodia Today did a small write-up. We had to accommodate Ambassador Deva who visited our school. So you see, in this world, there are no free lunches.

Finally, I am writing to inquire whether Nate Thayer has finished reading Adam 's book on Indonesia which I loaned him through you. If so, I will be happy to visit your office to pick it up.

I think we should get our Malaysian Ambassador to play host again so that we can get an update on the political situation here. It is interesting to hear Kirby, UNCHR, talking about stability first.

Yours sincerely,

Din Merican