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Dear Mr Thomas,

I am pleased to be able to confirm that the British School of Guangzhou has been accepted as an Affiliate of COBIS (Council of British International Schools) following consideration of the application by the Membership Committee. COBIS is a member of the Independent Schools Council (ISC) which is the umbrella body that represents independent schools in the UK.

The school joins a network of high-quality British schools in more than 40 countries around the world. COBIS offers networking opportunities, continuing professional development, and representation with the British Government, educational bodies, and the corporate sector. You will receive regular newsletters from COBIS including information about developments and trends in UK education. You will also receive a username and password for the COBIS website which will allow you to post job vacancies, download resources, edit the school profile, and participate in the online forum. COBIS can also provide additional support including help with processing Criminal Record Bureau checks for new staff if necessary.

Kind regards,

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General Secretary, COBIS

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