

17 October 2008

To whom it may concern

Dear Sir/Madam,

RE: ENGLISH LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY- MS [REDACTED]

Ms [REDACTED] works for Ministry of Health [REDACTED] [REDACTED] under Child Health Division. I am her direct supervisor and have worked with her for almost two years. Her major responsibilities include coordination of Expanded Program of Immunization (EPI) and Childhood Vaccine Preventable Diseases Surveillance. She is the Head of the EPI Unit under the Child Health Division and is responsible for the facilitation of child health service strategies and programs in the country. This involves working closely with development partners such as WHO, UNICEF to ensure elimination and eradication of vaccine preventable diseases. Ms [REDACTED] also conducts a series of trainings on Child Health strategies such as the RED (Reaching Every District), Disease Surveillance protocols and Outbreak procedures for Doctors, Nurses and other health professionals.

In [REDACTED] English is the official and [REDACTED] the National language. English is the language of instruction in the work place. Ms [REDACTED] therefore uses English at work during training sessions, meetings, during presentations, for report writing and any official written form of communication. Her written and spoken English is excellent. In addition Ms [REDACTED] was taught in English from her primary education, High School, School of Nursing and at University level. All her exams were taken in English except [REDACTED] language which students are required to take as a subject and it is a requirement by the Government of [REDACTED]

I am therefore confident that Ms [REDACTED] will excel in her studies in Australia if given an opportunity and that she will have no problems as a result of language barrier. Thank you.

Yours Faithfully,

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