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Dear Secretariat,

I wish to add a Supplementary document in evidence for the Rifle Company Butterworth Inquiry.

Please find attached A RAAF School Penang Security Alert for 1969. Unfortunately, such Security Alerts and Advisories were not kept. I am not sure if these are located within Defence Archives or the NAA. However my recollection from being a Student in Penang from June 1973 to January 1976 is that they were issued to students to take home to parents.

Kind Regards - Paul

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RAAF SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

To all RAAF and Civilian Members

1. RAAF School Penang and the Annex will reopen after the May holidays on Tuesday, 20th May.
2. Normal transport timings and pick up points will apply for children living on the island of Penang.
3. Service buses will be provided for High School children only who live on the mainland. Timings and pick up points will be normal. Children will be taken the whole way under Service Police escort, and must remain seated quietly in the bus throughout.
4. You must stress to your children the need for responsible behaviour, avoidance of rowdiness, and great courtesy to local residents during the present period of tension.
5. The above arrangements will apply to Tuesday and Wednesday at least. The situation will be kept under review and you will be informed when any changes are to be made.
6. Until further notice RAAF primary school children living on the mainland will not attend school. RAF School Butterworth will operate normally, as will the RAAF pre-school centres. Pick up for pre-school centres will be at normal points at normal times.

AUTHORITY:

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