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Dear Mr. Sandiford

The Ministry of Education is pleased to endorse the Pan in Education project produced by Simeon Sandiford of Sanch Electronics. The programme is an excellent educational package that integrates the use of ICT to present a comprehensive and interactive overview of Pan/steel orchestra music in the world of music. It includes both the educational and business perspectives, demonstrating possibilities for entrepreneurship as well as the use of modern technology to further develop our indigenous musical expressions.

The Ministry of Education through its Pan in the Classroom project is currently equipping schools with steel orchestras. The schools are also provided with tutors where the Music Teacher is unable to teach Pan. While the Pan in Education programme appears to be most useful for higher levels of music education than is normally found in schools, a committee is soon to be appointed to make recommendations on how the programme may be adapted for use in schools.

Yours respectfully

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Peter O'Neil
Chief Education Officer