



Letter of endorsement for Košice International School

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To whom it may concern

The British Chamber of Commerce in the Slovak Republic is welcoming the opening of Kosice International School (KEIS) founded by our member European Educational Agency. Kosice International School has the Chamber's full support in establishing itself as one of the leading educational institutions in the Kosice region, catering for children of expat families living in Kosice and nearby counties as well as for the local community.

The region of Eastern Slovakia, with Košice city as its business and cultural centre, continues experiencing lower levels of foreign direct investments and socio-economic development due to infrastructure development gaps. A lack of modern and internationally recognized primary and secondary educational opportunities is a key element impacting competitiveness of the region.

As many of the key business players in the region have been telling us, availability of an international school is crucial for retention and growth of the existing businesses and attracting new investments.

Presence of an international school plays an important part in decision-making of young Slovak professionals from the region living abroad, while considering returning home to live and raise their children as well as of international experts to accept positions within businesses based in Eastern Slovakia.



The British Chamber of Commerce in the Slovak Republic is therefore fully supportive of Košice International School establishing itself in the region. Based on the review of the school's curriculum, the Chamber is confident in KEIS bringing into the region the required type of quality education that would help attract new investments and talents from abroad and other parts of Slovakia.

Your sincerely,

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