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Dear Liam

I have been in touch with the New Zealand High Commission, New Zealand House, London, to see if I could gain any knowledge of the two organisation mentioned in your telephone call.

The Vocational Training Council was well known to them as it is totally funded by the New Zealand Government and supervises all craft training. The Director of this Council was due in UK last week so I left my telephone number and address with New Zealand House in case he would like more information.

They had not heard of the New Zealand Craftsmen Training Foundation but promised to make some enquiries. However I would say that the Vocational Training Council would be more representative of the New Zealand Government.

Bill Thorpe has had heart surgery and so far his progress is good. You asked for his address - it is:

Mr W G Thorpe CBE
365 Wilbraham Road
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I am enclosing a copy of our Report on the 27th Competition; I thought you might find it of interest.

Thank you for telephoning regarding our Paper. I have had no other reaction so far!

Yours sincerely


W W Norris
Director/Secretary

