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Title: Associations between social isolation, pro-social behaviour and emotional development in pre-school aged children: a population based survey of kindergarten staff.

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Dear Dr. Dizon,

Apologies for the delay in responding but I am just back from holiday today.

Please find attached a revised version of the paper on associations between social isolation, pro-social behaviour and emotional development in pre-school aged children. I have added two sentences into the 'Participants' section of the 'Methods'. The first of these states that ethical approval was not required due to the study being part of an evaluation. The second indicated that parents were informed that their child's data was being collected and were able to opt-out if they wished.

I hope this addresses your comments adequately. Please let me know if not. I would be very much obliged if you could forward the paper to BMC Psychology as proposed.

Kind Regards,

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