Press Release of Classis Northern Ontario September 25, 2014 held at Brampton, Ontario

On behalf of the convening church of Brampton, Rev. M.H. VanLuik welcomed the brothers. The meeting was opened in a Christian manner. Rev. VanLuik mentioned some matters of memorabilia.

The convening church of the previous Classis – Owen Sound – found the credentials to be in good order. The moderamen suggested by the previous Classis took their places: chairman – Rev. T.A. Wierenga, vice-chairman – Rev. C.J. VanderVelde, clerk – Rev. M.H. VanLuik. The agenda was adopted.

The Subscription Form was read by the chairman and then signed by Rev. M. Jagt.

Question Period according to Art. 44 CO was held. All the churches answered "yes" to the first two questions. One church requested input in a matter other than discipline.

The convening church for the next Classis is Elora. Date: Fri, Dec 12, at 9:00 AM. The suggested officers: chairman – Rev. D.G.J. Agema, vice-chairman – Rev. M.H. VanLuik, clerk – Rev. T.A. Wierenga.

Some appointments were made. Henry Bosscher is the treasurer of Classis Northern Ontario. His address is 143701 Sideroad 15, RR #8, Owen Sound, Ontario, N4K 5W4.

The following brothers were delegated to Regional Synod East 2014. Elders: Jerry Hutten, Calvin Lodder (alternates in this order: Herman Timmerman, Bernie Kottelenberg). Ministers: Rev. J. Moesker, Rev. C.J. VanderVelde (alternates in this order: Rev. M.H. VanLuik, Rev. M. Jagt).

Opportunity for questions was given. The chairman judged that censure according to Art. 34 CO was not necessary. He thanked the brothers for their good cooperation.

The Acts were adopted and the Press Release approved for publication. Rev. T.A. Wierenga led in prayer and then declared Classis closed.

Rev. Clarence J. VanderVelde Vice-chairman at that time