Report to the General Synod of the Canadian Reformed Churches to be held at Cloverdale, B.C., November 1983.

Esteemed Brethren,

The Committee on Bible TRanslations received from the General Synod of Smithville, 1980, the mandate

- "a) to continue to make recommendations to the Standard Bible Committee for changes necessary in the Revised Standard Version translation
- b) to keep the Churches posted as to the developments in new editions of the Revised Standard Version;
- c) to report to the next Synod".

As for the first part of our mandate, we must report that after an initial corresponding between members of the committee no further activities were undertaken, partly because of the distance that came between us and more so because other matters demanded all our time.

With respect to the second part of our mandate we have nothing special to report.

One member of the committee, professor H.M.Ohmann left our country to take up a teaching position in Kampen.

This makes our report to you a very short one.

With brotherly greetings,

for the Committee

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