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THE DIOCESAN DELEGATE REPORT

JANUARY 26, 1986

The 83rd Annual Diocesan Assembly took place from May 2nd - 4th, 1985, and was hosted by the Holy Martyrs Church of Bayside, New York.

Among the major issues discussed by the Assembly were the following:

- the report on the high rise construction project at the Diocesan community center was presented. After lengthy discussion, the "high rise" committee was authorized to study further.
- 2) it was decided that a youth ministry program be implemented on a trial basis.
- 3) it was voted to continue all efforts towards church unity
- appointment by the Primate of a representative who will serve as a liason between the Diocese and those parishes which do not have a full-time Pastor
- 5) the 1986 budget of \$1,900,000.00 was accepted
- 6) the site for the 1986 Diocesan Assembly will be at the St. Mesrob Armenian Church in Racine, Wisconsin.

Respectfully submitted,

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