DIOCESAN DELEGATE REPORT

February, 1989

The 86th Annual Diocesan meeting took place in Cambridge, MA., May 12 - 14, 1988. Our church again was represented by its delegate, Parish Council chairman and Parish Priest, Father Hairabedian.

A full reporting was given to the special Parish assembly of last year.

The updated Diocesan Bylaws were distributed and will be discussed with the 87th assembly in Elberon, N.J.

No unity meetings have taken place during the 1988. However, it is anticipated that an accelerated program will occur in the May assembly.

I was elected as member of the Nominating Committee. Dr. Garbis Meguerian again brought up the issue of Parish dues and assessment. Apparently it is in Committee and will be considered this year.

Private audiance with the Primate concerning a new parish priest about which chairman reported to the Parish assembly.

The mandate of the unity Committee was considered during this session to limit till 1989 and was defeated.

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