## ARMENIAN INDEPENDENT CULTURAL ASSOCIATION of ATLANTA, INC.

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Archbishop Torkom Manoogian Diocese of the Armenian Church of America 630 Second Avenue New York, N.Y. 10016

Dear Archbishop Manoogian:

I had promised to write you earlier, but I admit I put it off. After our interesting conversation at the A.G.B.U. convention in Toronto in June, I was able to learn more details concerning our Club's donation of \$250 to the Istanbul Book Fund:

Our Club sent a check in May to: Istanbul Book Fund/Father Mesrob, c/o Angel M. Odabashian, Armenian Church Council of Memphis, 5259 Banbury Ave., Memphis, Tenn. 38111. We then received a receipt saying "For the Educational Fund of the Armenian Orthodox Patriarchate in Istanbul", signed by A. Odabashian. This is all I know; apparently it has to be sent to Istanbul in cash.

I also heard from Armen Karapetian that you may be planning a trip to Atlanta. Our community here will be more than happy to host you any time. Please let me know of a possible date, and also anything else that we need to know here to prepare for your visit. We have just had our annual elections for AICAA, and my job is now President. However, I am very interested in publicizing your visit in the Atlanta Journal & Constitution. At your convenience, please send us publicity information and a photo that we can submit when the time comes. Also, the religion editor is Billie Cheney Speed, Atlanta Constitution, Box 4689, Atlanta, GA. 30302, if you would like to send it directly to her.

Last but not least, we shall add your name to our Club's mailing list as per our conversation.

Sincerely,

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