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ARCHBISHOP TORKOM MANOOGIAN, PRIMATE

May 19, 1980

Mr. Sarkis Chilingirian Vice Chairman of the Parish Council Holy Trinity Armenian Church 14 Woodlawn Avenue West Toronto, Ontario Canada

Dear Mr. Chilingirian:

We are obliged to inform you and the Parish Council that the Diocesan Council cannot approve the request of the Holy Trinity parish for the purpose of purchase of property for the construction of a new church on the site proposed. It was reasoned that the property in question is not situated so as to enhance the future growth of the church, and that the dependence of the church on other organizations for some necessary facilities would prevent the parish from functioning properly. This decision was reached after careful study of the proposal in the light of available facts, plans and other documents.

May God send you the blessings of His grace and wisdom in your devoted and patient service to our Church and people.

Prayerfully,

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Archbishop Torkom Manoogian Primate