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ARCHBISHOP TORKOM MANOOGIAN, PRIMATE

March 9, 1982

The Reverend Dr. Howard Pentland, Senior Minister Forest Grove United Church 43 Forest Grove Drive Willowdale, Ontario M2K 1Z4 Canada

Dear Reverend Pentland:

Due to the unruly behavior of the Holy Cross Armenian Church of Toronto parish officers and members, the Primate and Diocesan Council have dissolved the parish council and the Holy Cross parish.

The Reverend Father Houssig Nishanian has been assigned with an Interim Parish Council to organize a new parish. Therefore, we ask you to permit only Father Nishanian to perform services and not to recognize any other group who may appeal to you in the name of the Holy Cross Armenian Church of Toronto, Canada.

Prayerfully,

Archbishop Torkom Manoogian Primate

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