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Date: August 5, 1992
To: The Fellowship
From: The World Service Board of Trustees
Re: Input on the Fellowship Intellectual Property Trust

As most of you are already aware, a decision was made by the 1992 WSC to postpone the consideration of the Intellectual Property Trust. This action was primarily initiated by the WSB in response to the input we received during our panel discussion, stating that the fellowship simply needed more time to study the document. Working in conjunction with an RSR working group the WSB will "solicit, review and factor in where appropriate, additional input on the Fellowship Intellectual Property Trust for presentation to the fellowship in the 1993 Conference Agenda Report." A deadline for the input was established as of October 1, 1992.

Since the Conference the fellowship has been notified through its RSRs and the Conference Report of the pending deadline. Members of the Trustees and the RSR working group had one meeting by conference call in July, and agreed to the following schedule:

October 1, 1992

All input due to be received at the WSO.

October 10, 11, 1992

Meeting of the 5 member RSR group and three members of the WSB, to review all input received and make appropriate changes to the document.

October 31, 1992

A two hour open forum about the trust document will be held at the WSC workshop in Cincinnati, Ohio. The open forum will be hosted by members of the RSR working group and the WSB. It is intended to provide an opportunity for discussion and clarification since it will occur after the deadline for input.

All members, groups and service committees are encouraged to participate by providing their input to this document no matter how brief. (A copy of the document was included in the 1992 CAR and can be ordered through the WSO). The earlier we receive your input, the better prepared we will be to consider it. Please send your input to the World Service Board of Trustees, c/o The World Service Office.