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The Most Rev'd Dr Ian George, Archbishop of Adelaide Anglican Church Office 26 King William Rd North Adelaide 5006,

CONFIDENTIAL

Dear Archbishop,

Re: Bob Brandenburg

Following our telephone conversation on Tuesday 19th October and my telephone conversation with Mr Andrew Luckhurst-Smith on Wednesday 20th October I have re-scheduled the seminar planned for October 26th (of which you were advised in my letter of 7th September) to a proposed new date of Tuesday 30th November (at 8pm). All members of the seminar leadership team have this time and date reserved. I have taken this step in order to provide time for a considered Diocesan response. Should this response require that the seminar not proceed we will, of course, abide by that decision though we would be looking to the Diocese for alternative pastoral initiatives.

In view of the concerns expressed about the need for Diocesan management of this situation and the fact that I will be on Long Service Leave at that time, I think it would be appropriate if a member of the Diocesan leadership team, or at least an authorised spokesperson, could be present at the proposed seminar, should it proceed.

As requested at our meeting of October 12th I have enclosed a list of options which the Diocese might take up in its response to the situation we have inherited.

Sincerely, and with best wishes,

Don Owers

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Enc: Pastoral Options

The Rt Revd Dr Phillip Aspinall The Rev'd Dr John Roffey Mr Andrew Luckhurst-Smith