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The Charge Conference Duke Memorial United Methodist Church Durham District, NC Conference Durham, NC 27701

Subject: Personal Annual Charge Conference Report (452.5a)

Dear Sisters and Brothers:

Please accept my sincere regret that I will not be physically present this evening. We are celebrating in McLean, VA the 45th birthday of our first born son, and attending a conference in Washington, DC on Thursday and Friday.

Since last year's report I have officiated at no marriages or baptisms. I share in Holy Communion frequently. On five Sundays I have preached and on 32 Sundays I have taught classes. My principal occupation is the administration of the Wesley Heritage Foundation project, producing a Spanish edition of the Works of Wesley. Under the Editorship of Dr. Justo L. Gonzalez we expect to publish the first three volumes (of 15) of Las Obras de Wesley in 1994.

Regarding "the circumstances of their families," I am happy to report that while retired and in our seventies we are not yet quite "worn out." Lois and I both manage some chronic ailments which occasionally limit our activities. By God's grace I have made a fairly normal recovery from the prostate cancer surgery last December, and my lastest blood PSA blood test is 0.0.

Lois and I are grateful for the privilege of sharing the warm fellowship and ministry of Duke Memorial and the Durham District.

Sincerely yours for Christ and his Church,

L. Elbert Wethington, retired Elder, E.PA Conference

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