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Primate's Commendation Letter to AAEF

Providing effective educational opportunities for the less fortunate children of God throughout the world – enabling them to become productive and successful citizens in the future – is a noble cause that the Anoushavan Abrahamian Education Fund (AAEF) has indeed sought to accomplish. We are particularly proud of the achievements of the AAEF in the rural regions of Armenia.

This God-pleasing project would not have been possible if Mr. and Mrs. Anoushavan Abrahamian had not been motivated by the Divine Providence to establish such an important, inherently Christian and extremely critical foundation, which since its founding just four years ago, has born the fruits of faith, hope and pursuit of happiness in the hearts and lives of many youngsters throughout the world and Armenia.

The Western Diocese of the Armenian Church of North America stands fast with the AAEF's commitment to this God-pleasing project. The 4th annual banquet is an opportunity for us to celebrate the AAEF's achievements, consider increasing our contributions and promote more public participation in its worthy cause.

"Bear one another's burdens, and so fulfill the law of Christ" (Gal. 6:2).

Prayerfully,

Archbishop Hovnan Derderian
Primate