

SALE OF INTERNATIONAL OFFICE – AN UPDATE

Recently the NAB International Office Building was put on the market for sale. Over the past decade there have been several efforts made to prepare the necessary information in order to sell this facility. In the spring of 2008, the Executive Committee invited our Executive Director, Dr. McClelland, to proceed with revisiting this again.

For almost 34 years this building has met the needs of the administration and ministry of the Conference. We are so grateful for the wisdom, foresight and sacrifice of God's people when they made the decision to relocate from Forest Park and build this new facility. It is our prayer that God would give us similar wisdom and foresight in this potential transition.

Currently we are using approximately 30 - 35% of the building for our needs. The cost of maintenance and upkeep is becoming a question of good stewardship. Our desire is to keep the overhead of administration and ministry support to a minimum. Therefore, the effort is being made to determine how we might become better stewards in meeting our office space needs by reducing this overhead.

In addition, it is our desire to add value to the opportunity for our NAB Office to be more accessible and available to our constituency and leadership. Therefore, if the Lord would lead the way for this facility to be sold, the next several years would be dedicated to determining if there was a better location in North America to relocate our office.

Please pray for God's hand of direction in the coming months. Any final decision would be in the hands of the General Council. If you have a question regarding this, please email or call Ron Norman, Chief Operating Officer - 630.496.2000 (ext.214) or Rnorman@nabconf.org