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To the Mississippi Valley Presbytery
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Dear brothers in Christ,

This August will mark the 14th anniversary of serving as president of the Jackson campus of Reformed Theological Seminary. Each year brings its own set of opportunities and challenges, and year by year, I continue to see our God as ever faithful to our work.

As you know, this has been a difficult year for us with the moral failure of one of our faculty members. Still, we continue to be humbled by the gift that God has given us of such a dedicated faculty and staff as well as so many fine young men and women who come to us for training. From our Jackson campus alone, fifty five graduates were launched this past May to go into places of service in Christ's kingdom. This is encouraging to us as I trust it is to you as well.

We are very grateful that God would give us the privilege of laboring together with our brothers in Mississippi Valley Presbytery in this work for Christ's kingdom. You are a crucial part of the work that we do, and I personally thank you for your friendship, prayers and active support that so many of you continue to give in our work here at the seminary. We do not ever want to take you for granted.

At this time of the year, and in compliance with the standing rules for our presbytery, I am requesting that I be allowed to continue in my work at Reformed Theological Seminary for the upcoming year as a fellow minister laboring "out of bounds." Thank you for your help to allow me to continue at RTS in partnership with each of you and your churches.

In the service of our living Lord,

Most Cordially,



Guy Richardson
President, Jackson campus
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