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Mr. Leon Taylor  
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Dear Mr. Taylor,

Thank you for your letter dated August 13th informing us of the translation effort by Vietnamese Bible, Inc. in the preparation of a new Vietnamese Bible. I don't think there are too many questions about the need for such a Bible in this present day of opportunity among Vietnamese people worldwide. Certainly some of the C&MA folk will be very reluctant to part with the old Vietnamese Bible in the same way that we have been reluctant to part with the familiar King James for the newer versions that have come upon the market.

You've asked for denominational assistance and promotion of your effort, therefore I have sent your letter on to Rev. E. A. Cline, Director of Specialized Ministries and Rev. Richard Bailey, Vice President for Church Ministries in North America. They would be the men to address the issue with our North American constituency.

I do want you to know of our interest in the continuance of your project and hope that the Alliance could play a significant part.

Blessings on you.

Sincerely,

Robert W. Reed  
Regional Director

RWR:pm

cc: Mr. Philip C. Stine