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A. Dr PJ Venter hou die skriftelike Groeteboodskap wat van die AP Kerk ontvang is, voor.
Besluit: Kennis geneem.
Dr PJ Venter presents the written Greeting.
Decision: Noted.

B. Dr PJ Venter stel die Rapport.
Dr PJ Venter tables the Report.

C. Die Rapport word staande die Sinode afgehandel.
The Report is concluded while the Synod is in session.

D. **RAPPORT / REPORT**

1. Opdrag (Acta 2018:320, 1.3.1, 1.3.2 1.1)	**1. Mandate (Acta 2018:320, 1.3.1, 1.3.2 1.1)**
1.1 Die te benoeme Deputate word opdrag gegee om die gesprek met die AP Kerk voort te sit met spesifieke verwysing na KO, art 3 van die AP Kerk en ons verskil daaroor.	1.1 The to be appointed Deputies are instructed to continue discussions with the AP Kerk, with specific reference to CO, art 3 of the AP Kerk and our objections.
1.2 Kerke word versoek om hulle kommentaar op die konsep-memorandum aan die te benoemde Deputate deur te gee.	1.2 Churches are to be requested to comment on the draft memorandum to the to be appointed Deputies.
Besluit: Punte 1.1 en 1.2 kennis geneem.	**Decision: Points 1.1 and 1.2 noted.**
2. Sake waarvan die Sinode kennis neem	**2. Matters that the Synod takes note of**
2.1 Verskeie gesprekke (formeel 1X met SKK en 2X informeel met verteenwoordigers van SKK) het plaasgevind.	2.1 A range of discussions (formal 1X with SKK and 2X informal with representatives of SKK) took place.
2.2 Die verskil(le) rondom KO, art 3 (AP Kerk Kerkorde) het by al die gesprekke aandag ontvang.	2.2 The difference(s) around CO, art 3 (AP Kerk Church Order) was addressed in all these discussions.
2.3 By die laaste informele gesprek het die verteenwoordigers uit die AP Kerk te kenne gegee dat by hulle Sinode (DV in Aug/Sept 2022) daar ‘n wysiging in hulle Kerkorde rondom dié artikel ter tafel mag kom.	2.3 During the last informal discussion, representatives from the AP Kerk indicated that an amendment to this article in their Church Order may be tabled at their next Synod (DV in Aug/Sep 2022).
2.4 Gesprekke sal eers sinvol kan hervat as die gewysigde artikel goedgekeur / nie goedgekeur is nie.	2.4 Meaningful discussion can only resume once the amended article has been approved / not approved.
2.5 Dr Venter het ‘n groeteboodskap aan die AP Kerk deurgegee wat tydens hulle Sinode in Aug./Sept. 2022 sal dien.	2.5 Dr Venter offered greetings to the AP Kerk that will be conveyed at their Synod in Aug./Sept. 2022.
2.6 Geen kommentaar oor die konsep-memorandum is van kerke ontvang nie.	2.6 No comments were received from churches about the draft memorandum.
Besluit: Punte 2.1 tot 2.6 kennis geneem.	**Decision: Points 2.1 to 2.6 noted.**

Besluit: Die volgende opdrag word bygevoeg: Die te benoeme Deputate word opdrag gegee om die gesprek met die AP Kerk voort te sit. **Besluit: Kennis geneem.**	**Decision:** The following assignment is added: The to be appointed Deputies are instructed to continue the discussions with the AP Kerk. **Decision: Noted.**