



Most Reverend John Joseph Myers
By the Grace of God and the Favor of the Apostolic See
Archbishop of Newark

After conversations with Father Paul Lehman and others representing Bukas Loob Sa Diyos Covenant of Communion and having had their preliminary statutes reviewed by Reverend Anthony Figueiredo, STD, for the spiritual benefit of the members of the community and the spiritual benefit of those in the Archdiocese of Newark, I hereby establish that Bukas Loob Sa Diyos Covenant Community as a Private Association of the Faithful (Canon 116.) On an interim basis, I hereby approve the draft statutes of May, 2003 for a period of six months or until such time as the final draft of the statutes is presented to me for final approval.

The summary of my meeting with Father Paul Lehman and representatives of the BLD Community is hereby approved as part of our working relationship.

Given at my Chancery this day of June 3, 2003.

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ATTEST:
Reverend James M. Sheehan
Vice-Chancellor