

Overture from the Reformed Church of Dovedale
This overture relates to Report 11 – National Diaconate and
Report 14 – Overseas Mission Board

The Session of the Reformed Church of Dovedale respectfully overtures Synod as follows:

That the NDC work with the OMB on the PNG compound manager project and contribute funds to the project.

Grounds

1. This project is very much in keeping with the mandate of the NDC (1.2).

In the administration of diaconal aid, in line with a Word and deed ministry, first consideration is to be given to needs associated with Reformed missions which are under the auspices of the Overseas Mission Board, and then other Reformed missions.

2. The grounds for the project supplied by the OMB consistently mention that the work of this manager will allow the missionaries in PNG to focus on their task (Proposal grounds B.a. and C.b.). This is very much in keeping with Acts 6:2-4.

Respectfully submitted,

The Session of the Reformed Church of Dovedale