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TO ALL CONGREGATIONS IN THE UNITED STATES

Dear Brothers:

We are pleased to announce that progress is well along on *Watchtower Library—2001*. This edition will add the publications for 2000 and 2001 and will have exciting new features.

When *Watchtower Library—1993* was released, most computers used the Windows 3.1 operating system, and those having that system can continue to use it with *Watchtower Library—1999* or earlier versions. But recent years have brought advances in operating systems and the capabilities of average computers. So it is fitting to update *Watchtower Library* to enable it to run well on current computers and to provide enhanced features and more data.

Allowing for the work of redesign and thorough testing, *Watchtower Library—2001* should be ready later this year. Still, we are announcing it now because some brothers and sisters will want to ensure that their computer is equipped to run *Watchtower Library—2001*. If one wants to use this edition, the operating system needed will be Windows 95 or a later version. The computer system recommendations are included at the end of this letter.

Watchtower Library—2001 will be produced in the same languages available up to now—Danish, Dutch, English, French, German, Italian, Japanese, Portuguese, and Spanish. It will be available for the first time in the Czech language.

Attached you will find a list of some of the new features of *Watchtower Library—2001*. This valuable research tool is provided only for Jehovah's Witnesses, not for the public. We will inform your congregation when requests for it can be submitted.

Your fellow servants,

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PS: Please have this letter read to the congregation at the first Service Meeting after its receipt, then post it on the information board.

New Features of *Watchtower Library—2001*

- Can be installed entirely on the computer hard disk and then used without CD-ROM present

- Ability to print directly from *Watchtower Library*, without first sending text to a word processor

- Search results can be presented by a new approach—order of the most frequent occurrence

- Much faster response when searching for multiple words

- Provision to hear Bible names (personal and place names) pronounced; a sound card and speaker(s) are needed for this feature, which will not be on Czech and Japanese versions

- Program is designed around a single window view (not multiple windows, as previously)

- Full instructions provided via Help system that can be printed (no manual supplied)

- Multiple sessions or languages can run at the same time on a computer

System Recommendations

Windows 95 (or later) operating system; 32 MB of RAM, or more depending on operating system; 30 MB free disk space (up to 500 MB for full installation, including data); Pentium-compatible processor; a mouse