

February 26, 2009

Mr. Ahn Chang Eung,
General Secretary, Korean Bible Society
1365-16, Seocho-2-dong, Seocho-ku, Seoul
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Re: Our Interim Response to Your Letter on January 21, 2009

You stated in your letter that

- (1) Our Korean translation of the Received Hebrew and Greek text of the Bible (2007, 한글 전수성경) is almost identical to your Korean Revised Version (1961, 개역성경), hence you are charging us for a serious copyright violation;
- (2) We are illegally using the electronic form of the same Korean Revised Bible (1961, 개역성경) in our Bible Study Software – BibleOne[®].

In light of the shortness of time allowed for us to adequately prepare our formal response, given the enormity of the issues involved and the serious nature of the charge, it is deemed necessary that we have more time to thoroughly investigate the matter and to present the case to our board of trustees for its approval. This is what I have been able to determine from my emergency visit to Korea in the last few weeks.

We, therefore, would like to request two additional months, until April 30, 2009, before we deliver to you our formal decisions regarding your charge, with the approval of the Society's board of trustees. Thank you in advance for your understanding and cooperation.



Sincerely,
Ted Lee,
General Secretary
Received Bible Society

cc. Timothy Farr, Attorney at Law