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Dear Dr. Paulsen,

We received the letter from Elder Parchment of September 2, 2009 in response to our letter to you dated July 31, 2009 about the Lifepoint Investment. Referring our letter to a subordinate surprises us and suggests that you, as the chief executive officer (CEO), may not be as knowledgeable of the investment policies of our organization as might be desirable.

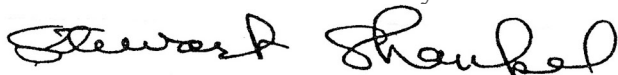
Presumably the aim of referring our letter to Dr. Roy Ryan is not merely to write MCA an appropriately crafted letter. Rather, in order to maintain your commitment to transparency, integrity, and accountability of church leadership; you may have asked Dr. Ryan to answer the following questions about the Lifepoint Investment:

1. What are the facts associated with the investment in question?
2. Did this investment comply with policy guidelines? If so, what policy?
3. If this investment did not comply with policy guidelines, why this investment was executed.
4. Who were the principles that executed the transaction and who had oversight of this investment?
5. What disciplinary action was taken with the participants in this transaction?
6. What steps were taken to prevent this investment practice from repetition?

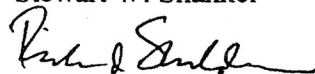
When you will receive a written report on your inquiry we would appreciate receiving a copy.

Sincerely,

Members for Church Accountability



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