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*d told Fr. Ventura
that it was not intended
in Fr. Becker working &
living at the Seminary
(though he could teach a
course there).*

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TO: Cardinal Bernardin
FROM: Tom Ventura *TV*
RE: Bob Becker

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1. [Redacted]

2. [Redacted]

Could you give me your reactions to these questions and ideas so I can communicate more definite information to Bob?

A. What work would he do?

- Bob's first choice would be to teach Canon Law at Mundelein if Ed Stokes is leaving as rumored and if Jerry Kicanas would want him. It is an adult community. He would have the support of people like Wayne Prist and Lou Cameli whom he values.

- His second choice would be to work in the Tribunal in an ordinary capacity. He does not want to be officialis or vice-officialis.

B. Where would he live?

- Obviously if he taught at the Seminary he would live there and help at a parish on Sundays.

- If he worked at the Tribunal he could live at Holy Name Cathedral where there would be little or no contact with families or children.

- He could be resident at a parish that had room.

C. Supervision

- He agrees that his "on site supervisor" -- eg. pastor, rector, department director -- should know the full story of his case so that person could effectively supervise him.

- I would see him once a month for supervision.

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