

## 60. Ministerial and Diaconal Oversight

The Reports of the Ministerial Candidates Selection Committee and the Diaconal Candidates Selection Committee containing the lists and other information is to be found in the supplementary booklet *'Candidates for Presbyteral and Diaconal Ministry'*.

The lists and information for the following are to be found in the supplementary booklet *'Ministerial and Diaconal Oversight and Authorisations'*:

- ∞ Ministerial Candidates and Probationers Oversight Committee – Special Reports
- ∞ Preachers recommended for continuance on trial
- ∞ Preachers on trial presented to the Conference as ministers to be received into Full Connexion in 2009
- ∞ Recommendations of the Ministerial Candidates Selection Committee acting as transfer Committee
- ∞ Ministers recommended to be reinstated into Full Connexion
- ∞ Ministers recommended for transfer out of Full Connexion or to be permitted to serve another Conference or Church or to serve abroad or reside abroad
- ∞ Ministers becoming supernumerary or returning to the active work
- ∞ Diaconal Candidates and Probationers Oversight Committee – Special Reports
- ∞ Deacons recommended for continuance on trial
- ∞ Deacons on trial presented to the Conference to be received into Full Connexion in 2009
- ∞ Deacons recommended to be reinstated into Full Connexion
- ∞ Deacons becoming supernumerary or returning to the active work
- ∞ Ministers of other autonomous Methodist Conferences or of other communions recommended to be recognised and regarded as ministers in Full Connexion
- ∞ Ministers of other communions recommended to be authorised to serve the Methodist Church
- ∞ Ministers of other communions recommended to be associate ministers of the Methodist Church
- ∞ Deacons of other autonomous Methodist Conferences or of other communions recommended to be recognised and regarded as deacons in Full Connexion, or to be authorised to serve the Methodist Church, or to be associate deacons of the Methodist Church

The particular resolutions relating to the above are to be found in the relevant booklets.

The formal resolutions about candidates for diaconal and presbyteral ministry and concerning those to be received into Full Connexion as ministers (presbyters) and deacons will be as follows.

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### \*\*\*RESOLUTIONS

**60/A** (Ministerial Session)

The Conference in its Ministerial Session resolved by a Standing Vote to recommend to the Representative Session for training those persons whose names have been duly presented to it.

**60/B** (Representative Session)

The Conference resolved by a Standing Vote that it accepts for training unconditionally or conditionally, as the case may be, the candidates for the ministry recommended by the Ministerial Session whose names are recorded in the Daily Record for that Session.

**60/C** (Diaconal Session)

The Conference resolved by a Standing Vote to recommend to the Representative Session for training those persons whose names have been duly presented to it.

**60/D** (Representative Session)

The Conference resolved by a Standing Vote that it accepts for training unconditionally or conditionally, as the case may be, the candidates for the Diaconate recommended by the Diaconal Session, whose names are recorded in the Daily Record for that Session.

**60/E** (Ministerial Session)

The Conference resolved by a Standing Vote that it judges that those persons whose names are printed in the supplement to the Agenda, *'Ministerial and Diaconal Oversight and Authorisations'* have duly completed their training and probation and thereby it recommended them to the Representative Session as fit to be received into Full Connexion with the Conference as ministers and, if not already ordained, to be ordained.

**60/F** (Representative Session)

The Conference resolved by a Standing Vote that those persons whose names have been read to the Conference and are printed in the Agenda and Daily Record be now received into Full Connexion with the Conference as ministers for service based either on the home Districts or an overseas District, as specified in the supplement to the Agenda, *'Ministerial and Diaconal Oversight and Authorisations'*, and that those not already ordained and not to be ordained elsewhere, be ordained by prayer and the laying on of hands on the afternoon of this day, the 5th of July, at: Darlington Street Methodist Church, Worcester Cathedral, Shrewsbury St Chad's, Coventry Methodist Central Hall, Swan Bank Methodist Church, Longton Methodist Central Hall

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### **60/G** (Diaconal Session)

The Conference resolved by a Standing Vote that it judges that those persons whose names are printed in the supplement to the Agenda, *'Ministerial and Diaconal Oversight and Authorisations'* have duly completed their training and probation and thereby it recommends them to the Representative Session as fit to be received into Full Connexion with the Conference as deacons and, if not already ordained, to be ordained.

### **60/H** (Representative Session)

The Conference resolved by a Standing Vote that those persons whose names have been read to the Conference and are printed in the supplement to the Agenda, *'Ministerial and Diaconal Oversight and Authorisations'* and Daily Record be now received into Full Connexion with the Conference and into full membership of the Methodist Diaconal Order, and that those not already ordained, be ordained by prayer and the laying on of hands on the afternoon of this day, the 5th July, at Shirley Methodist Church.