

Action Outline #2 Candidacy Renewal

Action: The dCOM must renew the certified candidacy status of each candidate annually or the candidate is automatically decertified (see ¶312)

Suggested Action: Move that the certified candidacy status of _____ be renewed for the coming conference year.

Vote: Written individual ballot, three-fourths majority required to renew

Requirements:

1. Annual recommendation of the candidate's church charge conference or equivalent
2. Evidence that the candidate's gifts, graces, and fruits continue to be satisfactory (dCOM interview, mentor's report, letter from pastor, etc.)
3. Evidence that the candidate is making satisfactory progress in the required studies
 - a. Student preparing for provisional membership shall present annually to the dCOM an official transcript from their college or school
 - b. Non-student shall complete school for local pastor's license and be recommended by the district committee for license as a local pastor