

Resolution 11

**COMMISSION ON DOCTRINES AND PRACTICES
ORDAINED MEMBERS**

1 WHEREAS, Members appointed to the Commission on Doctrines and Practices have
2 traditionally been ordained with the Assemblies of God even though the
3 General Council Constitution and Bylaws does not state that as a
4 requirement; and

5 WHEREAS, It is beneficial for a variety of reasons to clarify and require that members
6 appointed to the Commission on Doctrines and Practices be credentialed
7 with the Assemblies of God; and

8 WHEREAS, additional auditors have been appointed from time to time to assist the
9 Commission on Doctrines and Practices as needed and this continues to
10 be an option; therefore be it

11 RESOLVED, That General Council Bylaws ARTICLE IX. DOCTRINES AND PRACTICES
12 DISAPPROVED, A. Commission on Doctrines and Practices, paragraph b.
13 Appointments and terms of office, page 57, which reads:

14 **b. Appointments and terms of office.** The commission shall be
15 appointed by the Executive Presbytery and shall consist of ten (10)
16 members representing, insofar as possible, the area divisions of the
17 Assemblies of God. Members shall be recognized authorities in
18 biblical knowledge. Their terms of office shall be for four (4) years.

19 Be amended to read:

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21 appointed by the Executive Presbytery and shall consist of ten (10)
22 members representing, insofar as possible, the area divisions of the
23 Assemblies of God. Members shall be ordained ministers with the
24 Assemblies of God and recognized authorities in biblical knowledge.
25 Their terms of office shall be for four (4) years.

Sponsor: Executive Presbytery
General Presbytery

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Amended _____
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