



District Committee On Ordained Ministry (dCOM)
ACTION REPORT 3
FOR CURRENT LOCAL PASTORS & CERTIFIED
CANDIDATES APPROVED TO BE LICENSED IF APPOINTED

PURPOSE: The dCOM annually recommends continuance of eligibility and license Local Pastors and Certified Candidates approved to be licensed if appointed (BQ20).

_____ CANDIDATE'S FULL NAME _____ DISTRICT _____ CURRENT STATUS

The dCOM took the following action(s) regarding the person listed above (check all that apply).

_____ Recommend to the BOM the candidate be continued as a local pastor (or listed as eligible to be appointed as local pastor if not appointed or appointment should end). (¶319)

Continuation Requirements:

1. Evidence of satisfactory progress in the Course of Study, in college, or in seminary (¶319) until they have completed educational requirements. Full-time local pastors complete the Course of Study within eight years and must take at least 4 courses a year. Part-time local pastors complete the Course of Study within 12 years and must take at least 2 courses per year (¶ 319.3). **OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPT REQUIRED**
2. Annual report of the clergy mentor.

For everyone continued as a Local Pastor **(Please forward a copy of transcript to Clergy Services).**

Indicate progress in studies: COS/Seminary: School: _____ Year: _____

_____ dCOM does not recommend continuance (¶ 320.1) **(This action discontinues candidacy.)**
EFFECTIVE DATE OF DISCONTINUANCE: Check one below or give other effective date.
_____ Immediately _____ End of Conference Year (Move Date) _____ Other

_____ Withdrawal under complaints or charges (¶ 320.2)

_____ Recommend for recognition as a retired local pastor (¶ 320.5) - *A local pastor who has made satisfactory progress in the Course of Study as specified in ¶ 318.1 or .2 may be recognized as a retired local pastor. Retired local pastors may attend annual conference with voice but not vote. A retired local pastor may be appointed by the bishop to a charge and licensed upon recommendation by the district committee on ordained ministry without creating additional claim upon the conference minimum compensation nor further pension credit.*

Notes to Clergy Services:

_____ DATE

_____ SIGNATURE OF DISTRICT REGISTRAR OR CHAIRPERSON