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Memorandum

To: State Conventions, Associations and Pastors

From: Elder Dr. Oscar L. Montgomery
General Convention Vice President

Subject: Registration and Voting

This is an election year for our National Convention. To participate in the election you **must be registered with the required amount.** The constitution in the Discipline of the Primitive Baptist Church (August 2014 Version) states, "the membership of this organization shall consist of Ministers, Deacons and Delegates from Churches, Associations, State Conventions and other Auxiliaries affiliated with the convention." We have historically used that as a guide for who can vote during an election, if registered. With that in mind, below is the registration criteria we will use for this year's election.

We will have four categories of voters. They are:

- **Elders and Deacons** - Elders and Deacons are those people who are ordained in accordance with our Discipline. This group of people will be able to vote in both the National President and General Convention elections. They will also be able to participate in all meetings of the Parent-Body. The Church, along with the individual Elder and/or Deacon must be registered in order to vote.
- **Certified Presidential Voting Electors** – Certified Presidential Voting Electors are designated non-Elders and Deacons. This group of people can vote in both the National President and General Convention elections. They will also be able to participate in all meetings of the Parent-Body. The Church, along with Certified Presidential Voting Elector must be registered in order to vote.
- **General Convention Delegates** - The General Convention Delegates are non-Elders and Deacons who will not be voting in the presidential elections but will be voting for all other General Convention officers. They will be able to participate in all meetings of the Parent body.
- **General Participants** – This group of people will register in support of the Convention and will be able to participate in all worship services and auxiliaries of their choice. General Participants are **not** considered as

identifying badges for each of the voting category. Voting delegates will be expected to present their State issues ID or Driver's License to receive their Voting Delegate Badge.

Registration for Elders, Deacons, General Delegates and General Participants must be on the Individual Registration Form (see attached). Although Elders, Deacons and General Participants may register up to 5:00 pm on July 20, we are requesting that Churches, Associations and State Conventions make every effort to get their registrations in by June 17th. This would allow for us to assist the Certification Committee in being prepared for the election on July 21. General Participants may register anytime (online, by mail or onsite).

Certified Presidential Voting Electors registration forms will be received by **mail only**. Online registrations **cannot** be received for Certified Presidential Voting Electors. Registrations are to mailed to: Dr. Ronnie Russell, 104 Trailing Blossom Lane Goodlettsville, TN 37070. All checks must be made payable to the National Primitive Baptist Convention, USA, Inc.

We thank God that Sister Dorothy Pendegrast has agreed to chair the Certification Credential Committee. This Committee will be responsible for developing the ballots, issuing ballots and securing the voting location. They will also work with the Vote Counting Committee to ensure the votes are properly tabulated.

We are believing God that all aspects of the elections will be decent and in order. Please feel free to contact Sister Pendegrast or me should you have any questions.

Yours in Christ

Elder Dr. Oscar L. Montgomery

General Convention Vice President

NATIONAL PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CONVENTION, USA
DR KENNETH A. DUKE, GENERAL PRESIDENT
DR. RONNIE J. RUSSELL SR., FINANCIAL SECRETARY

GENERAL REGISTRATION FORM

DATE _____

Name _____
Title First Name Middle Initial Last Name

Mailing Address _____
Number and Street City and State Zip Code

Email Address _____

Regional Convention _____ State Convention _____

Association _____ Local Church _____

NOTE: Please register with the proper amount based on the category for your group. Check the appropriate category below
Note: All churches will be allowed to send Certified Presidential Voting Electors (based on their size) in addition to Ordained Elders and Deacons. Churches with 149 members or less may have 3 Certified Presidential Voting Electors and Churches with 150 or more members may have 5 Certified Presidential Voting Electors. State Conventions and Associations may have 2 Certified Presidential Voting Electors. All Certified Presidential Voting Electors must be on the Certified Presidential Voting Electors Registration Form along with the proper registration of \$100 or Seniors over 80 and over \$50.

- October 1st Quarter -January 2nd Quarter -April 3rd Quarter -July 4th Quarter

CONVENTIONS AND ASSOCIATIONS

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|---|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|----------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Regional Conventions | Based on Number of Churches | \$1500.00 to \$2,500.00 or more | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> State Conventions | Based on Number of Churches | \$1,000.00 to \$3,000.00 or more | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Associations | 30 or More Churches | \$1,500.00 or more | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Associations | 20-29 Churches | \$1,000.00 or more | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Associations | 3-19 Churches | \$800.00 or more | \$ _____ |

CHURCHES

NOTE: Church registration includes Pastor, Board of Deacons, and Church School

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|-----------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|----------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Churches | 500 or More Members | \$1,500.00 or more | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Churches | 300 or More Members | \$1,000.00 or more | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Churches | 150-299 Members | \$800.00 or more | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Churches | 100-149 Members | \$600.00 or more | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Churches | Less than 100 Members | \$400.00 or more | \$ _____ |

Total of churches certified delegates (Amount received from delegate form) \$ _____

Sacrificial Gift: _____ \$ _____

Sponsorship: I would like to sponsor # _____ People for the Youth _____ \$ _____

OTHER AREAS OF SUPPORT

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|--|----------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Souvenirs | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Extension Fund (Evangelism) | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Emergency Disaster Fund | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Training Academy | \$ _____ |

Total Enclosed \$ _____

Make checks payable to National Primitive Baptist Convention

Pre-Registration Must Be Received By June 17, 2022 to certify Certified Presidential Voting Electors

Mail to: National PB Convention USA, C/O Dr. Ronnie J. Russell Sr. 104 Trailing Blossom Lane, Goodlettsville TN 37072

Thank You for Your Support!

Official Staff

Signature _____ Date Received _____

NATIONAL PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CONVENTION, USA, INC.
 ELDER DR. KENNETH A. DUKE, GENERAL PRESIDENT
 ELDER DR. RONNIE J. RUSSELL SR. FINANCIAL SECRETARY
 CERTIFIED VOTING PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS REGISTRATION FORM
 (TO BE COMPLETED BY CHURCHES, DISTRICT ASSOCIATION AND STATE CONVENTIONS)

Please Note

- Non Pastoring Elders and Deacons attending as Certified Voting President Electors to the Parent Body must register with \$100 along with their Church, Association or State Convention registration
- Individuals Certified Voting Presidential Electors and General Delegates to the Parent Body with \$100 will be also be eligible to attend one Congress of their choice.
- Seniors 80 and over who are Certified Voting President Electors and General Delegates with \$50 will be eligible to attend one Congress of their choice

Name _____
 Title _____ First Name _____ Middle Initial _____ Last Name _____
 Mailing Address _____
 Number and Street _____ City and State _____ Zip Code _____
 Church Affiliation _____ Primitive Baptist Church
 Telephone No. () _____ E-Mail Address _____ Registration amount \$ _____
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CERTIFIER SIGNATURE: _____ TITLE: _____
 GRAND TOTOL \$ _____ DATE _____

Registrations are requested by June 17, 2022 Thank You for Your Support!

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Mail to: Dr. Ronnie Russell, Financial Secretary, 104 Trailing Blossom Lane, Goodlettsville, Tenn. 37072

Official Staff

Signature _____ Date Received _____
 Original - Financial Secretary

NATIONAL PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CONVENTION, USA

**DR. KENNETH A. DUKE, GENERAL PRESIDENT
DR. RONNIE J RUSSELL SR. FINANCIAL SECRETARY**

INDIVIDUAL REGISTRATION FORM

DATE _____

Name _____
Title First Name Middle Initial Last Name

Mailing Address _____
Number and Street City and State Zip Code

Church Affiliation _____ Primitive Baptist Church

Telephone No. () _____ Fax No. () _____ E-Mail Address _____

Please Note

- **Non-Pastoring Elders and Deacons attending as Delegates to the Parent Body must register with \$100 and their church must be registered also.**
- **Individuals who register as Certified Voting Delegates and General Delegate to the Parent Body with \$100 will also be eligible to attend one Congress of their choice.**
- **Seniors, 80 and above, registration is \$50 and they will be eligible to attend one congress of their choice. Please check box if appropriate .**
- **Youth ages 15 to 21 registration is \$50 and ages 15 and below registration is \$25.00. Please check box the appropriate 15 and below or 15 – 21.**
- **Young adults over 21 registration is \$100.**

Note: Please check appropriate Box

- Ordained Elder -Ordained Deacon -Certified Presidential Voting Electors
 -General Delegate -General Participants

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|---|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> General Convention | <input type="checkbox"/> Ushers Congress | <input type="checkbox"/> Women of the Church |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Church School Congress | <input type="checkbox"/> Youth Congress | <input type="checkbox"/> Congress Choir |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Women Congress | <input type="checkbox"/> Ministers Wives | <input type="checkbox"/> Matrons |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Laymen Congress | <input type="checkbox"/> Mothers and Deaconesses | |

Amount \$ _____

Sacrificial Gift: ----- Amount \$ _____

OTHER AREAS OF SUPPORT

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|--|----------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Evangelism | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Capital Campaign Fund | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Emergency Disaster Fund | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Training Academy Registration (\$250 or Specify amount) _____ | \$ _____ |

Total Enclosed \$ _____

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TN 37072**

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Signature _____ Date Received _____
Original – Financial Secretary Yellow Copy – Treasurer Pink Copy - Receipt