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Summary of Action Items

(Communications, Overtures, and Resolutions)

- [43-01](#) **The Nominating Committee** recommends that the 43rd General Assembly **ELECT** TE Joe Kim as Moderator of the 43rd General Assembly.
- [43-02](#) **The Nominating Committee** recommends that the 43rd General Assembly **ELECT** RE Victor Jones as Moderator-elect of the 43rd General Assembly.
- [43-03](#) **The NLT** recommends that the 43rd General Assembly **APPROVE** a Moderator appointed Ad-interim committee to revise the Pastoral Letter on Domestic Abuse.
- [43-04](#) **The NLT** recommends that the 43rd General Assembly **APPROVE** the formation of a Permanent Committee on Disaster Relief.
- The PJC recommends that the 43rd General Assembly APPROVE the recommendation of the National Leadership Team to amend the Rules of Assembly X-10 to form a Permanent Committee on Disaster Relief.*
- [43-05](#) **The Nominating Committee** recommends that the 43rd General Assembly **ELECT** the slate of Nominees for the 43rd EPC General Assembly permanent committees, standing committees, and boards.
- [43-06](#) **Hope Church, Memphis, TN INVITES** the 43rd General Assembly to hold the 44th General Assembly on its campus.
- [43-07](#) **The NLT** recommends that the 43rd General Assembly **APPROVE** the FY24 Administrative Budget.
- [43-08](#) **The NLT** recommends that the 43rd General Assembly **APPROVE** the FY24 Special Projects.
- [43-09](#) **The NLT** recommends that the 43rd General Assembly **APPROVE** the minutes of the 42nd General Assembly.
- [43-10](#) **The Fraternal Relations Committee** recommends that the 43rd General Assembly **APPROVE** that the Evangelical Presbyterian Church withdraw from the World Communion of Reformed Churches effective upon approval of this recommendation.



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The Fraternal Relations Committee recommends that the 43rd General Assembly **APPROVE** entering into a fraternal relationship with the Covenant Order of Evangelical Presbyterians (ECO).

[43-12](#)

The Benefits Resources, Inc., Board of Directors recommends that the 43rd General Assembly **APPROVE** ordained minister drawing retirement income from the EPC 403(b)(9) Defined Contribution Retirement Plan be allowed to designate up to 100% of their retirement income from housing allowance as permitted by applicable regulations adopted pursuant to the Internal Revenue Code.

[43-13](#)

The NLT recommends that the 43rd General Assembly **APPROVE** the *Book of Government* 17-5 be deleted, with the following sections renumbered, and the *Book of Government* 6-8D and 18-3H be amended.

The PJC recommends that the 43rd General Assembly APPROVE the amendments to G.17-5, G.6-8D, and G.18-3H.

[43-14](#)

The NLT recommends that the 43rd General Assembly **APPROVE** that the *Book of Discipline* 1-1 be amended.

The PJC recommends that the 43rd General Assembly APPROVE the proposal of the National Leadership Team, as modified by the PJC, to amend Book of Discipline 1-1 Definition of Church Discipline.

[43-15](#)

The MVC recommends that the 43rd General Assembly **APPROVE** a Moderator-appointed task force to consult with outside experts and complete a thorough review of our *Book of Discipline* and associated Forms to present recommendations to the 44th General Assembly.

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The CWCC recommends that the 43rd General Assembly **APPROVE** amending the *Book of Government* sections 9-5E and 9-11 to include the requirement for Chaplain endorsements.

The MVC recommends that the 43rd General Assembly APPROVE the “Denominational Requirements for Endorsement to Serve as a Chaplain.”



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The PJC recommends that the 43rd General Assembly APPROVE the proposed amendments to G.9-5E and G.9-11B from the Committee on Chaplains Work and Care Committee, as edited by the PJC.

[43-17](#)

The MVC recommends that the 43rd General Assembly **APPROVE** the creation of a Moderator-appointed, Ad-interim committee for the purpose of reviewing our ordination standards and process and recommending any potential changes to the 45th General Assembly.

[43-18](#)

The Moderator of 42nd General Assembly recommends that the 43rd General Assembly **APPROVE** the 2023-2024 Chairman for the BRI Board of Directors, a slate of nominees to fill vacancies of the Permanent Nominating Committee.

[43-19](#)

The Presbytery Review Committee recommends that the 43rd General Assembly **APPROVE** the Exceptions requiring responses and found in the 2022 minutes of 14 of our 16 Presbyteries.

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The Presbytery Review Committee recommends that the 43rd General Assembly **APPROVE** the responses of the Presbyteries to those Exceptions sent to them by the 42nd General Assembly.

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Possible Omnibus Motion