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44-13 (to the Fraternal Standing Committee)
From the Fraternal Relations Committee

The Fraternal Relations Committee recommends that the 44th General Assembly **APPROVE** that the Evangelical Presbyterian Church withdraw its formal fraternal relationship with the Association of Charismatic Presbyterian Churches in Puerto Rico and future relationships be through the World Reformed Fellowship.

Rationale: The Permanent Committee on Fraternal Relations evaluated the relationship with the Association of Charismatic Presbyterian Churches in Puerto Rico and found no evidence of any relationship in practice. Numerous attempts to contact ACPCPR were unsuccessful. As a result, the committee does not believe it meets the criteria for Fraternal Relations established in *Acts of the Assembly* 12-10. Furthermore, since the establishment of the Fraternal Relationship (*Acts of Assembly* 94-01), the EPC now has three congregations on the Island of Puerto Rico which are integral members of the EPC. Puerto Rico is now a part of the Presbytery of Florida and the Caribbean.

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