## Standing Committee Report 44<sup>th</sup> General Assembly

The Standing Committee on Fraternal Relations convened at 4:00 p.m. on Wednesday, June 19, 2024, and met once. Chairman *TE Walter Taylor* opened the meeting with prayer.

#### A. Business Referred to Committee:

- 1. Recommendation GA44-13
- 2. Recommendation GA44-14
- 3. Recommendation GA 44-15
- 4. Recommendation GA 44-16
- 5. Minutes of the Permanent Committee

#### **B.** Recommendations:

#### 1. Recommendation GA44-13:

The Committee on Fraternal Relations recommends that the 44<sup>th</sup> 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 **be adopted.** 

## 2. Recommendation GA44-14:

The Committee on Fraternal Relations recommends that the 44<sup>th</sup> General Assembly **approve** that the Evangelical Presbyterian Church withdraw its formal fraternal relationship with the Reformed Presbyterian Church of Peru; and that future relationships be through the World Reformed Fellowship **be adopted**.

#### 3. Recommendation GA44-15:

The Committee on Fraternal Relations recommends that the 44<sup>th</sup> General Assembly **approve** that the Evangelical Presbyterian Church enter a Fraternal Relationship with the National Union of French Protestant Reformed Churches (UNEPREF) **be adopted**.

## 4. Recommendation GA44-16:

The Committee on Fraternal Relations recommends that the 44<sup>th</sup> General Assembly **approve** that the Evangelical Presbyterian Church extend the current Articles of Agreement with the St. Andrew's presbytery of Argentina through 2025 **be adopted**.

**5.** That the **Minutes** of the Permanent Committee dated August 29, 2023, January 26, 2024, and April 11, 2024, to be **approved as submitted**.

# C. Additional Recommendations from the Standing Committee:

1. Per *Rules for Assembly* 9-6, the Committee voted to place the following eligible recommendation(s) on an omnibus consent motion:

[NOTE: a recommendation amended by the Standing Committee, substitute recommendation or additional recommendation in C.2 are not eligible for the omnibus consent motion.]

Recommendation 44-13 Recommendation 44-14 Recommendation 44-16 Fraternal Relations Permanent Committee Minutes

TE Walter Taylor closed the meeting with prayer.

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Respectfully submitted, Hod 4 1 \_\_\_\_, Chairman Walter Taylor ane MCooper\_\_\_\_, Clerk TE RE Jane Cooper