2011 Year Book

of the

Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches

Organized as the Baptist Convention 1846
Organized as the United Baptist Convention 1906

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"OASIS: REFRESHMENT for the JOURNEY!"

UNITED in MISSION 2012 Proposed Budget

	2012 Draft Budget	Approved	2010 Actual Receipts
Association Mission Projects	90,000	90,000	83,297
Atlantic Baptist Mission Board	370,000	320,000	277,925
Canadian Baptist Ministries	450,000	450,000	421,099
Union of French Baptist	70,000	70,000	58,954
Crandall University	80,000	80,000	67,376
Acadia Divinity College	80,000	80,000	67,376
Baptist Historical Committee	16,000	16,000	13,475
Development	0	75,000	63,057
Pastoral Ministry Department	70,000	72,000	59,814
Public Witness & Social	24,500	20,000	20,575
Youth and Family Ministries	138,000	138,000	129,000
Administration	235,000	236,000	232,011
Pension & Insurance Board	75,000	80,000	67,376
Council & Committees	120,500	89,000	81,963
Executive Minister's	261,000	265,000	243,110
Regional Ministry	0	519,000	535,972
Transition Year	345,000		
		2,600,000	2,422,380

Decrease From 2011 Budget = -6.73%

Increase From 2010 Actual = 0.11%

Dear Friends,

One year ago delegates voted overwhelmingly to adopt a new Bylaw document that clarifies our core values and identifies those things we hold important as a Convention family. This August will be another historic occasion when Delegates at Oasis vote formally to enter the newly incorporated Convention.

A Senior Staff Restructuring Proposal is being presented at this Oasis Assembly. The proposal is designed to create a new vision for church planting and new congregations and for revitalizing existing congregations which could spark renewal in our churches and help us return to our roots. The reduction of the overall number of Senior Staff will promote fiscal responsibility and specifically address a number of areas of concern in the Convention. Your prayers and commitment to spiritual renewal is vital to the success of the ministry we do together in Atlantic Canada.

In your hands is the 2010 Yearbook of our Convention. The comprehensive financial reports found in this book are a tangible expression of our desire to be accountable to the delegates from the churches that own and support our Convention. We are grateful to your congregation for its ongoing financial support and we want to be as transparent as possible in order to help all those involved in our partnership see how carefully all contributions are treated.

After being challenged by Reggie McNeal to "change the scorecard" a new question was added to the annual report this year. How is your church getting involved in your community in missional ways? The response received was very encouraging. Here is just a sample of the kinds of ways congregations are involved in community activity; local food banks & homeless shelters (some churches have opened their doors as a shelter), supporting local schools through lunch programs, mentoring, fundraising, after school programs, offering mental health seminars, First Nations outreach, offering ESL classes for new Canadians, improving living conditions for low housing residents, offering divorce care and grief care, setting up and maintaining a community playground.

If you would like a more complete picture of our current ministries we would encourage you to browse www.baptist-atlantic.ca at your leisure and to sign up at the site to receive a free monthly email update from our Convention containing news and information about upcoming events and initiatives.

May God bless you as you attend this year's Assembly!

Sincerely in Christ,

Dr. Peter Reid Executive Minister

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Convention Record

In the Union of 1905-06, three streams of Atlantic Baptists came together to form the United Baptist Convention of the Maritime Provinces, which became the United Baptist Convention of the Atlantic Provinces in 1963, and the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches in 2001. The three streams were the Baptist Convention of the Maritime Provinces, The Free Christian Baptist Conference of New Brunswick, and the Free Baptist Conference of Nova Scotia. The Yearbooks of the United Baptist Convention of the Maritime Provinces after the Union continued to date the number of Convention Assemblies, not from the date of the Union, but from the founding of the Baptist Convention of Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, and Prince Edward Island. The Convention Record published in the Yearbooks has made no mention of the two Free Baptist Conferences prior to the Union. However, in honour of the 100th Anniversary of the Union, the Convention Record this year shows for the first time the three streams prior to 1905-06.

1. The Record of the Baptist Convention of Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, and Prince Edward Island, later called the Baptist Convention of the Maritime Provinces (Regular Baptists) - 1846 to 1905. The Baptist Convention was formed through the union of the Regular Baptist Association of New Brunswick and the Regular Baptist Association of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island in 1846.

Places and Years of Meetings

In Nova S	Scotia	In New Brui	nswick
Yarmouth:		Saint John:	
First	1857, 1871, 1881, 1902	Germain St	. 1846, 1858, 1868, 1895
Temple	1890	Brussels St	1854, 1866, 1886
Halifax:		Main St	. 1850, 1856, 1874, 1897
First	1869, 1883	Leinster St	1864, 1882, 1903
North	1900	Fredericton 1848	, 1870, 1878, 1889, 1899
Wolfville	1851, 1877, 1888	Sackville	1852, 1860, 1876
Nictaux	1847, 1853, 1861	St. Stephen	1872
Amherst	1863, 1883, 1898	Hillsboro	1880
Bridgetown	1849, 1892	St. Martins	1893
Liverpool	1855	Moncton: First	. 1862, 1884, 1891, 1901
Berwick	1865, 1896		
Bear River	1875, 1894		
Truro: First	1879, 1904	In Prince Edwa	rd Island
Canard	1859	Charlottetown	1887, 1905
Middleton: Pine Grove	1867		
Windsor	1873		
	Pres	sidents	
Rev. T. S. Harding	1846 - 1851	Theo H. Rand, DCL	1875, 1881
Rev. C. Tupper, DD	1852, 1858 - 1859	Avard Longley, MP	1876, 1880
Rev. Samuel Robinson	1853, 1865	Rev. George Armstrong, MA.	1877
Rev. John Davis	1854, 1864	Rev. S. W. DeBlois, MA	1878
Rev. Joseph Crandall	1855 - 1857	Charles F. Clinch, Esq	1879
Rev. I. E. Bill, DD	1860, 1863, 1873	Thomas M. King, Esq	1882
Hon.J. W. Johnstone	1861, 1862, 1866	John March, Esq	
Rev. Chas. Spurden, DD	1867	Rev. A. W. Sawyer	1884
Rev. E. A. Crawley, DD	1868	Arthur Simpson, Esq	1885
Rev. J. M. Cramp, DD	1869	B. H. Eaton, MA, KC	1886
Rev. D. McN. Parker, MD	1870	Prof. R. V. Jones, PhD	1887
John H. Harding	1871	Herbert C. Creed, DLitt	1888
Rev. G. A. Day, MD	1872	Edwin D. King, MA, KC	1889
Hon. Jonathan McCully	1874	Rev. Calvin Goodspeed, DD	
Chas. B. Whidden, Esq	1891		
Rev. J. A. Gordon, DD	1892	Rev. D. G. McDonald, BTh	1893

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Rev. Jos. H. Saunders, DD	Hon. H. R. Emmerson, MA
Jonathan L. Parsons, BA1895	Colin W. Roscoe, MA1900
Rev. Geo. O Gates, DD1896	J. J. Wallace, Esq1901
Rev. E. M. Kierstead. DD1897	Rev. E. M. Saunders, DD1902
Rev. John C. Spurr	Rupert H. Haley, BA1903
	William Cummings1904
	Rev. George R. White, BA1905
Secre	etaries
Rev. I. E. Bill	Rev. E. C. Cady1862, 1864, 1865 - 1866
Rev. Samuel Elder	Rev. S. Bransford Kempton, DD
Rev. E. D. Very	Rev. Thomas Todd
Rev. William E. Hall	Rev. I. Judson Skinner
Rev. George Armstrong, DD	John F. Masters, Esq
Rev. John Davis, MA	Rev. W. S. McKenzie
Rev. David Nutter	Rev. George M. W. Carey, DD
Rev. S. W. DeBlois, DD1856, 1857, 1860 - 1861	Prof. D. F. Higgins, PhD1870, 1871, 1873, 1875
Rev. A. H. Munro	Rev. William B. Boggs, DD
Rev. Stephen March	Herbert C. Creed, DLitt1874, 1891, 1896 - 1905
Rev. Henry Angell	John March, Esq
Rev. Robert D. Porter	Rev. A. Cahoon, MA, DD1877
Jas. E. Masters, Esq	Joshua Goodwin, BA1878
Rev. Isa. Wallace, DD1860, 1862, 1866 - 1869	Rev. E. M. Kierstead, DD
Rev. E. Budd DeMill1861	Ingram B. Oakes, MA, DCL1890
Conference of New Brunswick in 1847 and to The Free Bapt 1835 to 1849, the General Conference met twice a year as the	e Upper Conference and the Lower Conference.
	ars of Meetings
Victoria Corner, Wakefield1832	
Queensbury	
Millstream	
Upper Conference	Lower Conference
	Nashwaak
Wakefield 1835, 1836 1840, 1846(special), 1847	Little River, Lower Hampstead
Southampton	Mouth of Oromocto, Burton Parish1837, 1841
Brighton	Upper Sussex
Queensbury	Hampstead1839, 1844
Douglas	Upper Hampstead1842, 1848
Woodstock	Millstream
Nashwaak	South Branch Oromocto River (Blissville) 1846
	Midland, Springfield Parish
	Studholm 1849
1850	- 1905
Lincoln	
	Woodstock1853, 1860, 1879, 1895
Wakefield1851	Woodstock

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New Production 1956	T Will. C. l
North Branch Oromocto	Tracey's Mills, Carleton Co1874, 1883, 1894
Victoria Corner	Penobsquis
Millstream	North Head, Grand Manan
Douglas	Sussex
Carleton, Saint John	Midland
Southampton	Blissville 1888
Fredericton	Marysville
Five Points, Coverdale	Corn Hill
South Branch Oromocto (Blissville)	Waterloo St., Saint John
Springfield (Midland)	Victoria St., Saint John
Presque Isle, Carleton Co	Saint John West 1899
Saint John, First Church 1871	Lower Millstream 1903
Waterville, Carleton Co	Tracey Station, Sunbury Co
watervine, Carleton Co1873, 1902	Tracey Station, Sundary Co 1904
Moderator	rs/Chairmen
Elder Samuel Nutt	Rev. G. W. MacDonald1874
Elder H Cronkhite	Rev. Joseph MacLeod 1875, 1883, 1889, 1905
Elder J. Hamilton	Rev. T. VanWart
Elder A. Mersereau1836, 1840, 1841, 1844, 1847	Rev. A. Kinney
Elder Samuel Hartt1837, 1839, 1852, 1854, 1856	Rev. C. T. Phillips
Elder S. Cronkhite1838, 1846	Rev. J. W. Clark
Leonard Slipp	Rev. William Downey
Elder Charles McMullin1843, 1848, 1849, 1853	Rev. A. C. Thompson
Elder J.Noble	Rev. William DeWare
Elder Abner Mersereau	Rev. J. Wesley Clarke1893
Elder Edward Wayman	Rev. G. F. Currie
Rev. Benjamin Merritt 1855, 1858-1859, 1861-1863	Rev. G. W. Foster
Rev. Joseph Noble1857, 1869, 1890	Rev. B. H. Nobles
Rev. E. McLeod1860, 1864	Rev. G. Swim
Rev. G. A. Hartley1865, 1866, 1870, 1876	Rev. F. C. Hartley
1882, 1886, 1899	Rev. W. H. Perry
Rev. John Perry	Rev. David Long
Rev. J. T. Parsons	Rev. F. G. Francis
Rev. Freeman Babcock	Rev. Abram Perry
Rev. John E. Reud1872, 1881, 1884	Rev. J. Bolton Daggett
Rev. A. Taylor	20,10,20,00,20,00
Clerks/Recor	ding Secretaries
(Clerks/Recording Secretaries no	t available for the years 1832-1849)
Richard Holmes	Prof. George E. Foster
B. J. Underhill	Major D. McLeod Vince
3. Free Baptist Conference of Nova Scotia - 1866 to 190	·
	1866 through the union of the Free Will Baptist denomination
of Nova Scotia (founded in 1840) and the Free Christian Bap	
	ears of Meetings
Barrington	Canning
Kemptville,	
Cape Sable Island	Session Hill
Beaver River	Glenwood
Port Medway	Caledonia
20,0,10,0	, 1000, 1700

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Clark's Harbour	1977 1997 1902 1002	Yarmouth	1999 1907
Centreville, Cape Sable Island		Lower Argyle	
Argyle		Pubnico	
Algyle	1864	Shag Harbour	
Port La Tour	1995 1905	Yarmouth	
FOIT La Tour	1005, 1075	Tarmouti	1900
	Mod	lerators	
Rev. G. E. Eaton	1866 - 1867	Rev. C. B. Atwood	
Rev. W. M. Knollin	1868, 1874	Albert Gayton, Esq. MPP	1888
Rev. D. Oram	1869	Rev. J. L. Smith	1892
Rev. C. Knowles	1870	Rev. T. H. Siddall	
Rev. W. Downey	1871	Rev. G. M. Wilson	1894, 1903
Rev. T. O. DeWitt	1872, 1875	Rev. Joseph K. West	1895, 1901
Rev. S. N. Royal		Rev. C. F. Cooper	
Rev. J. F. Smith		Rev. D. T. Porter	1898
Rev. F. Babcock	1877, 1881	Rev. J. E. Gosline	1899, 1906
Rev. W. C. Weston		Rev. J. B. Merrill	
Rev. L. W. Gowen		Rev. Joseph E. Wilson	
Rev. J. W. Freeman		Rev. Joseph W. Smith	1905
Rev. William Millar			
Rev. Edwin Crowell	1885 - 1886		
	Clerks		
Rev. J. I. Porter	1866 - 1888	Rev. Edwin Crowell	1889 - 1905
Record of the Ur	Record of the United Baptist Convention of the Maritime Provinces 1905 to 2009		
Record of the Ch	_		10 2009
		ars of Meetings	
In Nova S		In New Brunswi	
Yarmouth, First		Saint John, Germain St.	
Halifax, First		Fredericton	
Trade and Convention Cent		Sackville	
Wolfville		1986, 1987,1989, 1991, 1994, 1	996, 2004,
1928, 1929, 1930, 1931, 19		2008, 2010	0 1006 1000 1054
1938, 1940, 1941, 1942, 19		Woodstock1910, 191	19, 1926, 1939, 1954
1948, 1949, 1950, 1951, 19		Moncton	1012 1025
1957, 1958, 1959, 1960, 19		First	
1965, 1966, 1967, 1968, 19		Atlantic Baptist University	1999, 2002, 2005
1975, 1977, 1978, 1980, 19		T D ' E 17	
1990, 1992, 1993, 1995, 19	97, 1998, 2001, 2003,	In Prince Edward I	
2006, 2007, 2009	1006	Charlottetown	1905
Liverpool		Data Edwal Communication	
Bridgetown		Due to Federal Government restriction	
Amherst		account of conditions suicing a first	the rriem me
Truro, First		account of conditions arising out of to Convention was held in 1945.	the war, no

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Presidents of Convention

Rev. Joseph McLeod, DD	1906	Stephen S. Steeves, Esq	1959
Rev. W. Norman Hutchins, MA,PhD	1907	Rev. W.P. Oliver, BA,BD	1960
Chan. Cecil C. Jones, PhD	1908	Rev. Harold L. Mitton, BA,BD	1961
Rev. Atwood Cohoon, DD	1909	L. Earl Peverill, Esq., CA	1962
Col. D. McL. Vince, DCL	1910	Rev. R.C. MacCormack, BA(Th),BD	1963
Rev. J.W. Manning, DD	1911	Rev. Harry G. Taylor, MA(Th)	1964
Rev. W.C. Goucher, DD	1912	Kenneth E. Spencer	1965
Nelson B. Smith, Esq	1913	Rev. Charles J. Taylor, BA,BD,STM	1966
Rev. W.F. Parker	1914	Rev. Keith R. Hobson, DD	1967
Rev. H.T. DeWolfe, DD	1915	Winston A. Steeves	
A.A. Wilson, KC,DCL	1916	Rev. George L. McNeill, MA	
Rev. C.R. Freeman, DD	1917, 1918	Rev. Malcolm Harlow, BA,BD	
Rev. Wellington Camp, MA,DD	1919	Gerald Phillips	
Rev. J.H. MacDonald, DD		Rev. Samuel J. Baxter, DipTh,BD	
Rev. Z.L. Fash, MA,DD		Rev. Neil G. Price, BA,BCL,BTh,BD	
Rev. C.W. Rose, DD		H. Jack Stultz	
Rev. N.A. MacNeill, DD		Rev. Laurie D. Fenerty, BA,BD	
H.A. Rice, Esq.		Rev. Raymond J. Warner, BA(Th),BD	
W.C. Cross, Esq		Roger King	
Rev. O.N. Chipman, DD		Rev. Frank E. Locke, BA,BD	
L.W. Simms, Esq		Rev. Kenneth Thompson, BA,BD	
J.A. Clark, DSc		Loyal G. Brace, CDI	
Rev. M.S. Richardson, MA,DD		Rev. Byron W. Fenwick, BA,BD	
Rev. E.H. Cochrane, MA,DD		Rev. James S. Webber, BA,BEd	
W.G. Clark, Esq		Robert A. MacQuade, CA	
Rev. L.E. Ackland, BA,BD		Rev. Carl A. Price, BA	
Rev. J.A. Corey		Rev. Robert R. Steeves, BA,BD	
R.B. Wallace, MA, Esq		Kenneth Phillips	
Rev. Waldo C. Machum, BA,DD		Rev. Allison A. Trites, BA,BD,ThM,PhD	
Rev. S.S. Poole, DD		Rev. James A. Cowan, BA,BD	
S.E. Fisher, Esq.		Mrs. Jessie Fitch	
Rev. L.H. Crandall, MA,DD		Rev. Wrenfred Bryant	
Rev. H.R. Boyer, STM,DD		Rev. Brian MacArthur, BBA,MDiv,DMin	
Prof. R.S. Longley, MA,PhD		Dr. Carmen Moir, BSc,BEd,MA,LLD	
Rev. Ernest S. Mason, BA.,DD		Rev. Frederick Smith, BA(Th),MDiv	
Rev. W.H. Elgee, BA,BD,DTh		Rev. Ronald Baxter, BA,MDiv	
Kenneth A. Wilson, BCL,DCL,QC		Mr. Rupert Tingley, BSc,PEng	
Rev. A. Gibson, BA,DD		Rev. Roy H. Pointer, MA,DMiss	
Rev. M.O. Brinton, BA,BD,DD		Rev. Peter R. Sherwood, BBA,MDiv,DMin	
J.W. Boulter, Esq., MBE		Dr. Robert Wilson, BA,MA,PhD	
Rev. Harvey L. Denton, BD,DD		Rev. Richard Thomas, BA,MA,DMin	
Rev. A.C. Vincent, ThM,DD		Rev. Gordon Sutherland, BA,MDiv	
Norman E. Peveril, Esq		Sterling W. Gosman	
Rev. A.J. Langley, BTh,MA,BD		Rev. Malcolm W. Card, BA,MDiv,DMin	
Rev. J.M. Armstrong, BA,BD,ThM,DD		Rev. Lionel M. Moriah, BA,MDiv,DMin	
Hon. R.M. Fielding, QCRev. F.C. Fenerty, BA(Th)		George H. Powell, BA,MA	
Rev. G.N. Hamilton, BA(Th),DD		Rev. W. Ralph Richardson, BA,MDiv,ThM,PhD Rev. Peter L. Reid, BA,MDiv	
B.D. Stevens, EsqRev. G.P. Allen, BA		Dr. Margaret F. Munro	
Rev. Henry E. Allaby, BA,DD		Rev. David L. DuBois, BSc,MScE,MDiv	
Kev. Helly E. Allauy, DA,DD	1938	Rev. Robert J. Knowles, BA,MA,MDiv,DMin	
		Douglas E. Schofield, BA, BA(Hon), BEd, MEd	∠010

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Secretaries of	of Convention
Rev. J.H. MacDonald, DD 1905 - 1912 Rev. A.J. Archibald, MA 1912 - 1921 Rev. S.S. Poole, DD 1921 - 1934	Rev. L.E. Ackland, BA,BD
General Secretar	ries of Convention
Rev. Henry R. Boyer, BA,BD,STM,DD 1923 - 1933 Rev. W.C. Machum, BA,DD 1943 - 1953 Rev. R.E. Whitney, BA,DD,BD 1953 Rev. J.Murray Armstrong, BA,BD,ThM,DD 1954 - 1958	Rev. Harry A. Renfree, BA,BD,DMin
Executive Minist	ters of Convention
Rev. Keith R. Hobson, DD	Rev. Harry G. Gardner, BA,MDiv,DMin 1996 - 2007 Rev. Dr. Peter L. Reid, BA,MDiv,DMin 2008 -

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CONSTITUTION OF THE CONVENTION OF ATLANTIC BAPTIST CHURCHES

(Revised after Assembly 2008)

ARTICLE I

The "Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches" (hereinafter referred to as "The Convention") came into existence on the basis of a statement of doctrine and polity entitled "1905/06 Basis of Union." The Convention shall be composed of those bodies which have covenanted to work together, under the Lordship of Jesus Christ, and under the authority of the Bible which is the all-sufficient ground of faith and practice.

ARTICLE II

- (1) The **Mission** of The Convention is to bring glory to God by making disciples of Jesus Christ (Matthew 28:18-20) and by demonstrating His love to a hurting world (Matthew 22:37-40) in the power of the Holy Spirit (Acts 1:8).
- (2) The **Objectives** of The Convention are to: Evangelize; Teach; and Serve.
- (3) The Convention will express its ongoing vision by providing the organizational framework, participatory processes, programs and personnel required to fulfil these objectives, while honouring the autonomy of the local church.

ARTICLE III

- (1) The following persons will be recognized as **accredited delegates** to The Convention Assembly, being in every case a member of one of the Churches in The Convention and a believer who has been baptized by immersion:
 - (a) Two delegates from each of the Associations of The Convention.
 - (b) Each church, connected with any of the Associations of The Convention, which contributes annually to the objectives of The Convention shall be entitled to send three (3) delegates for the first fifty members or fraction thereof to represent it at any meeting of The Convention Assembly, an additional two (2) delegates for the second fifty members or fraction thereof, and a further delegate for each one hundred additional members or fraction thereof, but no church shall be entitled to send more than ten (10) delegates and such delegates shall be officially appointed by the church.
 - (c) Every ordained minister in good standing within The Convention.
 - (d) Every holder of a License to Minister from The Convention or any of the above Associations.
 - (e) Active and retired missionaries of Canadian Baptist Ministries being members of churches in The Convention.
- (2) The following persons shall be ex officio delegates to The Convention being in every case a member of one of the churches in The Convention and a believer who has been baptized by immersion:
 - (a) The Officers of The Convention and the members of The Council of The Convention.
 - (b) All appointees to Boards and Committees of The Convention.

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(c) The Director of Operations, the Director of Atlantic Baptist Mission, the Director of Youth and Family, the Director of Communications, the Editor of The Atlantic Baptist, the Area/Regional Ministers, and such other staff as are approved at any regular meeting of The Convention.

(d) The Principal, Associate Principal and the Faculty of Acadia Divinity College and the President and the Faculty of Atlantic Baptist University.

ARTICLE IV

The **Officers** of The Convention shall consist of the President, the Past President, the Vice-President, and the Executive Minister.

ARTICLE V

The **Vice-President** of The Convention, elected at the previous year's sessions and serving the year in office shall become the President for the ensuing year. Should he/she, during his/her term of office as Vice-President be required to replace the President due to the President's retirement from office for any cause he/she shall be deemed to be Acting President for the remainder of the term and be eligible as above for the position of President for the ensuing year. Should the Vice-President decline to serve as President, the Nominating Committee would then place other names in nomination in the usual manner.

ARTICLE VI

- (1) The **Council** of The Convention, acting as the agent of The Convention between assemblies of The Convention, shall have the **responsibility** to:
 - (a) provide visionary and strategic leadership;
 - (b) present to The Convention meeting in assembly suggested goals to achieve the mission of The Convention in the areas of evangelism, teaching and service;
 - (c) develop the policies and strategies to achieve the goals approved by The Convention meeting in assembly;
 - (d) on behalf of The Convention, hold all affiliated boards and agencies accountable to these goals;
 - (e) oversee the financial affairs of The Convention and the drawing of the budget for Assembly;
 - (f) report annually to The Convention meeting in assembly regarding the achievement of its work in the above areas.
- (2) The Council of The Convention shall be composed of the President, the Past President, the Vice-President, and twelve (12) persons (three of whom shall retire each year) elected by The Convention meeting in assembly. Council members shall be elected for a four year term. Any retiring member is eligible for re-election after a lapse of two years.
- (3) The Executive Minister shall be a member of The Council without vote.
- (4) The Council will normally meet four times each year in different locations throughout the Atlantic Provinces, one of which will coincide with the annual assembly of The Convention.

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(5) The Council will appoint Working Groups as needed for specific purposes and for defined periods of time. Members of these groups will be selected on the basis of their interest and expertise. By decision of The Council a Working Group may work with or under the supervision of a Senior Staff member, a member of The Council, or a Chairperson appointed by The Council.

ARTICLE VII

The Convention shall meet annually in Assembly, at a time and location as recommended by The Council and agreed upon by The Convention Assembly.

A special meeting of The Convention may be called at any time by the President on requisition of The Council or a majority of the constituted Boards or a majority of the Associations of The Convention.

ARTICLE VIII

The Convention may make or amend **regulations** concerning procedure for the issuing of Licenses to Minister, ordination of ministers and establishment of educational and moral standards relating thereto, provided that notice of motion is given at the previous Assembly of The Convention and provided further that there is a two-thirds affirmative vote.

ARTICLE IX

- (1) There shall be the following **Boards and Committees**:
 - (a) **Board of Governors of Acadia University**, to which beginning in 1988 and every sixth year thereafter The Convention shall appoint four Governors, and in 1991 and every sixth year thereafter, The Convention shall appoint five Governors, to hold office from the 1st day of October next following until the 30th of September next following the date of taking office, in accordance with resolutions passed in 1891, 1966, 1985 and in accordance with an Act of the Legislature of Nova Scotia passed on May 19, 1891, and most recently revised in 1986 (an Act respecting Acadia University). Notwithstanding the above, all members of the Board of Governors appointed by The Convention who hold office as of August 31, 1986 shall be entitled to serve the remainder of their respective terms. However, in accordance with the above legislation, a Governor shall always be eligible for reappointment. Anyone shall be eligible for appointment to, or service upon the Board of Governors who is a member in good standing of one of the churches of The Convention or Canadian Baptist Ministries, but no member of the full time teaching staff at Acadia University is so eligible.¹

¹ For Information: An Act of the Legislature of Nova Scotia (An Act Respecting Acadia University), as revised in 1986 provides that the Board of Governors of the University includes "that person who holds the office of Principal of the Acadia Divinity College, as long as the person holds that office".

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(b) **Board of Trustees of Acadia Divinity College** of the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches, shall be composed of eighteen (18) members, twelve (12) elected by The Convention, three (3) appointed by the Board of Governors of Acadia University from among The Convention appointees to the Board of Governors, and three (3) ex officio members with vote - the Executive Minister of The Convention, the President of the College, and the President of Acadia University. Of the twelve (12) trustees elected by the Convention, seventy-five percent (75%) shall be nominated by the Nominating Committee of The Convention and twenty-five percent (25%) shall be nominated by the Board of Trustees. The Board shall be responsible for the financing of the College and the government, conduct, management and control of the College, and all property, revenues, business and affairs of the College shall be vested in the Board and the Board shall have all powers necessary to perform its duties and achieve the objectives and purposes of the College, as noted in Bill No. 76, an Act to Incorporate Acadia Divinity College, House of Assembly, Nova Scotia, 1968. The Board of Trustees shall report to The Convention at its annual meeting.

- (c) **Atlantic Baptist Mission Board**, shall be composed of seven members elected by The Convention, the Director of Atlantic Baptist Mission and the Superintendent of the Home Mission Department of the United Baptist Woman's Missionary Union.

 The Board shall:
 - (1) ensure that a central guiding vision is maintained in the areas of evangelism, church planting, ethnic ministries and special mission projects;
 - (2) in co-operation with Associations, make decisions regarding Pastoral Ministry Grants;
 - (3) work closely with the Council to achieve the goals of The Convention.
 - (4) assume responsibility for the property matters, trusts and investments of the previous Home Mission Board.
 - (5) report to The Council and The Assembly at its annual assembly.
- (d) **Atlantic Section of Canadian Baptist Ministries**, composed of three members elected by The Convention plus the President of Atlantic Baptist Women. The Executive Minister shall be an ex officio member without vote.
- (e) **Board of Ministerial Standards and Education** with nine elected members together with the Principal of Acadia Divinity College or designate; the President of Atlantic Baptist University or designate; the Director of Atlantic Baptist Mission; the Executive Minister of The Convention and the Regional Ministers who shall be members without vote.
- (f) A **Board of Ministers' Annuity Fund** which shall be composed of five (5) members elected by The Convention, plus the Director of Operations and the secretary to the Board.

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(g) A Board of Governors of Atlantic Baptist University shall be composed of not less than ten (10) and not more than twenty-five (25) members elected by The Convention. The number of members nominated for election by The Convention shall be approved by the Council of Convention and be in effect from time to time. Of those members elected, seventy-five percent (75%) shall be nominated by the Nominating Committee of The Convention and twenty-five percent (25%) shall be nominated by the Board of Governors. In addition there may be three members whose appointments are ratified annually by The Convention. Those members whose appointments shall be ratified annually by The Convention shall be limited to three members: one shall be a member of the faculty of Atlantic Baptist University as selected by the faculty, one shall be a representative of the Atlantic Baptist University Student Association as selected by the Student Association, and one shall be a member of the Alumni of Atlantic Baptist University as selected by the alumni. Those members whose appointments shall be ratified annually by The Convention shall be exempt from the standard term of office as stated in Article X and shall not be required to be a member of a church within The Convention.

- (h) **Directors of Atlantic Baptist Senior Citizens' Homes, Inc.** shall consist of twelve (12) members elected by The Convention of which one (1) must be from each province in which there is an Atlantic Baptist Senior Citizens' Homes, Inc. facility.
- (i) **Board of Directors of the Foundation of the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches** shall be composed of not less than twenty-one (21) and not more than twenty-four (24) members elected by The Convention, plus the following ex officio non-voting members: the President and the Executive Minister of The Convention. Of these elected members, seventy-five percent (75%) shall be nominated by the Nominating Committee of The Convention and twenty-five percent (25%) shall be nominated by the Board of Directors.

The objects and purposes of the Baptist Foundation shall be to provide financial services for the benefit of the Churches. Council and Agencies of The Convention.

The activities of the Baptist Foundation shall be carried on in the Provinces of Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Prince Edward Island, and Newfoundland & Labrador.

The registered office of the Baptist Foundation shall be located in the Halifax Regional Municipality, County of Halifax, Province of Nova Scotia.

- The By-laws of the Baptist Foundation are to be approved by The Convention.
- (j) And such other Boards and Committees as may be established by The Convention.

ARTICLE X

Unless otherwise provided by this Constitution or the Act of legislation constituting the Board:

(1) One-third (1/3) of the members of each Board and Committee of The Convention shall retire each year in the order of their appointment, as nearly as possible.

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(2) Board and Committee members shall be elected for a period of three (3) years and shall be eligible for re-election at the close of that period. No members of any Board or Committee however, or the holder of any office in The Convention shall serve longer than six (6) years consecutively on any Board or Committee or in any office, but any retiring member is eligible for election after a lapse of one (1) year. This rule does not apply to the Executive Minister, the Director of Atlantic Baptist Mission, the Director of Operations, the Director of Youth and Family, the Director of Communications, the Regional Ministers, the Treasurer of a denominational Board, nor a member of the Board of Governors of Acadia University.

- (3) Any member of a Board or Committee who removes from the geographical area served by The Convention shall automatically cease to be a member of such Board or Committee, and a replacement shall be made by the Nominating Committee next in session, if not sooner replaced as hereinafter provided.
- (4) Any member appointed to serve the unexpired term of another shall be considered as having filled the appointment for the full term of three years and shall, under the six-year rule be eligible for only one more three-year term before retiring for at least one (1) year.
- (5) Any member of a Board or Committee who has lost "good standing" or membership with his/her local church shall automatically cease to be a member of such a Board or Committee, and a replacement shall be made by the Nominating Committee next in session, if not sooner replaced as hereinafter provided.

ARTICLE XI

Any vacancies in the Convention Council, Boards, Committees, or representatives to other bodies, occurring between the Annual Assemblies of The Convention, may be filled, if it seems prudent to do so, by The Council, after seeking nominations from the Nominating Committee. Any persons appointed in this way will serve until the next Assembly of the Convention, and his/her name shall be added to the Report of the Nominating Committee to the next Convention Assembly, if he/she is willing to complete the unexpired term.

ARTICLE XII

This Constitution shall not be altered or amended except by vote of two-thirds of the delegates voting at any assembly of The Convention. Written notice of any proposed alteration(s) or amendment(s) that has been processed and recommended by the Council of Convention shall be mailed or emailed to each church of the Convention at least one hundred and eighty (180) days prior to such Assembly and a copy of the proposed alteration(s) or amendments(s) that have not been processed and recommended by the Council of Convention shall be given at the previous Annual Assembly of The Convention and a copy of the proposed alteration(s) or amendment(s) shall be made available to each delegate attending the Assembly.

ARTICLE XIII

The following rules of order shall apply to meetings of The Convention:

- (1) Every sitting shall be opened and closed with prayer.
- (2) Persons invited to a seat may speak on all subjects under debate, but vote on none.
- (3) No person shall speak more often than twice on any motion, unless by permission of the body.
- (4) Motions made and lost shall not be recorded in the minutes unless so ordered at the time.

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(5) The governance of the body and the regulation of its proceedings shall be strictly in accordance with parliamentary usage so called.

- (6) That the question be now put is not debatable and if resolved by a two-thirds affirmative vote, the pending question shall be put forthwith without debate and if the first mentioned motion is defeated, the debate on the pending questions shall continue until otherwise ended.
- (7) That there be a three (3) minute time limit for each speaker.
- (8) That there be 42 minutes for each issue under debate unless permission for extension is granted by the body on motion approved by a two-thirds affirmative vote. The motion to extend is not debatable.
- (9) That items be given in writing to the Executive Minister at least 24 hours before presentation for debate.
- (10) Immediately after the opening of The Convention assembly, these rules shall be distinctly read from the Chair.

Updated August 2009 REGULATIONS CONCERNING THE MINISTRY Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches

Preamble

It is crucial in our ministry to the contemporary world that we provide various means for our churches to set apart people for specific roles in ministry which are recognized by the broader Baptist community. The call of God upon the life of a person to pastoral or specific ministries has historically been recognized within Baptist life by the setting apart of that person in the act of ordination. This action is usually associated with full time vocational ministry and is an affirmation by a local church of that call. (Vocational is defined as being "officially called" to a particular ministry. The particular ministry could be any church, Association, or agency of the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches, a recognized chaplaincy ministry, or an interdenominational ministry. The call could be for full-time, part-time or interim ministry, whether paid or unpaid.) In practice, ordination is usually sought by those entering pastoral, educational or chaplaincy roles within the church.

There is also the setting apart of a person as a Recognized Convention Lay Pastor. This action is usually associated with those who are involved in bi-vocational ministries or who choose, for various reasons, not to seek ordination.

The spiritual standards for both ordained and lay ministry include: a profession of faith in Jesus Christ as Saviour and Lord; a conviction of a call to Christian ministry; a recognition of this call by the church of which the person is a member; a statement of doctrinal beliefs which testifies to the life of faith; and a quality of life in keeping with this faith. Once accepted as a Candidate for Ordained Pastoral Ministry or as a Candidate for Recognized Convention Lay Pastor individuals will be held accountable to comply with ministerial professional standards adopted by the Convention.

SECTION 1: GENERAL REGULATIONS REGARDING ORDINATION

1.1 The Role of the Local Church

The issuing of a *Church License to Minister* is an expression of confidence in a person's call to ordained ministry, and their suitability for ministry. It is important that the church exercise the utmost care and be thoroughly satisfied as to the qualities of mind, character and Christian experience which would fit the person for the important work of an ordained Christian minister. (See Section 2.1)

1.2 The Role of the Association

The granting of an *Association License to Minister* is an expression of confidence in a person's call to ordained ministry, academic progress, and suitability for ministry. It is important that the Association exercise the utmost care and be thoroughly satisfied as to the qualities of mind, character and Christian experience which would fit the person for the important work of an ordained Christian minister. (See Section 2.4)

1.3 The Role of the Board of Ministerial Standards and Education ("the Board")

- **A.** The Board of Ministerial Standards and Education interviews prospective ministerial Candidates who are experiencing a call to ordained Christian ministry and who hold a Church License to Minister from a Baptist church in fellowship with Canadian Baptist Ministries or an Association License to Minister. The *Initial Interview* is usually near the conclusion of their first year of theological studies, and the *Exit Interview* is normally during the last year of theological studies.
- **B.** In the *Initial Interview*, the Board will determine if the individual is to be accepted as a *Candidate for Ordained Pastoral Ministry* based upon their fitness for the pastoral office including conversion, call to ministry, educational background, theology, overall suitability for ministry in this Convention, and alignment with the Convention's core values. The Board determines the appropriate standard of academic training applicable to the Candidate; considers with them the financial obligations involved; and assists in any way that lies within the jurisdiction of the Board.
- **C.** In the *Exit Interview*, the Board will determine if the individual is to be recommended to proceed to a year of *Internship* and then appear before the *Examining Council for Ordination* based upon the completion of the academic requirements, their personal and pastoral readiness, their style of leadership, their theology, and their spiritual gifts.

D. The Board:

- 1. may review the progress of the preparation of an applicant or a Candidate from time to time and report the same to the appropriate Association committee:
- 2. will receive and process appeals regarding Board decisions from persons previously interviewed.
- **E.** The Board will receive applications from pastors seeking Recognition of a Prior Ordination. (See Section 3)

- **F.** The Board will respond to allegations of professional misconduct in accordance with its protocol in the Ministerial Standards Document. Decisions of the Board relating to professional misconduct may be appealed as outlined in the Ministerial Standards Document.
- G. If for a period of three or more consecutive years an Accredited Ordained Minister is no longer engaged in vocational ministry with a church, Association, or agency affiliated with the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches; or a recognized chaplaincy or interdenominational ministry; or actively pursuing further ministerial/theological studies, that individual's accreditation will no longer be held by the Convention. This three-year rule does not normally apply to Accredited Ordained Ministers who are retired or on long-term disability. Accredited Ordained Ministers nearing the three-year deadline who fall in this category who believe their circumstances warrant the retention of their accreditation may submit a written request to the Board of Ministerial Standards and Education to consider an extension of their accreditation.

If an Accredited Ordained Minister accepts a call to serve in a church (other than on an interim basis) that is not affiliated with the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches that individual will be expected to transfer his/her credentials to the new church or its denomination. If a process of transferring credentials to a new church or its denomination has been initiated by the Accredited Ordained Minister, their credentials will continue to be held by the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches until notified by the Accredited Ordained Minister that the transfer is complete. In any case, the Accredited Ordained Minister's credentials will be held for no longer than three years.

Previously accredited Ministers who wish to renew their accreditation may apply to the Board of Ministerial Standards and Education.

H. The Board shall include nine elected members, together with the Executive Minister of the Convention and/or designate, the President of Acadia Divinity College or designate, the President of Atlantic Baptist University or designate, and the Director of Atlantic Baptist Mission or designate. The Board shall also include the Regional Ministers who shall be members without vote.

1.4 The Role of the Examining Council for Ordination of the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches ("the Examining Council")

A. Function of the Examining Council

1. The Examining Council shall convene at such a time and place as appropriate at the call of the President of the Convention with at least six months notice being given to the churches. Candidates shall be scheduled for a specific time and to appear at stated intervals.

- 2. At the opening session of the Examining Council, a Chief Examiner shall be appointed from members of that Council.
- 3. It shall also be made clear at the opening session of the Examining Council to the members of that Council, that the Bible is authoritative, and the 1905/06 Basis of Union is the foundational statement of agreed doctrine and church polity for the Convention.
- 4. Following the examination by the Examining Council and the presentation by the representatives from the Candidate's church, an *in-camera* session will be held.
- 5. A two-thirds majority of Examining Council members voting shall be required to recommend a person for ordination and accreditation. Persons with a conflict of interest shall so declare it and subsequently remove themselves from the voting process. All votes shall be by secret ballot. In considering the evidence, Council members will make a free decision under the leadership of the Holy Spirit. The Examining Council may recommend that a Candidate be ordained; it may recommend that a Candidate be deferred pending further training and/or counselling; it may recommend that a Candidate not be ordained, as being unsuited for the ministry at this time.
- 6. Each Candidate will be informed by the Examining Council of the results of their examination immediately after the vote is taken and will be provided with appropriate guidance and direction.
- 7. The names of those Candidates recommended by the Examining Council for ordination by their churches shall be reported to the Convention.
- 8. The vote of the Examining Council and its recommendation shall be reported both to the church requesting the examination and to the Candidate. A copy of the Candidate's written statement to the Examining Council shall also be forwarded to the church.
- 9. The Examining Council at its Annual Meeting shall elect members to an Appeal Board. (See section 7.1 of the Ministerial Standards Document).

B. Composition of the Examining Council

1. The Examining Council shall consist of the representatives of each Association on the following basis: one representative for each Association and a further representative for each Association having a total resident membership of 3,000 or more, except for Prince Edward Island, which has 2 representatives, the same privilege to be granted to Newfoundland and Labrador when the church membership reaches 2,000. Where there are two members from an Association, preferably one shall be male and one female. Each elected representative shall be elected for a period of three (3) years and shall not be eligible for re-election at the close of that period. A retiring member shall be eligible for re-election after a lapse of one (1) year. Associations are to name official alternates to act in the event of the unavoidable absence of the appointee.

- 2. No ordained minister shall be eligible for appointment to the Examining Council until at least three years after their own ordination, nor shall any licensed person proceeding to the ordained ministry be eligible to serve.
- 3. No lay person shall be eligible for appointment to the Examining Council until they have served for at least three (3) years in a leadership position in a local church and/or Association.
- 4. In addition, the President, the Past President, the Vice-President and the Executive Minister of the Convention, plus the President of Acadia Divinity College, the President of Atlantic Baptist University, the Regional Ministers and the Chair of the Board of Ministerial Standards and Education shall be *ex-officio members*, entitled to speak but not to vote.
- 5. Normally the Past President and the Ministry Secretary of the Convention shall be respectively Chair and Secretary of the Examining Council. In case of either not being able to act, the Examining Council shall appoint a replacement.
- 6. Up to two church members, appointed by the church requesting the examination, are expected to attend the examination of their Candidate by the Examining Council. They should present a letter of recommendation for their Candidate from their church. They shall be expected to speak on behalf of the church regarding the ministry of the Candidate.
- 7. Observers may attend, but will not have the privilege of questioning, discussing, or voting on any Candidate.
- 8. Fifteen voting members shall constitute a quorum for a regular meeting. A special meeting can only be called with the permission of a two-thirds majority of the members.
- 9. The Board of Ministerial Standards and Education serves as the Ministerial Credentials Committee for the Examining Council.

SECTION 2: CANDIDATE'S PROCESS TOWARD ORDINATION

2.1. Church License to Minister for Persons Preparing for Ordained Ministry

- **A.** The first step on the part of persons desiring to enter the ordained ministry of the Church is to secure from that church of which they are a member a *Church License to Minister*.
- **B.** The *Church License to Minister* is in effect both an affirmation and a recommendation. It is required that a person being considered:
 - 1. tell of their conversion, their call to ministry, their faith and life in Jesus Christ and their view of Christian doctrine with reference to the Bible and their understanding and substantial agreement with the 1905/06 Basis of Union, the foundational statement of agreed doctrine and church polity for the CABC;
 - 2. give evidence of biblical knowledge and spiritual growth;

- 3. have preached, taught and/or given leadership in the ministries of the church to determine their gifts for ministry;
- 4. demonstrate an ethical lifestyle appropriate to a pastoral leader, including family relationships;
- 5. give an account of their ministries in the church, how they have related to people, and how they have honoured their commitments; and
- 6. articulate their understanding of pastoral ministry and basic Baptist beliefs.
- **C.** A *Church License to Minister* should not be granted until the person has been a member of that church for at least one year.
- **D.** A *Church License to Minister* must be renewed yearly. It remains valid as long as the church which grants it considers it valid, but may be rescinded by the church for just cause. It is the responsibility of the recipient to request a yearly endorsement by the church until such time as an *Association License to Minister* is granted.

2.2 Educational Standards for Ordination

A. Prior to appearing before the Examining Council for Ordination of the Convention all Candidates shall be required to complete the course of study entered upon in agreement with the Board of Ministerial Standards and Education. There is a three year statute of limitations for completion of these educational requirements. Each Candidate must demonstrate acceptable progress during this period. If they are unable to complete their program of study in this time frame, they shall report to the Board, or meet with the Board, for consideration of extending their Candidacy and their statute of limitations.

B. Basic Educational Requirements

- 1. A Bachelor of Arts degree (or its equivalent) from Atlantic Baptist University or other recognized university, followed by a Master of Divinity degree obtained from Acadia Divinity College or from another seminary accredited by the Association of Theological Schools.
- 2. For those seeking to be ordained to Church Music/Worship Ministry, the minimum standard shall be the completion of a recognized undergraduate degree plus a minimum of 30 semester hours of theological education at the masters-level selected in consultation with the Board of Ministerial Standards and Education to be completed at Acadia Divinity College or another seminary accredited by the Association of Theological Schools. The Candidate must also show competence in church music, normally demonstrated by the successful completion of a minimum of 30 semester hours of post-baccalaureate education in church music or by some other means acceptable to the Board of Ministerial Standards and Education.

3. Any exception to these requirements may be considered only when the Board of Ministerial Standards and Education regards such action as warranted and in the best interest of the local church and the broader Convention life.

C. Exceptions to the Basic Educational Requirements

- 1. On occasion the Board of Ministerial Standards and Education may deem it appropriate to allow a modification of the basic requirements of study leading toward ordination. Under special circumstances such as inadequate educational preparation, age, family circumstances, and qualifications for professional ministry, one of the following exceptions to the basic educational requirements will be acceptable:
 - i. Approved Candidates who are a minimum of 35 years of age at the time of their first application to the Board may, on the recommendation of the Board of Ministerial Standards and Education, be considered for entry into the Bachelor of Theology program at Acadia Divinity College, which requires 30 semester hours of Arts courses plus 60 semester hours of theological study.

The Board of Ministerial Standards and Education may deem a Bachelor of Theology or Bachelor of Religious Education degree from a Bible College in good standing with the Association for Biblical Higher Education that is comparable to the Acadia Bachelor of Theology degree an appropriate qualification for ordination. Candidates may also be required to complete up to 30 semester hours of theological studies (normally taken at Acadia Divinity College), or up to 30 semester hours in Arts and Sciences (normally taken at Atlantic Baptist University). The Board will evaluate each academic transcript on its own merits and recommend the manner in which any educational deficiencies may be addressed. The Board will require Candidates to complete a course in Baptist History and Polity, with specific emphasis on Canadian and Atlantic Baptist History and Polity.

- ii. Approved Candidates who are 55 years of age or older may be admitted, with the approval of the Board of Ministerial Standards and Education, to a two-year non-credit, non-graduating program at Acadia Divinity College leading to a Certificate of Ministerial Studies.
- 2. If a Candidate fails to take advantage of time and opportunity to complete the basic educational requirements for ordination and reaches an age at which lower academic demands may be allowed for ordination, they need not expect that their age will necessarily qualify them for the reduced educational requirements.

2.3 Acceptance as a Candidate for Ordained Pastoral Ministry

- **A.** A ministerial student proceeding toward ordination shall apply to appear before the Board of Ministerial Standards and Education for an Initial Interview normally near the conclusion of the first year of their theological education to be considered for acceptance as a *Candidate for Ordained Pastoral Ministry*. (For application forms, please contact the Executive Minister's office.)
- **B.** In order to appear before the Board of Ministerial Standards and Education, the applicant shall have a current *Church License to Minister* from a Baptist church in fellowship with Canadian Baptist Ministries or a current *Association License to Minister*.

2.4 Association License to Minister for Persons Preparing for Ordained Ministry

- **A.** A person who is commended by a church to prepare for ordained ministry and has held a *Church License to Minister* for at least one year may apply to obtain an *Association License to Minister*.
- **B.** The Association License to Minister is in effect both an affirmation and a recommendation. It is required that a person being considered:
 - 1. tell of their conversion, their call to ministry, their faith and life in Jesus Christ and their view of Christian doctrine with reference to the Bible and their understanding and substantial agreement with the 1905/06 Basis of Union, the foundational statement of agreed doctrine and church polity for the CABC;
 - 2. give evidence of biblical knowledge and spiritual growth;
 - 3. have preached, taught and/or given leadership in the ministries of the church to determine their gifts for ministry;
 - 4. demonstrate an ethical lifestyle appropriate to a pastoral leader, including family relationships;
 - 5. give an account of their ministries in the church, how they have related to people, and how they have honoured their commitments; and
 - 6. articulate their understanding of pastoral ministry and basic Baptist beliefs.
- **C.** An *Association License to Minister* may be granted when:
 - 1. one year has elapsed since the applicant was granted an un-rescinded *Church License to Minister*;
 - 2. the applicant is a member of a church in fellowship with the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches;
 - 3. the applicant has given evidence of satisfactory ministry; and
 - 4. the applicant is making progress toward the completion of the academic requirements required for ordination.

- **D.** A Committee appointed by the Association shall examine the applicant personally on all the above and concerning their commitment to the aims, core values and activities of the Association and the Convention.
- **E.** Application for renewal of an *Association License to Minister* is to be made annually until the applicant has been ordained. Application for either the granting or the renewal of an *Association License to Minister* may be made to the Association in which the applicant received a *Church License to Minister* or to the Association where the applicant is residing at the time of application. Failure to renew the *Association License to Minister* will require that a person secure a letter of commendation from the Deacons of the church of which one is a member. Before being interviewed for the purpose of having the *Association License to Minister* reinstated, this letter must be presented to the Association Licensing Committee.
- **F.** Each person seeking renewal of an *Association License to Minister* must apply to appear in person before the Association Committee and shall furnish satisfactory evidence of progress in studies, plans to continue them, active participation in the life of a church and continued commitment to the aims, core values and activities of the Association and the Convention.
- **G.** Each *Association License to Minister* granted or renewed by an Association shall be signed by its Moderator and Clerk.

2.5 Recommendation to Internship

- **A.** A *Candidate for Ordained Pastoral Ministry* shall apply to appear before the Board of Ministerial Standards and Education for an Exit Interview, normally near the conclusion of their theological education, to seek the Board's approval to proceed to a year of supervised Internship. (For application forms, please contact the Executive Minister's office.)
- **B.** Subsequent to approval by the Board of Ministerial Standards and Education, and a call to full-time ministry (i.e., at least 25 hours/week) the *Candidate for Ordained Pastoral Ministry* may begin the year of supervised Internship. The Internship Supervisor/Mentor shall be an ordained Baptist minister recognized and accredited by the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches and appointed by the Executive Minister or designate.

2.6 Application to Appear Before the Examining Council for Ordination of the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches (i.e., "the Examining Council")

A *Candidate for Ordained Pastoral Ministry* within the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches must appear before the Examining Council.

A. Eligibility

- 1. Each Candidate appearing before the Examining Council shall be recommended by the Board of Ministerial Standards and Education, having completed the required steps toward ordination.
- 2. They shall be pastors or pastors-elect of a member church of the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches or shall be under appointment for evangelistic, chaplaincy, educational or missionary service within, or approved by, the Convention.
- 3. Theological students, having completed the requirements for ordination, seeking post-graduate study in another country and likely to be called to a church during this period of studies, may be permitted by the Board of Ministerial Standards and Education to appear before the Examining Council.
- 4. Each Candidate shall give evidence of having rendered satisfactory service during one year of supervised Internship or acceptable alternative as approved by the Board of Ministerial Standards and Education.
- 5. Both male and female Candidates shall be examined for ordination.
- 6. Heterosexuals engaging in sexual activity outside of marriage (as defined in the resolution "Statement Affirming a Christian View of Marriage" adopted by Assembly in 1999) and practicing homosexuals (including lesbians), shall not be eligible to appear for examination for ordination.

B. Application

- 1. A letter requesting that a Candidate appear before the Examining Council must be submitted to the Executive Minister *by the church* of which the Candidate is pastor, pastor-elect or a member; the letter having been duly authorized by the church. The letter should normally be forwarded to the Executive Minister of the Convention six months before the Examining Council meeting so that the members of that Council can be notified not less than three months before the Examining Council assembles.
- 2. The Candidate shall submit a Candidate Application Form which includes a written statement of not less than 2,000 words and not more than 2,500 words (excluding Scripture references from the word count) setting forth clearly their conversion, their call to ministry, their concept of ministry, their Statement of Faith, including Baptist beliefs, supported by reference to the Scriptures, and their relationship to the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches whose foundational statement of agreed doctrine and church polity is the 1905/09 Basis of Union. The application is to be forwarded to the Executive Minister at least three months prior to the meeting of the Examining Council.

C. Appearance Before the Examining Council

- 1. Baptists have always viewed the Scriptures as the sole rule in matters of faith and practice and the norm in questions of doctrine. Therefore in matters of doctrine all Candidates must substantiate their position by primary reference to the Scriptures. The key is "What do the Scriptures say?" Candidates must accept the claims which the Scriptures make with respect to their own inspiration and authority (e.g., 2 Timothy 3:14-17).
- 2. Candidates shall demonstrate to the Examining Council their understanding and substantial agreement with the 1905/06 Basis of Union, the foundational statement of agreed doctrine and church polity for the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches.
- 3. Each Candidate shall satisfy the Examining Council as to their academic preparation and their general fitness for the Baptist ministry.

2.7 The Ordination Service

- **A.** The Candidate for ordination is eligible to be ordained to the Christian ministry by the local church upon completion of the year of supervised Internship and the recommendation of the Examining Council for Ordination.
- **B.** It is desirable both from the standpoint of the Candidate for ordination and the church that normally the ordination service be conducted at the hands of the local church from which the letter came. It is recognized that in exceptional circumstances it may be wise, at the discretion of the applying church, to hold the ordination service in some other location.
- **C.** Normally, the Candidate for ordination and leaders of the local church, in consultation with the Moderator of the Association, or designate, arrange the ordination service. The Candidate for ordination is free to select the participants, and shall normally include the Moderator of the Association or designate.
- **D.** Within the context of worship, the service of ordination normally includes: the reading of the Letter of Recommendation from the Examining Council; inquiries of the Candidate for ordination and the congregation by the Moderator of the Association as suggested in the manual (or exchange of vows); the Laying on of Hands; an Ordination Prayer; and either a charge to the minister and a charge to the church or a sermon containing both elements. A form of service can be found in the most recent edition of *A Manual for Worship and Service* published by Canadian Baptist Ministries.

E. It is the responsibility of the newly ordained minister to notify the Executive Minister that the Ordination Service has taken place. Then the Executive Minister will forward a Certificate of Ordination, and place the minister's name in the list of *Accredited Ordained Ministers*.

SECTION 3: RECOGNITION OF PRIOR ORDINATION

3.1 Within Canadian Baptist Ministries

Ordination within the framework of the Conventions/Unions comprising Canadian Baptist Ministries carries with it full transfer privileges to the list of *Accredited Ordained Ministers*, providing the minister is recommended by a letter of transfer from that Convention/Union.

3.2 Within the Baptist World Alliance

Ministers who are ordained, and recommended by a body in fellowship with the Baptist World Alliance, shall submit an application to meet with the Board of Ministerial Standards and Education. The application shall include their Statement of Faith. Upon receiving the approval of the Board of Ministerial Standards and Education their name may be placed on the list of *Accredited Ordained Ministers*. If they have not met the Convention's educational requirements, the Board of Ministerial Standards and Education shall recommend a program of study consistent with the prevailing standards. (For application forms, please contact the Executive Minister's office.)

3.3 Within Other Church Bodies

Ordained ministers coming from church bodies not affiliated with the Baptist World Alliance shall submit an application to appear before the Board of Ministerial Standards and Education. The application shall include a statement of their conversion, their call to the ministry, and their Statement of Faith; and commitment to the aims, core values and activities of the Convention. A course in Baptist History and Polity with specific emphasis on Canadian and Atlantic Baptist History and Polity will be required if this has not been a part of their training. If they have not met the Convention's educational requirements, the Board shall recommend a program of study consistent with the prevailing standards. They shall be required to serve in their church(es) for at least one year prior to accreditation. During this one-year waiting period, they shall be listed as *Ordained Ministers Awaiting Accreditation*. When the above requirements have been met, they may be placed on the list of Accredited Ordained Ministers. Reordination is not recommended. (For application forms, please contact the Executive Minister's office.)

- 3.4 The Board of Ministerial Standards and Education shall not recognize the ordination of heterosexuals engaging in sexual activity outside of marriage (as defined in the resolution "Statement Affirming a Christian View of Marriage" adopted by Assembly in 1999) and practicing homosexuals (including lesbians).
- **3.5** Each minister accredited by the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches must be a member of a constituent church. Full-time pastors shall be a member of a church they serve.

SECTION 4: GENERAL REGULATIONS REGARDING RECOGNIZED CONVENTION LAY PASTORS

4.1 The Role of the Local Church

The issuing of a *Church License to Minister* is an expression of confidence in a person's call to lay pastoral ministry and their suitability for ministry. It is important that the church exercise the utmost care and be thoroughly satisfied as to the qualities of mind, character and Christian experience which would fit a person for the important work of a *Recognized Convention Lay Pastor* (see Section 5.1).

4.2 The Role of the Association

The granting of an Association Lay License to Minister is an expression of confidence in a person's call to lay pastoral ministry, their academic progress, and their suitability for ministry. It is important that the Association exercise the utmost care and be thoroughly satisfied as to the qualities of mind, character and Christian experience which would fit the person for the important work of a Recognized Convention Lay Pastor (see Section 5.4).

4.3 The Role of the Board of Ministerial Standards and Education ("the Board")

A. The Board of Ministerial Standards and Education interviews only those prospective ministerial Candidates who are experiencing a call to become a *Recognized Convention Lay Pastor* and who are intending to have their name circulated among churches for possible service as a lay pastor upon completion of the Lay Pastors Training Program. Prospective Candidates must hold a *Church License to Minister* from a Baptist church in fellowship with The Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches or an *Association Lay License to Minister* prior to meeting with the Board. The Initial Interview is usually held during their third year of the Lay Pastors Training Program, and the Recognition Interview usually takes place once the Candidate has graduated from the Lay Pastors Training Program and has accepted a call to serve as a lay pastor of a Baptist church in fellowship with The Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches.

- **B.** In the Initial Interview, the Board will determine if the individual is to be accepted as a *Candidate for Lay Pastoral Ministry* based upon their fitness for lay pastoral ministry including conversion, call to ministry, life and ministry experience, theology, overall suitability for lay ministry in The Convention, and alignment with the Convention's core values (see Section 5.3).
- **C.** In the Recognition Interview, the Board will examine the Candidate to determine if the individual is to be accepted as a *Recognized Convention Lay Pastor* based upon the completion of the academic requirements, their concept of ministry, their statement of faith, and their giftedness and suitability for lay pastoral ministry (see Section 5.5 B).
- **D.** The Board may receive and process appeals regarding Board decisions from persons previously interviewed.
- **E.** The Board will respond to allegations of professional misconduct (see Ministerial Standards Document, Sections 5-6). Decisions of the Board relating to professional misconduct may be appealed (see Ministerial Standards Document, Section 7).
- **F.** The Board may receive and process letters requesting the renewal of lapsed recognition (see Section 5.5 H).

SECTION 5: CANDIDATE'S PROCESS TOWARD APPROVAL AS A RECOGNIZED CONVENTION LAY PASTOR

5.1 Church License to Minister for Persons Preparing for Lay Pastoral Ministry

- **A.** The first step on the part of persons desiring to be considered as a *Recognized Convention Lay Pastor* is to secure a *Church License to Minister* from the church where they are a member.
- B. The *Church License to Minister* is in effect both an affirmation and a recommendation. It is required that a person being considered:
 - 1. tell of their conversion, their call to lay ministry, their faith and life in Jesus Christ and their view of Christian doctrine with reference to the Bible and their understanding and substantial agreement with the 1905/06 Basis of Union, the foundational statement of agreed doctrine and church polity for the CABC;
 - 2. Give evidence of biblical knowledge and spiritual growth;
 - 3. Have preached, taught and/or given leadership in the ministries of the church to determine their gifts for ministry;
 - 4. Demonstrate an ethical lifestyle appropriate to a pastoral leader, including family relationships;
 - 5. Give an account of their ministries in the church, how they have related to people, and how they have honoured their commitments; and

- 6. Articulate their understanding of lay pastoral ministry and basic Baptist beliefs.
- **C.** A *Church License to Minister* should not be granted until the person has been a member of the church for at least one year.
- **D.** A *Church License to Minister* must be renewed annually. It remains valid as long as the church that grants it considers it valid, but may be rescinded by the church for just cause. It is the responsibility of the recipient to request an annual endorsement by the church until such time as an *Association Lay License to Minister* is granted.

5.2 Educational Standards for Acceptance as a Recognized Convention Lay Pastor

A. Those wishing to become a *Recognized Convention Lay Pastor* shall successfully complete the requirements for the Lay Pastor Diploma in the Lay Pastors Training Program. If comparable course work has already been completed then the individual shall be required to complete those portions of the Lay Pastors Training Program recommended by the Lay Pastors Training Program Committee. Up to one-third of the courses offered in the Lay Pastors Training Program may be completed through other educational programs.

5.3 Acceptance as a Candidate for Recognized Convention Lay Pastoral Ministry

- **A.** A person proceeding toward becoming a Recognized Convention Lay Pastor shall normally apply to appear before the Board of Ministerial Standards and Education for an Initial Interview during the third year of their Lay Pastors Training Program. At this Initial Interview the person will be considered for acceptance as a *Candidate for Lay Pastoral Ministry*. (For application forms, please contact the Executive Minister's office.)
- **B.** In order to appear before the Board of Ministerial Standards and Education for an Initial Interview, the applicant shall have a current *Church License to Minister* from a Baptist church in fellowship with the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches or a current *Association Lay License to Minister*.

5.4 Association Lay License to Minister

A. A person who as a first step has held a *Church License to Minister* for at least one year and is sensing a call to prepare for lay pastoral ministry, whose intention is not set toward ordination, and who has some ministry experience as a supply preacher, interim minister, youth director, or in some other similar ministry, may apply to obtain an *Association Lay License to Minister*.

- **B.** The Association Lay License to Minister is in effect both an affirmation and a recommendation. It is required that a person being considered:
 - 1. tell of their conversion, their call to lay ministry, their faith and life in Jesus Christ and their view of Christian doctrine with reference to the Bible and their understanding and substantial agreement with the 1905/06 Basis of Union, the foundational statement of agreed doctrine and church polity for the CABC;
 - 2. Give evidence of biblical knowledge and spiritual growth;
 - 3. Have preached, taught and/or given leadership in the ministries of the church to determine their gifts for ministry;
 - 4. Demonstrate an ethical lifestyle appropriate to a pastoral leader, including family relationships;
 - 5. Give an account of their ministries in the church, how they have related to people, and how they have honoured their commitments; and
 - 6. Articulate their understanding of lay pastoral ministry and basic Baptist beliefs.
- **C.** Such a License may be granted on the following conditions:
 - 1. One year has passed since the applicant was granted an un-rescinded *Church License to Minister*;
 - 2. The applicant is a member of a church in fellowship with The Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches; and
 - 3. The applicant has given evidence of satisfactory lay ministry, including their ability to lead a worship service.
- **D.** The Licensing Committee of an Association will examine all applicants for an *Association Lay License to Minister* according to the standards and requirements contained in the above paragraphs and their commitment to the aims, core values and activities of the Association and the Convention.
- **E.** Application for renewal of an *Association Lay License to Minister* is to be made annually unless the applicant has been approved as a *Recognized Convention Lay Pastor*. Failure to renew the *Association Lay License to Minister* will require that the person secure a letter of commendation from the Deacons of the church of which they are a member. Before being interviewed for the purpose of having the *Association Lay License to Minister* reinstated, this letter must be presented to the appropriate Association committee.
- **F.** Upon renewal by an Association, the *Association Lay License to Minister* is to be signed again by the Moderator and Clerk of the Association.

5.5 Becoming a Recognized Convention Lay Pastor

- **A.** A person within the Convention who has been accepted by the Board of Ministerial Standards and Education as a *Candidate for Lay Pastoral Ministry* may seek approval by the Convention through the Board as a *Recognized Convention Lay Pastor*. This recognition of an essentially part-time, bivocational ministry should not be confused with accredited ordained ministry and should not be regarded as a stepping stone to ordained ministry. Ordained ministry requires more extensive training and higher levels of demonstrated professional competency than is required of people who complete the Lay Pastors Training Program.
- **B.** A church whose pastor has successfully completed the requirements for the Lay Pastor Diploma in the Lay Pastors Training Program, following a vote of the members or appropriate board, may make application to the Board for their pastor to be granted a Recognition Interview with a view toward becoming a Recognized Convention Lay Pastor. The Candidate, who must have served as the church's pastor for a period of at least six months, shall complete a Recognition Interview Application Form that includes a written statement (maximum 2,500 words, excluding Scripture references from the word count) setting forth their Statement of Faith, including Baptist beliefs (supported by references to the Scriptures), and their relationship to the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches whose foundational statement of agreed doctrine and church polity is the 1905/06 Basis of Union. This application shall be submitted to the Board at least five weeks prior to a second meeting with the Board. This Recognition Interview, which will normally take place within the first year of a Candidate being called to pastor the church, will include both an examination of the Candidate's statement as well as an assessment of the Candidate's giftedness and suitability for ministry based on their service in their current congregation.

- C. In the event that a person has successfully completed the Lay Pastor Training Program and feels called to serve in a Convention recognized ministry setting other than as the lay pastor of a local church (i.e. nursing home chaplaincy, itinerant preaching, interim pastoral ministry etc.), the church of which that person is a member, following a vote of the members or appropriate board, may make application to the Board for the person to be granted a Recognition Interview with a view toward becoming a Recognized Convention Lay Pastor. The Candidate, who must have served the equivalent of six months pastoral ministry, shall complete a Recognition Interview Application Form that includes a written statement (maximum 2,500 words, excluding Scripture references from the word count) setting forth their Statement of Faith, including Baptist beliefs (supported by references to the Scriptures), and their relationship to the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches whose foundational statement of agreed doctrine and church polity is the 1905/06 Basis of Union. This application shall be submitted to the Board at least five weeks prior to a second meeting with the Board. This Recognition Interview, which will normally take place within the first year of the Candidate serving in the ministry setting, will include both an examination of the Candidate's statement as well as an assessment of the Candidate's giftedness and suitability for ministry based on their service in their current ministry setting.
- **D.** In order to appear before the Board for a Recognition Interview, the Candidate shall have a current *Association Lay License to Minister*.
- **E.** Both male and female Candidates will be eligible to become a *Recognized Convention Lay Pastor*.
- **F.** Heterosexuals engaging in sexual activity outside of marriage (as defined in the resolution "Statement Affirming a Christian View of Marriage" adopted by Assembly in 1999) and practicing homosexuals (including lesbians), shall not be eligible to become a *Recognized Convention Lay Pastor*.
- **G.** Following the Recognition Interview the Board will determine whether or not the Candidate qualifies to become a *Recognized Convention Lay Pastor*. The decision of the Board shall be sent to the Candidate in an official letter from the Executive Minister with a copy to the church in which the Candidate is serving as a lay pastor.
- **H.** The names of those whom the Board approves shall appear on the Convention's list of *Recognized Convention Lay Pastors*, and they shall be commended to the churches of the Convention as a person approved for lay pastoral ministry, including preaching, the administration of the ordinances and the carrying out of pastoral or other kinds of ministry.

I. If, for a period of five or more consecutive years, a *Recognized Convention Lay Pastor* is no longer engaged as a lay pastor, interim pastor, or supply preacher, or other forms of lay ministry (cf., 5.5C) that individual's credentials shall no longer be held by the Convention. Those who have formerly been *Recognized Convention Lay Pastors* who reengage in lay pastoral ministry may apply in writing to the Board to have the recognition reinstated. This five-year rule does not normally apply to Recognized Convention Lay Pastors who are retired or on long-term disability.

Recognized Convention Lay Pastors nearing the five-year deadline who believe their circumstances warrant the retention of their recognition may submit a written request to the Board of Ministerial Standards and Education to consider an extension of their credentials.

If a *Recognized Convention Lay Pastor* accepts a call to serve in a church (other than on an interim basis) that is not affiliated with the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches that individual's credentials will no longer be held by the Convention.

- **J.** A *Recognized Convention Lay Pastor* will be held accountable to comply with the *Ministerial Professional Standards* adopted by The Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches (see *Ministerial Professional Standards* within *The Regulations Concerning the Ministry*).
- **K.** An allegation of professional misconduct against a *Recognized Convention Lay Pastor* will be dealt with by the Board in accordance with *Section 5: Protocol for Cases of Alleged Professional Misconduct* found in its Ministerial Standards Document.

MINISTERIAL PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS

Section 1: Board of Ministerial Standards and Education (BMSE)

- 1. The Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches (CABC) have given the BMSE authority to oversee all matters pertaining to ministerial credentials.
- 2. The CABC authorizes the BMSE to create policies and procedures for the handling of matters involving credentials which shall include the handling of complaints against persons holding credentials with the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches (CABC) which policies and procedures shall be published in the Yearbook and presented to all new pastors. These policies and procedures shall apply to all persons who hold or who have held credentials with the CABC.
- 3. In discharging its mandate of overseeing all matters pertaining to ministerial credentials, the BMSE shall be guided by the following Foundational Statements and Code of Ethics.

Section 2: Foundational Statements

2.1 Theological Foundation

Romans 5:1; Acts 10:36

The Holy Scriptures speak of the Church as the Body of Christ¹ and call its members to live lives that are rooted in Christ² and to grow together in love, thanksgiving and service to God and neighbour.³ To be a Christian is to be a new creation, and part of a new humanity guided and empowered by the Holy Spirit.⁴ The Church is called to exemplify a community of truth, justice and mercy, compassion and reconciliation, mutual service and steadfast faithfulness.⁵

Recognizing both the importance of leadership in the church and the accountability of leaders to the CABC, the BMSE as the credentialing body acknowledges that godly standards are expected of those who serve as spiritual leaders.

Accordingly, we affirm that every person is created in the image of God⁶ for loving, covenantal relationships with God, others and the world. We believe that peace arises out of right relationships.⁷ Personal dignity, freedom and sexual integrity are ensured by faithfulness to just covenants of mutual trust, care and respect. Such covenants undergird the moral framework of our communal life, responsibilities and entitlements.

Professional misconduct cannot be treated by the Church as a private matter since others' attitudes and relationships are bound to be affected. Great care is expected to be exercised in relationships in order to avoid abuses of trust, power, confidentiality and the responsibility of authority.

Because children, adolescents, the infirm and elderly are more vulnerable to the tragic consequences of broken covenants and abusive treatment, special care must be taken to protect them.⁸

In instances where professional misconduct has occurred it is the responsibility of

Matthew 18: 1-7; Mark 9: 35-37; Matthew 25: 31-46; James 1:27; Luke 17:1-2

Romans 12:5; I Corinthians 12:12-27; Ephesians 1:22-23 [New Revised Standard Version]

Ephesians 3:17; Colossians 2:7

Colossians 1:6; John 13:12-17; John 15:12; Matthew 7:12; Luke 10:25-28

Romans 8:18-27; II Corinthians 5:17; Galatians 6:14-15; John 1:12-14, 16

Matthew 28:18-20; Acts 1:8; II Corinthians 5: 18-21; Colossians 1:18-23; I Timothy 5:11-16; Hebrews 13:1-8

Jeremiah 31:31-33; I Corinthians 11:17-22

those in leadership (i.e. the Board of Ministerial Standards and Education) to offer assistance to fallen pastoral leaders in order to help them regain personal, spiritual and familial health. In addition, where repentance has been demonstrated and to the degree that credibility has been regained, the possibility may exist for fallen pastoral leaders to be restored to a position of ministerial leadership as an accredited or recognized pastoral leader. (footnote Galatians 6:1-2)

2.2 Nature of Pastoral Ministry

For a proper understanding of the policy and guidelines set forth in this document, two things must be highlighted about the nature of the pastoral relationship.

- A. The pastoral relationship is built on trust. Where this trust is betrayed or compromised by professional misconduct, or even questioned by rumour, damage follows in all areas of the church's ministry. Church members, counsellees, colleagues and adherents must be able to expect dependable pastoral oversight without the intrusion of professional misconduct.
- B. By virtue of education, ordination, recognition, title, status and/or reputation, the pastoral leader is in a position to exert power. Therefore, no sexual liaison/contact outside the marital relationship is proper, whether or not the pastoral leader is functioning in a ministry role. Pastoral leaders must view themselves as holding their professional status continually.

NOTE: Pastoral leaders who are single must demonstrate discretion in any dating relationship.

Section 2A: Exercise of Pastoral Ministry Regarding Same Sex Marriage

Pastoral leaders accredited by the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches shall not officiate or co-officiate at a same-sex marriage ceremony.

A complaint that a pastoral leader accredited by the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches has officiated or co-officiated at a same-sex marriage ceremony will be investigated by the Board of Ministerial Standards and Education according to the Board's protocol (Section 5-7). If the complaint is proven to be true, the Board of Ministerial Standards and Education will revoke his/her authorization by the Convention to perform marriages. The Board will also take appropriate disciplinary measures according to its protocol (Section 5.6), which could ultimately lead to the loss of the individual's standing as an accredited minister within our Convention.

Section 3: Code of Ethics

3.1 Preamble

The call to Pastoral Leadership is a high and sacred calling, expressed through a life of service and modeled after the life of Jesus Christ. Implicit in the call to ministry are biblically-based prescriptions for relationships with God, His family and the world. Jesus clearly and succinctly outlines the basis for Christian character and integrity in Mark 12:30-31 when He summarizes the commandments: "Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind and with all your strength" [and] "Love your neighbor as yourself."

Pastoral leaders recognized or accredited by the CABC, while not expected to be without fault, must maintain a high standard of integrity in the church, the home and the community (1 Timothy 3:2).

3.2 Rationale

Every Christian is ultimately accountable to God. Those serving as pastoral leaders are also accountable to the local church(es), ministry or agency in which they serve. Because the BMSE has been mandated by the CABC to oversee all matters pertaining to ministerial credentials, all pastoral leaders within the CABC will be held accountable to this code of ethics. Written allegations of noncompliance with the Code of Pastoral Ethics will only be considered by the BMSE when they are of such a serious nature that they fall with the definition of professional misconduct. (see the Protocol for Cases of Alleged Professional Misconduct).

3.3 Pastoral Ethics

Section 3.3 is written in the first person for strength of emphasis.

3.3.1 Relationship with God

Soul Care:

Called as a servant of God to pastoral leadership (Matthew 4:19, Ephesians 4:11), I understand the primary importance of my relationship with Christ. This call is reflected in who I am in Christ, as well as in what I do.

Therefore, I will seek God in humility and actively cultivate my relationship with Him through such spiritual disciplines as:

- worship (Romans 12:1, Revelation 5:12-13, John 4: 23-24)
- study of the Word of God (II Timothy 3:16, Luke 11:28)
- prayer (Matthew 6:5, Luke 11:2-10)
- confession of sin (I John 1:9, James 5:16)
- repentance and a willingness to seek reconciliation (Acts 3:19, Luke 17:3)
- a willingness to forgive (Matthew 5:14-15, Matthew 6: 14-15)

- fellowship (I John 1: 3, 6, 7)
- sacrificial service (Philippians 2:1-11)

Self Care:

Seeking to be a vessel for God's use, I will endeavour to:

- put on the character of Christ (Romans 13:14, Colossians 3:1-17)
- maintain physical and mental wellness (1 Corinthians 6:19-20)
- be sexually pure (Ephesians 5:3, I Corinthians 6:18)
- practice sound financial management (1 Timothy 6:5-10, 2 Corinthians

9:6-7);

- be truthful (Ephesians 4:15)
- be a person of integrity (Ephesians 5:8-10, I Peter 1: 13-16)

3.3.2 Relationship within the Family Unit

The call to Christian ministry affects the whole family and not just the one called. Thus, whether I am married or single, with children or without, I will strive to be sensitive to the needs of those in my household.

As far as it depends on me, and as God enables me, my relationship with my spouse will be modeled after the sacrificial love of Christ. I will uphold the vows of marriage and will honor the principle of mutuality, submitting to my spouse out of reverence for Christ (Ephesians 5:21-33).

If I am married and have children, I will, together with my spouse, heed God's clear instructions concerning my responsibility for the nurture and instruction of my children (Deuteronomy 6:4-7, Ephesians 6:1-4).

3.3.3 Relationship With Those Among Whom I am Called to Serve

When Dealing with a Search Committee:

- I will candidate with only one church at a time;
- I will not knowingly compete with another pastor for a call;
- I will honestly present my strengths, weaknesses and challenges and will decline any call for which I am not suited.

While Serving:

Believing that God has called me to be a pastoral leader within the CABC, I will, in the power of the Holy Spirit:

- be a person of consistent Christian character and integrity;
- love the people whom God has called me to serve, ministering impartially to their needs and refraining from behaviour that may be divisive;

- help the people of my congregation and/or in my care, to identify, develop, and use their spiritual gifts for ministry for the edification of the Body of Christ;
- endeavour to lead the congregation to practice evangelism, compassion and service to the community and the world;
- consider confidences as a sacred trust not to be divulged without consent of the person involved, or unless there is danger to an individual, their family or society;
- be accountable to those whom I am called to serve, not using my position to exert undue power or influence;
- pray for the specific needs of those whom I am called to serve, as well as for needs in the local community and broader society;
- avoid giving any impression that suggests that I am qualified beyond my level of training, competence, and experience;
- act with integrity in all financial matters;
- responsibly exercise the freedom of the pulpit, speaking the truth of God's Word in love and acknowledging any extensive use of material prepared by someone else;
- encourage the congregation to enjoy fellowship and ministry opportunities with other churches, especially through the Association, Region and Convention:
- refrain from causing or using a conflict within the church I am presently serving to plant a new church;
- not use my influence to alienate my congregation, or any portion of it, from support of the governing body(ies) of the congregation or from support of the denomination. If my convictions change from those held by those with whom I minister, I will voluntarily resign my position, taking no person from the fellowship;
- avoid any perception of conflict of interest, legal or otherwise, by holding no other elected office in the congregation I serve nor acting as a signing officer nor voting at any meeting of a congregational council, board or committee unless otherwise authorized by the church. As a member of the congregation, I am permitted to vote at congregational business meetings.

When Resigning:

- I will give adequate notice, and will ensure that I deal fairly with the congregation throughout my departure;
- I will encourage the congregation to be open to new directions under the guidance of the Holy Spirit;

• recognizing that problems may be raised by my staying, if nonetheless I remain in this congregation as a worshiper, I will neither say nor encourage any critical remarks concerning my successor. Instead, I will affirm the pastor. I will see my role as a supportive and committed lay person, and will submit to the authority of present congregational leadership.

3.3.4 Relationship with Colleagues in Christian Ministry

In General:

God calls various people to provide ministry in diverse ways and settings. In submitting to God's authority,

- I will respect the ministries of pastoral colleagues as, together, we seek to fulfill the Great Commission (Matthew 28:19-20) in the spirit of Matthew 22:37-39.
- Once I have left a particular ministry setting, I will respect the need of that community of faith to bond with others who will serve them. I will not normally participate in events such as weddings and funerals, or provide pastoral care which would normally be handled by the current pastor. If invited to so participate, I will only do so with the blessing of the current pastor.
- I will not entertain or make use of criticisms of a predecessor or of another pastor and will abide by the principles as outlined in Matthew 18:15-17 for resolving any conflict.
- I will be supportive and caring of other pastors and will seek some form of peer support and accountability.

Within Pastoral Staff:

As a member of a pastoral team,

- I will act and speak with confidence in the other members of the team and will communicate openly and respectfully with them;
- I will respect the corporate wisdom of the staff team;
- I will receive constructive criticism graciously and remain open to suggestions from other members of the team;
- When conflicts arise within the team, I will engage in due process with other team members to seek resolution.

As a Senior Pastor,

- I will encourage all staff members and allow them to excel in their work;
- I will assist each staff member to grow in the Christian life and ministry;
- I will allow other staff members to encourage my growth.

As an Associate Pastor,

• I will support the leadership position of the Senior Pastor. If circumstances change and I can no longer, in good conscience, support the Senior Pastor, I will either resign or, if unethical or unprofessional conduct is involved, I will seek the counsel of my Regional Minister.

3.3.5 Relationship With Association and Convention

The principle of association is based on the belief that some ministries may be accomplished more effectively by combining the gifts and resources of a number of churches, than by churches working independently. Insofar as any congregation I serve is a member of an Association of Churches, who together comprise the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches, I will:

- be supportive of the mission and objectives of the Association and of the CABC;
- make every effort to work in harmony with the Officers, Council and pastors of the Association in which I serve and with the Officers, Council and Staff of the CABC and its agencies;
- consider my responsibilities in the Association/Convention as part of my ministry duties and manage my time to include such involvement;
- promote the Association/Convention and related agencies to my congregation;
- take advantage of opportunities provided through the Association, Region or Convention, to fellowship with other Christian ministers and lay people and to participate in a network of mutual accountability.

3.3.6 Relationship to Community

God's call to His church is to be salt and light (Matthew 5:13-16). Each local congregation, under the servant leadership of the pastor and other Christian leaders, is the embodiment of Christ to the community in which it serves. In order to be a witness of Christ's love for all,

- I will strive to have a positive and visible presence in the community;
- I will seek to understand the community and its history;
- I will seek to contribute to the life of the community beyond the church;

• I will also support, whenever possible, the broader fellowship of Christians within the community, recognizing that my church is an interdependent part of the universal church of Jesus Christ. Where I disagree with the view or position of another pastor or church on a particular issue, whether theological, doctrinal, or social, I will nonetheless remain committed to maintaining the bond of peace.

3.4 Church Ethics: Congregation to Pastor Relationship

The relationship between congregation and pastor is vital to the witness and ministry of any local church. While the BMSE has no authority over individual churches, we offer the following recommendations and urge congregations to honor the unique bond God intends for them to have with each pastor He provides.

- The congregation will undergird their pastor, through prayer and encouragement, in the discharge of all pastoral duties. The church will avoid comparison with other pastors, and will support the pastor in endeavors to witness to the Kingdom of God through community and denominational service;
- The congregation will ensure that the pastor has adequate time for study, continuing education experiences, and personal spiritual growth;
- The congregation will recognize the pastor's need for physical, emotional, and spiritual renewal by providing opportunities for weekly rest and annual vacation;
- The congregation will encourage the pastor to maintain wholesome marital and family relationships. They will respect the pastor's family and place no expectations upon the family that they would not place upon themselves;
- The congregation will allow the pastor to exercise the freedom of the pulpit responsibly, for the edification and instruction of the people of God;
- The congregational leadership will work together with the pastor in a relationship of mutual accountability;
- The congregation will respect and honor the freedom of the pastor to be present and give input at meetings of all standing and special committees, commissions, boards, or assemblies convened by the congregation to transact congregational business. However, except for the meetings of the general membership, the pastor will not have voting rights (unless otherwise authorized by the church);
- At each stage of the process of preparing the Budget for the pastor's salary, the church will ensure the pastor has the full right to present his or her needs.

Section 4: Policies and Procedures for Amendment of the Document

The policies and procedures developed by the BMSE may be amended from time to time in accordance with the following procedure:

4.1 Amendments proposed by the BMSE

- (a) If the BMSE wishes to amend the policies and procedures, it shall:
 - (i) Give notice of its intention to amend the policies and procedures to all persons holding credentials with CABC by regular mail or email. This notice shall include the actual amendment sought and notice of when the amendment will be considered by the Board which shall be at least sixty days after the date of the notice; and
 - (ii) Mail notice of the intended change to the policies and procedures to all churches in the CABC.
- (b) Any person wishing to comment on the intended change to the policies and procedures may do so in writing to the Chair of the BMSE or may attend and speak to the proposed amendment at the BMSE Meeting identified in the notice.
- (c) After hearing from all persons, if any, who wish to speak to the proposed amendment and after considering all written submissions, if any, the BMSE shall reach a decision concerning the proposed amendment and shall give notice of its decision:
 - (i) by mail or email to all persons who hold credentials with the CABC and
 - (ii) by mail to all CABC churches.
- (d) Any person wishing to appeal the BMSE decision to amend its policies and procedures pursuant to this subsection may do so by giving a written notice to the Chair of the BMSE within sixty days of the notice of the amendment in the policies and procedures being sent to the Churches of the CABC. If no such written appeal is received by the Chair of the BMSE, the amendment shall be considered final and binding.
- (e) If a notice of appeal is received by the Chair of the BMSE within sixty days of the notice being sent to the Churches of the CABC:
 - (i) The Chair of the BMSE shall pass the notice of appeal on to the President of the CABC for consideration by the Council of the CABC at its next scheduled meeting. The President of the CABC shall, upon receipt of a notice of appeal, request a written response from the Chair of the BMSE, which response shall be copied to the person filing the notice of appeal.
 - (ii) The Council shall consider the notice of appeal at its next scheduled meeting and shall permit both the person seeking to appeal the BMSE's decision and the Chair of the BMSE or designate to present oral submissions to Council.
 - (iii) If the Council elects not to disturb the decision of the BMSE to amend its policies and procedures it shall advise the person who submitted the notice of appeal in writing but no further notice is required and the decision of the Council is final and binding.

- (iv) If the Council elects to vary or rescind the decision of the BMSE to amend its policies and procedures the decision of Council is also be final and binding. Notice of this decision of the Council shall be given as follows:
 - (a) by mail or email to all persons who hold credentials with the CABC and
 - (b) by mail to all CABC churches.

4.2 Amendments proposed by members of CABC churches or persons who hold or who have held credentials with the CABC

- (a) Any person who holds or who has held credentials with the CABC or any member of a CABC church may request that the BMSE amend its policies and procedures by submitting a written notice of the requested amendment, together with the reasons for the requested amendment, to the Chair of the BMSE.
- (b) Upon receipt of the requested amendment the Chair of the BMSE shall notify the person requesting the amendment that the requested amendment shall be considered at the next scheduled meeting of the BMSE and invite the person seeking the proposed amendment to attend that meeting to provide oral submissions to the BMSE regarding the proposed amendment.
- (c) After hearing from the person requesting the amendment, if that person wishes to address the BMSE, and after considering the written request for the amendment, the BMSE shall reach a decision concerning the requested amendment.
- (d) If the BMSE elects not to amend its policies and procedures it shall notify in writing the person seeking amendment and shall give reasons as to why it chose not to amend its policies and procedures.
- (e) If the BMSE elects to amend it policies and procedures as a result of the request for an amendment it shall give notice of its decision to amend;
 - (i) by mail or email to all persons who hold credentials with the CABC and
 - (ii) by mail to all CABC churches.

- (f) Any person wishing to appeal the BMSE's decision to amend its policies and procedures pursuant to this subsection may do so by giving a written notice to the Chair of the BMSE within sixty days of the notice being sent to the churches of the CABC. If no such written appeal is received by the Chair of the BMSE within sixty days of the notice being sent to the churches, the change shall be considered final and binding.
- (g) If a notice of appeal is received by the Chair of the BMSE within sixty days of the decision to amend its policies and procedures being sent to the churches of the CABC:
 - (i) The Chair of the BMSE shall pass the notice of appeal on to the President of the CABC for consideration by the Council of the CABC at its next scheduled meeting. The President of the CABC shall, upon receipt of a notice of appeal, request a written response from the Chair of the BMSE which response shall be copied to the person filing the notice of appeal.
 - (ii) The Council shall consider the notice of appeal at its next scheduled meeting and shall permit both the person seeking to appeal the BMSE's decision and the Chair of the BMSE or designate to present oral submissions to Council.
 - (iii) If the Council elects not to disturb the decision of the BMSE to amend its policies and procedures it shall advise the person who submitted the notice of appeal in writing but no further notice is required and the decision of the Council is final and binding.
 - (iv) If the Council elects to vary or rescind the decision of the BMSE to amend its policies and procedures the decision of the Council is also final and binding. Notice of this decision of the Council shall be given as follows;
 - (a) by mail or email to all persons who hold credentials with the CABC and
 - (b) by mail to all CABC churches.
- **4.3** A committee appointed by the BMSE shall review and propose revisions to the policies and procedures every three (3) years or as necessary.

Guidelines Pertaining to Granting of Permission to Perform Marriages

- 1. **Accredited Ordained Ministers** (serving in churches, in chaplaincy, on staff, retired or not currently serving a church) are automatically registered to perform marriages by this Convention through the Executive Minister while on our list of accredited ordained ministers.
- 2. Ordained pastors whose credentials are not held by this Convention (but who are accredited and are in good standing with another denomination) are registered because of serving one of our Baptist churches if they are not already registered under another denomination.
- 3. **Non-ordained pastors in the ordination track:** The following motion was passed at the 1988 Convention Assembly to amend the 1970 motion: "Pastors in full time service who have held Association Licenses to Minister for two years and have concurrently served two years in full time pastorates should be granted licenses to perform marriage ceremonies. Full time is to be interpreted as 25 hours per week or more. This privilege is to be accorded on a year to year basis." (It is understood that these pastors hold licenses toward ordination, have met with the Board of Ministerial Standards and Education and have been approved as Candidates for Ordained Pastoral Ministry.)
- 4. **Non-ordained pastors who are ready to begin the year of Internship** are registered to perform marriages the same day the Internship is set up with the Supervisor. In some cases the candidates is already registered because of qualifying under #3 above.
- 5. **Recognized Convention Lay Pastors** may be registered after being approved by the Board of Ministerial Standards and Education as a Recognized Convention Lay Pastors *and* after receiving a pastoral ministry placement in a local church of 25 hours per week or more. Both requirements must be met before permission is granted. A motion was passed by the Board of Ministerial Standards and Education in June 2004 in regard to this.

Because of provincial government regulations, permission to perform marriages is automatically revoked when a pastor moves from the province in which he/she is registered. If a pastor moves to another Atlantic Canadian province, he/she will be registered in that province upon request to the Executive Minister's office.

Registration is now on a permanent basis with the provinces of New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island until a pastor moves to another province. Pastors in Newfoundland must make their own arrangements with the government authorities. Unaccredited ordained ministers will cease to be registered by this Convention when they are no longer serving a Convention church. Non-ordained pastors will cease to be registered if they allow their Association License to lapse or when there is a lapse in their full time ministry. It is the responsibility of the pastor to ensure that he/she is properly registered to perform marriages before performing a wedding and should contact the Executive Minister's office to ensure that these arrangements are made. Those not registered may assist a pastor who is registered in performing the wedding ceremony.

SCHOLARSHIPS AND BURSARIES AVAILABLE TO PASTORS AND STUDENTS

<u>Grants Administered by the Board of Ministerial Standards and Education</u> Ebenezer Moulton Bursary

This Bursary, named in honour of the first Baptist minister in Canada (1761), is valued at up to \$1,000.00, the amount of the yearly grant or grants to be determined by the administrating body, which is the Board of Ministerial Standards and Education in consultation with the Dean of Theology. The Purpose of the bursary primarily is to enable qualified full time pastors of Convention Baptist Churches, who are married, to enter Acadia Divinity College to pursue work leading to a degree in theology. The bursary is awarded for one year. A person receiving it may be eligible for the succeeding year upon application, and an eminently qualified candidate may be given preference over others for successive granting at the discretion of the administrating body.

Some service, not necessarily commensurate with the value of the award, will ordinarily be required of the successful candidate, the administrating body specifying the type and sphere of service. The grants will be made only when a candidate meeting the requirements can be found and surplus amounts will not be accumulative. At the discretion of the administrating body, when a candidate is given an amount less than the potential, another qualified candidate may be awarded the balance.

Although the primary purpose of the bursary is to encourage married men, who are serving as full time pastors and who have not completed degree work to undertake studies to that end, married men who are already in course at the Divinity College may be considered eligible in circumstances of special need, but they will have secondary precedence. The bursary shall be considered always as an educational aid and not as financial assistance to secondary interests.

Bursaries to Pastors

A grant up to \$350.00 towards the cost of taking summer courses at Acadia Divinity College. Application should be made through the Executive Minister.

A grant covering tuition fees in undertaking courses by correspondence from Acadia Divinity College is available to pastors working towards ordination. Applications should be made through the Executive Minister.

Bursaries to Ministerial Students

A grant based upon need and available funds may be available to qualified ministerial students undertaking regular pastoral education courses at Acadia Divinity College and Atlantic Baptist University. Application shall be made through the administrative officer of the respective College/University.

Grants Administered by the UBWMU

In recognition of substantial gifts to Acadia University by the United Baptist Woman's Missionary Union in 1923-28 and 1952-57, bursaries totalling not more than \$4,000.00 in any one academic year are available, on the recommendation of the UBWMU to women students at Acadia Divinity College. Bursaries are awarded first to young women preparing for overseas service with Canadian Baptist Ministries or to missionaries on home assignment who wish to pursue further studies at Acadia Divinity College; then bursaries may be available to young women enrolled in any ADC degree program. These latter awards are made by the UBWMU in consultation with the Principal or designate of ADC.

A bursary amounting to \$75.00, being the interest on a legacy bequeathed by Mrs. Jacob (Annie Bucknane) Smith of Saint John, NB, to the UBWMU, and held in trust by Acadia University, is available annually to a woman enrolled in one of the degree programmes at Acadia Divinity College. The award is made by the UBWMU in consultation with the Principal or designate of Acadia Divinity College.

The bursaries are renewable on the recommendation of the UBWMU. Applications for bursaries are to be sent before June 30th to Mrs. Eugenie Trites, Candidate Secretary of the UBWMU, 16 Marsh Hawk Drive, Wolfville, NS B4P 1B2.

MINUTES OF THE 164th ANNUAL ASSEMBLY (OASIS)

of the

Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches Mount Allison University, Sackville, NB August 18-21, 2010

Wednesday Evening, August 18, 2010

The evening session was opened in worship led by Mr. Tim Milner. Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles, President, introduced our speaker and offered prayer. The speaker for the evening was Rev. Dr. Peter Reid, Executive Minister, speaking on "What Kind of People Should We Be?"

Rev. Greg Jones, Director of Development for the Convention, introduced the Offering and spoke briefly on the needs of our Convention.

Mr. Tim Milner ministered in song.

There were two Ministry Spotlight items:

- 1. Racism Working Group Video
- 2. An Interview with the Rev. Craig Minard (New Heights Baptist Church) led by Mr. Andrew Myers, Communications Manager.

Rev. Dr. Peter Reid closed the evening session in prayer and dismissed the Assembly. Attendees were invited to the Executive Minister's Kitchen Party, being held in Jennings Dining Hall, where ordinands commended by the 2010 Examining Council to their churches for ordination, and those who in the past year were approved by the Board of Ministerial Standards and Education as Recognized Convention Lay Pastors, were honoured.

Thursday Morning, August 19, 2010 – Business Session

The morning session was opened in worship led by Mr. Tim Milner. Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles, President, welcomed the Assembly, read Ephesians 2:11-22, and offered prayer. Rev. Dr. Peter Reid, introduced the devotional speaker, Rev. Dr. Harry G. Gardner, President of Acadia Divinity College. Rev. Dr. Gardner devotional was entitled "Do Good Fences Always Make Good Neighbours?"

The devotional was followed by worship led by Mr. Tim Milner. Rev. Dr. Peter Reid thanked Rev. Dr. Harry Gardner.

Business Session

Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles, President, called the meeting to order, declared the business session of the 164th Convention Assembly (Oasis 2010) to be open. Rev. Dr. Knowles introduced the platform participants. Rev. Dr. Knowles then called on Rev. Norman Pearce to lead in prayer.

Rev. Dr. Knowles called on the Executive Minister, Rev. Dr. Peter Reid, to read the Rules of Order. Rev. Dr. Reid read Article XIII of the Convention Constitution and reminded the Assembly that recording devices may not be used during business sessions. Rev. Dr. Reid noted that motions from notices given in 2009 would be taken up throughout business sessions as scheduled on the agenda, or otherwise as time permits.

Parliamentarian/Agenda/Reading of Minutes/Guests/Chief Scrutineer/Yearbook Reports

Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles asked the Executive Minister for the recommendation regarding the Parliamentarian.

It was moved by Rev. Dr. Peter Reid and seconded by Rev. Carl Price that Mr. Ian S. Purvis be appointed by the Convention Assembly as the Parliamentarian for the business session of Oasis 2010. Motion carried. Mr. Purvis was invited to the table.

Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles drew attention to the "Revised Oasis 2010 Family Business Sessions Agenda" in the Oasis 2010 Book of Business.

It was moved by Rev. Rhonda Britton and seconded by Martha Ross that the agenda be adopted as presented. Motion carried.

Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles requested direction from the Assembly regarding the reading of the Minutes and noted that it has been the practice in recent years that only action items from the Thursday business session would be read on Friday morning for adoption.

It was moved by Brenda Brooks and seconded by Rev. Gordon James that only action items from the morning business session be read at the next business session. Motion carried.

Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles welcomed first time attendees and asked them to stand. Rev. Dr. Knowles also welcomed observers as well as official denominational observers as follows, and asked them to stand: Mr. Robert Brittain, Ecumenical Officer, Diocesan Synod of Fredericton; Rev. Harlyn Purdy, District Secretary, The Maritime District of the Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada; Rev. Shirley F. Murdock, Moderator of the Synod of the Atlantic Provinces for the Presbyterian Church in Canada; K. Ruth Gamble, President, Maritime Conference, The United Church of Canada; Rev. Dr. Laurel Buckingham, Atlantic District of the Wesleyan Church; Rev. Malcolm Card, Interim General Secretary, Canadian Baptist Ministries; Mr. Patrick Deneut, Directeur développement, Union d'Églises Baptistes Françaises au Canada; Rev. Dr. Lorne K. Freake, Canadian Bible Society Director of Ministry Advancement for the Maritime Provinces. The (Disciples of Christ) Maritime Area of the Christian Church, Observer, and The Salvation Army, Observer did not respond to the invitation.

Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles invited Rev, Dr. Peter Reid to speak regarding the Chief Scrutineer. Rev. Dr. Reid reminded the Assembly that Rev. Donald Dunn was appointed as Chief Scrutineer at Assembly 2009 business session.

Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles asked the Executive Minister to comment regarding the Yearbook Reports. Rev, Dr. Peter Reid indicated that the 2010 Yearbook is accessible on the CABC website (at www.baptist-atlantic.ca/departments/communications/yearbooks) or can be provided in hard copy following Assembly to those without internet access. Only those reports listed on the agenda are printed in the "Oasis 2009 Book of Business".

It was moved by Rev. Dr. Peter Reid and seconded by Miss Alma Johnston that yearbook reports be tabled and taken up as occasion demands except those listed on the program and items arising out of Council, and that motions coming from Council be put forth from time to time. Motion carried.

Report of the Nominating Committee – Re: Vice President

Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles called on the Past President, Rev. David Dubois, as Chair of the Nominating Committee to present this report from the committee. Rev. David DuBois explained the reason for there being only one nominee, and then introduced the Vice-Presidential Nominee, Rev. Dan Walton.

Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles asked three times if there were any further nominations from the floor for Vice President.

Mr. Brian Hatch, a deacon from Wellington Street United Baptist Church, Miramichi, New Brunswick, nominated Rev. Dale Greer for the position of Vice-President and gave a brief biographical sketch of Rev. Greer.

It was moved by Rev. Tim Johnson and seconded by Rev. David Evans that nominations cease for the position of Vice-President. Motion carried.

Rev. David DuBois called the nominees for Vice President, Rev. Dan Walton and Rev. Dale Greer to the platform and invited them to present a brief statement. Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles led in prayer for the two nominees. Rev. Dr. Knowles then explained the balloting procedure, and asked for a motion. The ballots were passed out and voting took place.

Rev. Dr. Knowles declared the voting closed.

Report of the Nominating Committee - Re: Boards and Committees

Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles called on Rev. David Dubois for the report of the Nominating Committee re: Boards and Committees. Rev. Dr. Knowles explained that in recent years the Nominating Committee Report had been presented as a whole and if there were further nominations in any category, these were noted and a separate ballot prepared for voting on that category later in the business session. Delegates would then vote on the report except for those categories where there were further nominees.

It was agreed that this process be followed for the election of Board and Committee members.

Rev. David DuBois presented the Nominating Committee Report. There were no further nominations.

It was moved by Rev. David DuBois and seconded by Rev. Ed Shaw that the Nominating Committee Report be adopted as presented. Motion carried.

The adopted report reads as follows:

REPORT OF THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE 2010

President

Mr. Douglas E. Schofield

Kentville NS

Vice-President - five nominees required - New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island Ministers

Rev. R. Daniel Walton

Jemseg NB

Council - to retire 2014 - three nominees

Mr. Brian LutesBedell NBRev. Cory SomersTruro NSCherry A. ThorneSaint John NB

To retire 2013 - one nominee (Appointed by Council to replace Rev. Greg C. Porter who has resigned – to be ratified by 2010 Assembly)

Rev. Derek Langille

Millville NB

Pension and Insurance Board - to retire 2013 - one nominee

Rev. Dennis R. Leamont

Windsor NS

Atlantic Baptist Mission Board - to retire 2013 - three nominees

Mrs. Sheila Clyke Truro NS

Mr. Floyd Saunders Woodstock NB Rev. Dr. Rick Thomas Moncton NB

Canadian Baptist Ministries - to retire 2013 - one nominee

Rev. Norman Pearce

Sherbrooke NS

Board of Ministerial Standards and Education - to retire 2013 - three nominees

Rev. Kimberly Beers Timberlea NS
Rev. Gordon James Moncton NB

Rev. Earl MacDonald Hammonds Plains NS

Board of Governors, Crandall University - to retire 2013 - four nominees

Mr. Ed Barrett Woodstock NB
Mrs. Sheila Cummings Perth-Andover NB
Mr. James Dixon Moncton NB
Dr. Bertrum MacDonald Halifax NS

Board of Governors, Crandall University - Appointments to be ratified by The Convention (annually) - for 2010-2011

Rev. Dr. Terry Atkinson
Ms. Amy Jones

Alumni Representative (selected by the alumni)
Student Representative (selected by the Student

Association)

Mr. Robert MacDonald Faculty Representative (selected by the faculty)

Board of Trustees, Acadia Divinity College - to retire 2013 - four nominees

Mr. Ralph DeLongNew Germany NSRev. Greg DoyleParrsboro NSRev. D. Eric MacKinnonBrookfield NSDr. John StewartFredericton NB

To retire 2011 - one nominee (Appointed by Council to replace Rev. Garth MacKay who has resigned – to be ratified by 2010 Assembly)

Dr. Cheryl Gibson Fredericton NB

Atlantic Baptist Foundation - to retire 2013 - seven nominees

Mr. Glen Atwood
Mr. Edwin Giffin
Shubenacadie NS
Mr. John Lean
Riverview NB
Mr. Daniel Marr
Salisbury NB
Mrs. Audrey Peverill
Halifax NS
Mr. Craig Read
Dartmouth NS
Mr. Stephen Shaw
Truro NS

Board of Directors, Atlantic Baptist Senior Citizens' Homes, Inc. - to retire 2013 - four nominees

Mr. Dale Berry

Rev. John Hannem

Moncton NB

North Sydney NS

Mr. Curtis Rupert

Dieppe NB

Mrs. Janice Smith

Bathurst NB

Baptist Historical Committee- to retire 2013 – three nominees

Mrs. Lois M. Clark

Mrs. Carol Nauss

Mr. Barrie Rigby

Jacksontown NB

Chester NS

Saint John NB

To retire 2012 – one nominee (Appointed by Council to replace Rev. Hugh McNally who has resigned – to be ratified by 2010 Assembly)

Pastor David Cumby Bridgetown NS

Appointments

Appointment Christian Action Federation of New Brunswick - for the period 2010 to 2011 - three nominees

Rev. Lorne Freake Grand Falls NB
Mrs. Betty J. Peacock Moncton NB
Rev. Gary Taylor Lakeville, NB

Introduction of President-Elect and Brief Statement

Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles invited Mr. Douglas Schofield, President-elect, to come to the platform and introduced him to the Assembly. Mr. Schofield made a brief statement to the Assembly.

Canadian Bible Society Presentation to President-Elect and Prayer

Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles invited Rev. Dr. Lorne K. Freake, Canadian Bible Society Director of Ministry Advancement for the Maritime Provinces, to come to the platform and present the incoming President with a Bible.

Rev. Dr. Knowles led in prayer for Mr. Douglas Schofield.

Note: The Convention Constitution, Article V states "The Vice-president of the Convention, elected at the previous year's sessions and serving the year in office shall become the President for the ensuing year".

Treasurer's Report/2009 Audited Financial Statements/Auditors

Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles called on Mr. Daryl MacKenzie, Director of Operations for the Treasurer's Report. Mr. MacKenzie presented the 2009 Audited Financial Statements, as printed in the "Book of Business".

It was moved by Mr. Daryl MacKenzie and seconded by Mr. Ron Higgins that the financial statements be accepted as written. Motion carried.

It was moved by Mr. Daryl MacKenzie and seconded by Rev. Sterling Gosman that Teed, Saunders, Doyle & Co. Chartered Accountants be appointed as the Convention auditors for the upcoming year. Motion carried.

Mr. Daryl MacKenzie advised the Assembly that the UIM Budget for 2010 has reached \$1,152,695.00 to the end of July which projecting this to the end of the end of the year will mean that the income is 93.5% of the Budget. He encouraged the Assembly to take this information back to their churches and encourage them to pray about giving more to the UIM Ministry.

2011 Budget Presentation

Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles invited the Vice-President to take the Chair. Rev. Dr. Knowles then presented the 2011 Budget for adoption.

It was moved by Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles and seconded by Rev. Norman Pearce that the 2011 United in Mission budget in the amount of \$2,640,000 be adopted as presented. Motion carried.

Prayer Circles and Break

Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles requested the assembly gather in groups of three or four persons and pray followed by a break and return at 11:00 a.m.

Update Report on the Senior Staff Proposal

Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles called on Rev. Dr. Peter Reid, Executive Minister, for the update Report on the Senior Staff Proposal.

Final Report of the Racism Working Group

Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles called on Rev. Ogueri Ohanaka for the Final Report of the Racism Working Group.

It was moved by Rev. Laura Sherwood and seconded by Rev. John Boyd that this Assembly receive the Racism Working Group Final Report. Motion carried.

Rev. Dr. Knowles gave an opportunity for personal reflection on the presentation made by the RWG.

Rev. Dr. Knowles then led the group in reading the RWG Prayer found on the front of the Report.

Acadia Divinity College Presentation

Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles called on Rev. Dr. Harry Gardner to present the Acadia Divinity College Presentation.

Call for any Motions and Agreement on the 24 hour rule

Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles asked that any notices of motion under the 24-hour rule be presented before 10:30 a.m. on Friday. There were no motions and it was agreed to accept the stated time limit for notices of motion.

Results of the Election of the Vice-President

Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles asked the Executive Minister to announce the results of the voting for the new Vice-President. The new Vice-President is Rev. Daniel Walton. Rev. Walton was invited to come to the platform and make a statement. After his short statement Rev. Dr. Peter Reid prayed for Rev. Walton.

Close of Morning Session and Prayer

Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles announced the afternoon Schedule of events: 2:00 - 2:45 p.m., Barb Glennie in Concert at Convocation Hall, 2:00 - 2:45 p.m., the 80th Anniversary Reception for past and present Atlantic Baptist Youth Executive at Graciés Café (#6), 3:15 - 4:30 p.m.Worship Options: Favourite Hymns, led by Rev. Greg Geldart at Brunton Auditorium, Contemporary Worship, led by Mr. Tim Milner at Convocation Hall, Contemplative Journey led by Devon Johnstone at the Sackville United Church, and Interactive Worship led by John Campbell at Graciés Café (#6). 4:30 – 6:30 p.m., ADC Alumni and Friends Supper at St. Paul's Anglican Church, 125 Main Street. Rev. Dr. Knowles invited Rev. Sterling Gosman to close the morning session in prayer. Meeting adjourned until 9:15 a.m. Friday morning.

Thursday Evening, August 20, 2009

The evening session was opened with a Ministry Spotlight moment featuring the Rapha Video. Then the worship was led by Mr. Tim Milner.

Rev. Dr. Malcolm Card, Interim General Secretary led the Canadian Baptist Ministries, evening presentation.

Rev. Dr. Peter Reid welcomed and introduced Ruth Haley Barton, the theme speaker for the evening and prayed for her. Mrs. Haley Barton's message was "How Is It With Your Soul? Assessing the State of Your Life in Leadership."

Rev. Dr. Peter Reid closed the evening session in prayer and dismissed the Assembly. Attendees were invited to the Canadian Baptist Ministries Coffee House being held in Jennings Hall or to Oasis Café with Barb Glennie, at Graciés Café (#6).

Friday Morning, August 20, 2010 – Business Session

The morning session was opened in worship led by Mr. Tim Milner. Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles, welcomed the Assembly, read the scripture lesson, Matthew 6:19-21, and prayed. Rev. Dr. Peter Reid introduced the devotional speaker, Rev. Dr. Brian MacArthur, President of Crandall University. Rev. Dr, Brian MacArthur's devotional was entitled "Cents and Spiritual Sense."

The devotional was followed by worship led by Mr. Tim Milner. Rev. Dr. Peter Reid thanked Rev. Dr. Brian MacArthur.

Opening Prayer and Minutes

Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles opened the business session in prayer. The recording secretary, Rev. Dennis Leamont read the action items from Thursday morning's business session.

It was moved by Rev. Dennis Leamont and seconded by Rev. Dr. Leo Gallant that the action items from the Thursday morning Oasis business session be accepted as read. Motion carried.

Introduction and Explanation of process for the vote on Incorporation and adopting the General Operating By-Law.

Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles invited Rev. David DuBois to introduce and explain the process Council has undertaken to arrive at the vote on Incorporation and adopting the General Operating Bylaw. Rev. Dubois explained the reason why several changes have been made to the General Operating Bylaw since January 2010.

Rev. David Dubois presented the motions coming from Convention Council Re: Incorporation of Convention and adopting the General Operating Bylaw.

- **1.** That the Council of the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches is hereby empowered to seek incorporation of the Convention pursuant to the *Canadian Corporations Act* as a federal not-for-profit corporation under the corporate name "The Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches".
- 2. That the General Operating Bylaw circulated to Convention Churches and Associations in January of 2010 is hereby approved as the General Operating Bylaw to be submitted as part of the incorporation application to secure the federal incorporation of the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches.
- **3.** That Council is hereby directed to approach all Convention Churches and Associations to determine if those Churches or Associations wish to become members of the federally incorporated Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches.
- **4.** That once incorporated, the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches shall not become operative until the close of this Convention's August, 2011 Assembly.
- 5. That the first annual general meeting of the federally incorporated Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches shall commence immediately following the close of this Convention's August 2011 Assembly and will commence with the Nominating Committee for the federally incorporated Convention advancing a slate of nominations for various positions within the federally incorporated Convention.

6. Council is hereby authorized and directed on behalf of the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches to do and perform all such other acts, deeds and things and to execute and deliver and to file or cause to be executed, delivered or filed in the name of and on behalf of the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches or otherwise, all such documents which, in the discretion of the Council acting in such capacity, shall be deemed necessary, desirable or proper in order to give effect to the transactions contemplated hereby and the true intention of these resolutions.

It was moved by Rev. David DuBois and seconded by Rev. Dale Greer that this Assembly proceed with the updated motion #2 as presented by Council. Motion carried.

It was moved by Rev. David DuBois and seconded by Mrs. Sheila Cummings that the General Operating Bylaw circulated to Convention Churches and Associations in January of 2010, including the changes approved by the Convention Council after January and circulated to the Churches and Associations on August 09, 2010, is hereby approved as the General Operating Bylaw to be submitted as part of the incorporation application to secure the Federal incorporation of the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches. Motion with Amendments carried. 471 Yea, 8 Nay

Motions of Amendment

It was moved by David Dexter and seconded by Rev. Rhonda Brittian that the last sentence of 3.04(a) be deleted and replaced with "in the spirit of working together to accomplish ministries and missions we could not easily accomplish alone, Members accept the responsibilities stated in Section 3.04(c) Motion carried.

It was moved by Mrs. Bonnie Benson and seconded by Carolyn Stoddard that the second sentence in Section 3.10 (xi) to read "In addition, the President of the "United Baptist Woman's Missionary Union (Atlantic Baptist Women)" is an Ex Officio voting member." Motion carried.

It was moved by Rev. John Boyd and seconded by Rev. Robert Nickerson that in Section 1.03 under Church that the words "under the lordship of Christ" be inserted after the words "believers established". Motioned carried.

Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles recognized that the 20 minute time was up and asked for agreement to continue the debate. The body agreed.

Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles again recognized that the further 20 minute time was up and asked for agreement to continue the debate for another 20 minutes. The body agreed.

It was moved by Rev. Dr. Barry Morrison and seconded by Rev. Dr. Robert Nickerson that Section 14.03 (d) be deleted. Motion Carried.

It was moved by Paul Conrad and seconded by Rev. Michael Juckes that the "question" be entertained. Motion carried.

It was moved by Rev. David DuBois and seconded by Mrs. Sheila Cummings that the Council of the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches is hereby empowered to seek incorporation of the Convention pursuant to the *Canadian Corporations Act* as a federal not-for-profit corporation under the corporate name "The Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches". Motion carried.

It was moved by Rev. David DuBois and seconded by Rev. Dale Greer that Council is hereby directed to approach all Convention Churches and Associations to determine if those Churches or Associations wish to become members of the federally incorporated Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches. Motion carried.

It was moved by Rev. David DuBois and seconded by Rev. Cheryl Ann Beals that once incorporated, the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches shall not become operative until the close of this (unincorporated) Convention's August, 2011 Assembly. Amended motion carried. It was moved by Rev. Hugh McNally and seconded by Mrs. Sheila Cummings that the word "unincorporated" be inserted after "this". Motion carried.

It was moved by Rev. David DuBois and seconded by Rev. John Purdy that the first annual general meeting of the federally incorporated Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches shall commence immediately following the close of this (unincorporated) Convention's August 2011 Assembly and will commence with the Nominating Committee for the federally incorporated Convention advancing a slate of nominations for various positions within the federally incorporated Convention. Amended motion carried. It was moved by Rev. Ron Baxter and seconded by Mr. Warren Clapton that the word "unincorporated" be inserted after "this". Motion carried.

It was moved by Rev. David DuBois and seconded by Rev. Dr. Bryan Hagerman that Council is hereby authorized and directed on behalf of the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches to do and perform all such other acts, deeds and things and to execute and deliver and to file or cause to be executed, delivered or filed in the name of and on behalf of the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches or otherwise, all such documents which, in the discretion of the Council acting in such capacity, shall be deemed necessary, desirable or proper in order to give effect to the transactions contemplated hereby and the true intention of these resolutions. Motion carried.

It is to be noted in the Minutes that Rev. Dr. Leo Gallant suggested that the Convention present the churches that join the new convention with certificates for display in the local church.

Close of Morning Session and prayer

It was moved by Rev. Dr. Leo Gallant and seconded by Mr. George Powell that the business session for Friday be adjourned until Saturday morning. Motion carried.

Mr. George Powell suggested that the Assembly close with the singing of the first verse of *Blessed Be The Tie That Binds*. The meeting closed with a rousing rendition of that hymn.

Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles announced the concert and worship options for the afternoon: 2:00 - 2:45 p.m., Jacob Moon in Concert at Convocation Hall, 3:15 - 4:30 p.m., Seminar Options: held in various classrooms on campus (see list of classrooms on Oasis Schedule of Events Brochure and refer to map on back of brochure for location of buildings.), 4:30 p.m. to 6:15 p.m., by invitation only, Ordination Milestone Leadership Dinner at Jennings Banquet Room off Jennings Dining Hall, upper level.

Rev. Dr. Knowles invited Rev. Rhonda Brittian to close the morning session in prayer.

Friday Evening, August 21, 2009

The evening session was opened with a video dealing with Student Assistance. This was followed by highlights from the Ordination Milestone Leadership dinner. Rev. Dr. Peter Reid giving recognition of those who were celebrating ordination milestones:

- 1. Rev. John Beers- ordination milestone of 45 years
- 2. Rev. Allison MacLean ordination milestone of 45 years
- 3. Rev. Eustace Marshall ordination milestone of 45 years
- 4. Rev. Carl Price- ordination milestone of 45 years
- 5. Rev. David Shaw ordination milestone of 45 years
- 6. Rev. Dr. David Watt- ordination milestone of 45 years
- 7. Rev. James Webber ordination milestone of 45 years
- 8. Rev. James Cowan- ordination milestone of 50 years
- 9. Rev. Ford Alward- ordination milestone of 50 years.
- 10. Rev. Norman Hovland- ordination milestone of 50 years
- 11. Rev. Hugh McNally- ordination milestone of 50 years
- 12. Rev. Peter Turpin- ordination milestone of 50 years
- 13. Rev. Dr. John Bartol- ordination milestone of 55 years
- 14. Rev. Dr. Neil Price- ordination milestone of 55 years
- 15. Rev. Malcolm Stairs- ordination milestone of 55 years
- 16. Rev. Judson Corey ordination milestone of 60 years
- 17. Rev. Carey Harvey ordination milestone of 60 years
- 18. Rev. Dr. Keith Hobson ordination milestone of 65 years
- 19. Rev. Norman MacKenzie ordination milestone of 70 years

Worship was led once again by Mr. Tim Milner. Rev. Dr. Peter Reid introduced the theme speaker for the evening, Ruth Haley Barton. Her message was "A Leader's Journey into Solitude and Silence". Following the evening offering Bev Robart hosted the Oasis Arts Celebration, in which various artists, including Frank and Isaac Trail, GLOW (liturgical dance), Believe (trio), Sarah Dail, Dr. Wanda Campbell (poetry reading), Karen Smith (solo) accompanied by Marco Simmonds, Kids' Oasis celebration video, and Jacob Moon shared their gifts.

Rev. Dr. Peter Reid closed the evening session in prayer and invited attendees to the Atlantic Baptist Foundation reception being held in Jennings Dining Hall, and to Oasis Café with Jacob moon, being held at Graciés Café (#6).

Saturday Morning, August 21, 2010

Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles opened the business session in prayer. The recording secretary, Rev. Dennis Leamont read the action items from Friday morning's business session.

It was moved by Rev. Dennis Leamont and seconded by Martha Ross that the action items from the Thursday morning Oasis business session be accepted. Motion carried.

Notice of Motion Re: Proposed Nominating Committee Guidelines

Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles invited Rev. David DuBois, Chair of the Nominating Committee to present the Notice of Motion re: the Proposed Nominating Committee Guidelines for discussion and action in August 2011.

Rev. David DuBois, on behalf of the Convention Council, will move or cause to be moved, at Oasis 2011, the adoption of the Proposed Nominating Committee Guidelines.

Other Business Presented by the 24 Hour Rule There was no other business presented.

Motion for Adoption of Yearbook Reports

Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles called on the Executive Minister for direction regarding the remaining reports in the yearbook.

It was moved by Rev. Dr. Peter Reid and seconded by Miss Alma Johnston that all reports not adopted be lifted from the table. Motion carried.

It was moved by Rev. Dr. Peter Reid and seconded by Rev. Diane Juckes that all remaining reports found in the yearbook and any that have been distributed be adopted. Motion carried.

Permission for Council to Adopt Remaining Minutes

Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles requested permission (by motion) from the Assembly for the Council to adopt the remaining minutes.

It was moved by Mrs. Wendy DuBois and seconded by Hazel Thompson that the Council be given permission to adopt the remaining Minutes. Motion carried.

Prayer Circles

Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles requested the assembly gather in groups of three or four persons and pray.

Proposal Re: Date and Location of Assembly 2011

Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles called on the Executive Minister for direction regarding date and place for Oasis 2011 as recommended at April 2010 Council Meeting. Rev. Dr. Knowles explained that the Executive Minister was prepared to make a motion concerning the 2011 Assembly

It was moved by Rev. Dr. Peter Reid and seconded by Carol Stoddard that Oasis 2011 be held at Wolfville, Nova Scotia on August 17, 18, 19, 20, 2011. Motion carried.

Appointment of Chief Scrutineer for Assembly 2011

Rev. Dr. Knowles explained that the Chief Scrutineer for any given year is normally appointed one year in advance, and that the Executive Minister was prepared to make a motion concerning the 2011 Assembly.

It was moved by Rev. Dr. Peter Reid and seconded by Rev. Dale Greer that Rev. Donald Dunn be appointed as the Chief Scrutineer for the 2011 Convention Assembly. Motion carried.

Rev. Dr. Knowles thanked all those who helped out in making this Oasis the success it was. Rev. Dr. Knowles expressed appreciation to all of the staff and volunteers who have worked on Oasis 2010 from the planning stages through the implementation, including Oasis Kids and Oasis Youth.

Adjournment of Business Sessions and Prayer

Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles asked for a motion to adjourn the business sessions of the 164th Annual Convention Assembly (Oasis).

It was moved by Rev. Dennis Nickerson and seconded by Rev. Sterling Gosman that the business sessions of the 164th Annual Convention Assembly (Oasis) be adjourned. Motion carried.

Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles invited Rev. David DuBois to close the session in prayer.

Following the closing of the Business Session there was a Worship Time.

Mr. Tim Milner led the musical part of the worship. Mr. Andrew Myers, Communications Manager provided a Ministry Spotlight.

Rev. Dr. Peter Reid welcomed, introduced and prayed for the speaker, Ruth Haley Barton who delivered a message concerning "Strengthening the Soul of Your Leadership"

A Memorial Moment for Deceased Clergy was led by the Rev. Dr. Peter Reid.

Memorial Moment

- 1. Rev. Robert "Bob" Byron Billings
- 2. Rev. Arthur James Eddy
- 3. Rev. C. Roden Evans
- 4. Rev. Dr. Donald Edward Fairfax
- 5. Rev. Horace Frederick Gardner
- 6. Rev. Dr. John W. Hammond
- 7. Rev. Kenneth Milton Hughes
- 8. Rev. Edward R. Stackhouse
- 9. Rev. Dr. Howard Taylor
- 10. Rev. Thomas Townsend

A communion service was led by Rev. Corey Somers and the Convention Regional Ministers and their wives.

Following the communion service Rev. Dr. Peter Reid, Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles and Mr. Douglas Schofield came to the platform. Rev. Dr. Reid thanked Rev. Dr. Knowles for his leadership as President and presented him with a plaque. Mr. Schofield received the gavel from Rev. Dr. Knowles, declared the 164th Convention Assembly (Oasis 2010) to be closed and prayed.

Respectfully submitted, Rev. Dennis R. Leamont, Mrs. Judy Leamont, Recording Secretaries for the 164th Assembly Page B-16 ABW Highlights

ATLANTIC BAPTIST WOMEN/UNITED BAPTIST WOMEN'S MISSIONARY UNION (INCORPORATED 1907) REPORT TO CONVENTION OF ATLANTIC BAPTIST CHURCHES For the Year Ended December 31, 2010

Crandall University in Moncton was once again the site of our 2010 annual convention held May 28-30. The theme was *Time to Soar* based on Isaiah 40:31; "*But those who trust in the Lord will find new strength. They will soar high...*" Brenda Mann, executive director of Canadian Baptist Women of Ontario and Quebec was our Friday night guest speaker. Throughout the weekend our sessions focused on one of our SOAR focus areas of surrender, obey, abide and rise up.

We were fortunate to have Global Field staff Dan and Melody Grove along with Aaron and Erica Kenney attend our Saturday evening session. Our ladies had an opportunity to hear updates of their work in Cameroon and Kenya. Dianne Friesen was able to give us an insight into her work through her afternoon workshop, Bible Translation in two cultures.

A further highlight Saturday evening was the celebration of the 75th anniversary of our Canadian Baptist Women's organization. Past Presidents Lorraine Fenwick, Eva Wood, Shirley Giberson, Betty Short, Margaret MacQuade, Pearl McClare and Jessie Fitch received a standing ovation as they were recognized for their contributions. An anniversary cake bookmarks and chocolates made our celebrations complete.

In June our first "Gifted and Called" women's retreat was held with leaders Heather Thompson and Mary Holte. These ladies are from British Columbia and are members of the team which adapted the program for use by our Canadian women. The original program found its roots with American Baptist Women's Ministries. The program is designed to encourage women to discover their giftedness and calling from God and to give women leaders the tools and confidence to carry out their responsibilities. Sixteen women from Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island are now trained and able to promote the program throughout the Atlantic region.

Our organization as well this past year continued to promote all aspects of our youth outreach. We encouraged the hosting of Global Adventure and Little Lights programs within our churches. We provided training for Daily Vacation Bible School Leaders and Camp Mission Leaders. We were able to assist twenty—two churches with their DVBS summer programs. Grants were given to our Baptist Association camps that had a Global Adventures program as part of their summer ministry. Our convention Walkathon made it possible for us to further contribute over \$8000 to be shared among our Atlantic Baptist Camps.

In partnership with Canadian Baptist Women we have continued prayer and financial support of our international student, Pingping Ren who successfully completed her first year of studies in 2010. Many of our women who had the opportunity to meet this wonderful young lady at our convention last May shared in a very emotional moment when Pingping speaking in her native language led us in the Lord's Prayer. She closed with a personal prayer for our women.

Our organization continues to be blessed by the faithfulness of our women who seek to carry out the great commission. We are thankful for their dedication and commitment to our United Baptist Women's Missionary Union/ Atlantic Baptist Women.

Respectfully submitted, Linda Scott, President (2010-2011) UBWMU/ABW Women living the great Commission-informed, involved, invested

Audited financial Statements for the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches

CONVENTION OF ATLANTIC BAPTIST CHURCHES

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

DECEMBER 31, 2010



CONVENTION OF ATLANTIC BAPTIST CHURCHES

DECEMBER 31, 2010

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Members of the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches, which comprise the statement of financial position as at December 31, 2010 and the statements of operations, changes in net assets and cash flows for the year then ended, and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles, and for such internal controls as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditors' Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditors' judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditors consider internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our qualified audit opinion.



Independent Auditors' Report to the Members of Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches (cont'd)

Basis for Qualified Opinion

In common with many charitable organizations, the Convention derives revenue from donations, the completeness of which is not susceptible to satisfactory audit verification. Accordingly, our verification of these revenues was limited to the amounts recorded in the records of the Convention and we were not able to determine whether any adjustments might be necessary to revenue, excess (deficiency) of revenue over expenditures, assets and fund balances.

Qualified Opinion

In our opinion, except for the effects of the matter described in the Basis for Qualified Opinion paragraph, the financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Convention as at December 31, 2010 and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles.

CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS

Tud Saunders Doyle + Co.

Saint John, NB April 15, 2011

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

AS AT DECEMBER 31, 2010

	Convention	<u>Bookroom</u>	Total 2010	Total 2009 (Restated Note 11)
	ASSETS			
CURRENT Cash (Note 3) Accounts receivable (Notes 3 and 6) Accounts receivable from Baptist Bookroom (Note 3) Accounts receivable from related organizations (Notes 3 and 9) Inventory (Note 2)	16,739	7 17,319 0 - 102,552	432,456 1,500 16,739 102,552	\$ 339,168 379,414 14,412 36,537 130,384
Prepaid expenses	16,790		16,790	27,069
	<u>764,445</u>	5 143,449	907,894	926,984
INVESTMENTS (Notes 2, 3 and 7) Restricted Unrestricted	494,612 50,000		494,612 50,000	199,338
	544,612	2	544,612	199,338
CAPITAL (Notes 2 and 8)	265,568	12,890	278,458	325,551
DEFERRED COSTS (Note 2)	23,938	3	23,938	35,907
	\$ <u>1,598,563</u>	§ <u>156,339</u>	\$ <u>1,754,902</u>	\$ <u>1,487,780</u>
LI	ABILITIES			
CURRENT Accounts payable and accrued liabilities (Notes 3 and 11) Distributions payable to agencies (Notes 3 and 9) Accounts payable to related organizations	\$ 131,361 217,424		\$ 157,156 217,424	\$ 260,209 154,765
(Notes 3 and 9) Accounts payable to Convention (Note 3)	45,169	1,500	45,169 1,500	7,910 14,412
Deferred revenue (Notes 2 and 10)	50,141		54,083	82,931
	444,095		475,332	520,227
FUTURE EMPLOYEE BENEFITS (Note 4)	55,718		<u>58,716</u>	<u>56,306</u>
	D BALANCE			
UNRESTRICTED	535,580		657,684	627,133
RESTRICTED (Note 2)	563,170		<u>563,170</u>	284,114
	1,098,750		1,220,854	911,247
	\$ <u>1,598,563</u>	<u>156,339</u>	\$ <u>1,754,902</u>	\$ <u>1,487,780</u>
COMMITMENTS (Note 10)				
APPROVED ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD:				
Donafas Solofy'ld	Chairman			
Kur Muhad Miles	Director			-

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS

		Conven	ention			Bookro	om c		~	estricte	I Funds			otal	
	 	<u>2010</u>	2009	,	2010	2010 2009 (Restated Note 11)	2009 (Restate Note 11	B G	20]	0	2010 2009		2010 2009 (Restated Note 11)	(Rest Note	99 ated 11)
NET ASSETS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR \$ 505,862	\$ 5(5,862	\$ 525,152	52 \$	121,271	271 \$	96,523	23	\$ 287	284,114	\$ 252,443	143	\$ 911,247 - \$. \$ 874,118	4,118
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUE OVER EXPENDITURES		29,718	(19.29	ରି	833		24,748	84	279,056	<u> 1056</u>	31,67	571	309,607	37.129	7.129
NET ASSETS AT END OF YEAR	\$ 5	\$ 535,580	\$ 505,86	SI SI	122,10	1	\$ 121,27	77	\$ 563,170		\$ 284,11	4	\$ 1,220,854	\$ 911,247	1,247



STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS

	Convention	<u>e</u>	Bookroom	room	Restricted Funds (Page 8)	nds (Page 8)	Total	
	0707	5007	0107	(Restated Note 11)	0107	2007	7777	(Restated Note 11)
REVENUE (Note 2) Administration fees Bookmales	\$ 24,000	\$ 24,154	\$ - 589,472	\$ - 604,312	\$ 189,786	\$ 180,266	\$ 213,786 589,472	\$ 204,420 604,312
Church offerings and United in Mission (Note 9) Conference and other revenue Designated offerings Interest and investment	2,360,136 169,284 484,549 2,853	2,349,245 277,477 522,225 406	5,416	1,917	84,047 115,372 438,934 3,598	86,522 138,183 197,648	2,444,183 290,072 923,483 6,451	2,435,767 417,577 719,873 1,898
	3.040.822	3,173,507	594,888	606,229	831,737	604,111	4,467,447	4,383,847
EXPENDITURES								
Advertising Amortization	30.782	32.888	5,277	5,213			5,277	5,213
Assembly	})		, , , ,	47,653	69,570	47,653	69,570
Bank charges and interest	8,652	7,982	5,477	5,876	•	1 (14,129	13,858 83,580
Cost of sales	100,0	,	365,859	367,832			365,859	367,832
Distributions to Agencies (Note 9)	1,446,025	1,532,763	,	•	•	1	1,446,025	1,532,763
Equipment rental	8,544	8,712	4,941	4,166	- 000		13,485	12,878
Grants and assistance (Note 2) Insurance	2,326 22,340	4,000 21,871	1 500	1 508	100,241	110,011	102,567	114,021 23,379
Meetings and travel	202,037	196,031	2,391	207	23,270	11,092	227,698	207,330
Miscellaneous	1,536	12,420	ı	1,582	301	1,000	1,837	15,002
Occupancy costs	11,271	10,501	54,504	56,783	ı		65,775	67,284
Office	8,545	10,764	3,326	3,852	f	•	11,871	14,616
Postage	20,291	22,357	14,242	11,762	913	161	35,446	34,310
Fillituig Professional fees	38,434 24.763	40,948	3.500	3 250	• 1	• •	38,434	46,948 20,024
Programs and materials	58.474	144 130	000,0	0,4,0	ı	i	66,02	144 130
Repairs and maintenance	5,902	7,432	, ,	ı !		, ,	5.902	7.432
Salaries and benefits	1,006,549	1,005,737	109,999	95,943	380,303	380,566	1,496,851	1,482,246
Telephone	18,411	20.519	3,124	3,414	3	9	21,535	23,933
	3.011.104	3,192,797	594,055	581,481	552,681	572,440	4.157.840	4,346,718
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUE OVER EXPENDITURES	\$ 29,718	\$ (19,290)	\$ 833	\$ 24.748	\$ 279.056	\$ 31.671	\$ 309,607	\$ 37.129



STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

	<u>2010</u>	<u>2009</u> (Restated Note 11)
CASH PROVIDED BY (USED IN)		
Operating activities		
Excess of revenue over expenditures	\$ 309,607	\$ 37,129
Items not involving cash		
Change in deferred costs	11,969	(18,747)
Loss on disposal of capital assets	-	6,724
Amortization	49,069	<u>51,369</u>
	370,645	76,475
Changes in non-cash working capital balances	ŕ	
Accounts receivable	(53,042)	17,031
Accounts receivable from related organizations	19,798	19,556
Inventory	27,832	(24,421)
Prepaid expenses	10,279	(11,034)
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	(103,053)	82,252
Distributions payable to agencies	62,659	(53,444)
Accounts payable to related organizations	37,259	(20,504)
Deferred revenue	(28,848)	10,331
	343,529	96,242
Investing activities		
Increase in investments	(345,274)	(1,643)
Purchase of capital assets	<u>(1,976)</u>	(28,181)
	(347,250)	(29,824)
Financing activities Future employee benefits	<u>2,410</u>	<u>3,559</u>
INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH	(1,311)	69,977
CASH AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	339,168	269,191
CASH AT END OF YEAR	\$ 337,857	\$_339,168
SUPPLEMENTARY CASH FLOW INFORMATION Interest received	\$ 3,285	\$ 829



SCHEDULE OF CONVENTION OPERATIONS

Total 2009	\$ 24,154	2,349,245	277,477 522,225 406	3,173,507	3,027,054	32,888 7,982 81,968	1,532,763 8,712	4,000	196,031 12,420	10,501 10,764	22,357	25,774	144,130	1,432	20,519	3,192,797	3,027,054	\$ (19.290)
Total 2010	\$ 24,000	2,360,136	169,284 484,549 2,853	3.040,822	2.699.645	30,782 8,652 96,302	1,446,025 8,544	23.240	202,037	11,271	20,291	24,763	58,474	5,902 1,006,549	18,411	3,011,104	2,699,645	\$ 29,718
Development	, sa	63,057	2,690	65,747	81,000			, ,	7,910	- 26	19	† 900	18,113	38,175	1,120	65.747	81,000	
Public Witness	' 6 9	20,576	1,820	22,577	21,000			2,000	2,358	1 1	22	7 ° -	200	16,334	365	21.311	21,000	\$ 1.266
Regional Ministry	, ≤	536,942	18,592	560,881	519,000	1 1 1	1 1		76,620	3,036	452	100 -	5,114	466,843	8,315	560.881	519,000	SA
Council and Committees Administration	\$ 24,000	232,011	6,053	264,917	248,000	30,782 8,652	8,118	22.240	2,697	11,271	6,020	11,430	132	5,902 144,868	3,720	263,092	248,000	\$ 1.825
Council and Committees	, sa	81,963	2,531	91,170	80,000	19,157			42,970 100	1 1	2,777	12,964		2,248	1	83,195	80,000	\$ 7.975
Youth and Family is Ministries	, s4	129,000	125,798	254,798	188,645	77,124	1 1	1 1	33,240	940	478		31,049	108,458	2,193	254,798	188,645	s s
Executive Ministerial Minister's Youth standards & Office and and Family Education Communications Ministries	· ••	243,110	10,750	253,860	244,000		426		17,912	730	9,553	124,00	3,866	187,605	2,070	252,407	244,000	\$ 1,453
Ministerial Standards & Education C	ı ⇔	59,814	1,050	60.864	72,000	4 1 1	1 1	i i	18,330 67	i t	970	369	1	42,018	628	63,322	72,000	\$ (2,458)
Baptist Historical Committee	, sa	13,744	1 ()	13,744	16,000		13,475	326	, ,	1 1		, ,	•			13,801	16,000	\$
General	, 6 9	616,676	472,345	1,452,264	1,230,000		1,432,550	1 1	7 1	, ,	•	, ,				1,432,550	1,230,000	\$ 19,714
	REVENUE (Note 2) Administration fees Church offerings and	United in Mission (Note 9)	Conterence and other revenue Designated offerings Interest and investment		Budget	EXPENDITURES Amortization Bank charges and interest Conferences	Distributions to Agenetes (Note 9) Equipment rental Grants and accistance	(Note 2)	Meetings and travel Miscellaneous	Occupancy costs Office	Postage Dringing	Professional fees	Programs and materials	Repairs and maintenance Salaries and benefits	Telephone		Budget	EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUE OVER EXPENDITURES



SCHEDULE OF RESTRICTED FUND OPERATIONS AND CHANGES IN NET ASSETS

	Convention <u>Assembly</u>	Convention Correctional December Assembly Services Communio	December Communion	Hospital Halifax	Hospital Chaplaincy Ialifax Saint John	Association <u>Projects</u>	Association Luke McLay Projects Scholarship	Legacy	Ministry <u>Preparation</u>	Total 2010	Total <u>2009</u>
REVENUE (Note 2) Administration fees Church official in Missis	ا ده و	\$ 189,786	i US	ι 69	ا نج	ı ∽	· •	, 59	€ 4 1 € 4	189,786	\$ 180,266
Choice of the Massian Chief in Missian (Note 9) Conference and other revenue Designated offerings Interest and investment	63,307	1,071 50,453	(6)	750	63,489	83,297	432	250,000	51,000	84,047 115,372 438,934 3,598	86,522 138,183 197,648 1,492
	64,807	241,310	11,501	62,735	63,489	83,297	432	250,000	54,166	831,737	604,111
Assembly Assembly Grants and assistance (Note 2) Meetings and travel Miscellaneous Postage Salaries and benefits	47,653 22,754 456 534		9,449	500 301 - - 82,894	16 - 457 54.649	81,792			00066	47,653 100,241 23,270 301 913	69,570 110,021 11,092 1,000 191 380,566
	71,397	242,226	9,449	83,695	55,122	81,792	,		6,000	552,681	572,440
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUE OVER EXPENDITURES	(6,590)	(916)	2,052	(20,960)	8,367	1,505	432	250,000	45,166	279,056	31,671
NET ASSETS (LIABILITIES) AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	(4,157)	15,649	23,570	11,772	4,482	1,322	11,670	153,464	66,342	284,114	252,443
	(10,747)	14,733	25,622	(9,188)	12,849	2,827	12,102	403,464	111,508	563,170	284,114
TRANSFERS	1	•		1	-	1	•	(50,000)	50,000	•	
NET ASSETS (LIABILITIES) AT END OF YEAR	\$(10,747)	\$ (10,74 <u>7)</u> \$ 14,733 \$_	25,622	\$ (9.188) \$	\$ 12.849	\$ 2,827	\$ 12,102	\$ 353,464	\$ 161.508 \$	563,170	\$ 284,114



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1. PURPOSE OF ORGANIZATION

The Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches ("the Convention") is a fellowship working through approximately 500 local churches in the Atlantic Provinces. In accordance with Article I of the Constitution of the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches, the Convention came into existence on the basis of a statement of doctrine and polity entitled "1905/06 Basis of Union". The Convention shall be composed of those bodies which have covenanted to work together, under the Lordship of Jesus Christ, and under the authority of the Bible which is the all-sufficient ground of faith and practice. Financial contributions are received for distribution to approved overseas, national and local ministries.

The Convention is a registered charity and is thereby exempt from income tax as defined by Section 149(1)(f) of the Income Tax Act of Canada.

2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Revenue Recognition

The Convention follows the deferral method of accounting for contributions. Restricted contributions are recognized as revenue in the year in which the related expenses are incurred. Unrestricted contributions are recognized as revenue in the same period as the commitment to remit these funds is made by member congregations. Amounts received by the Convention after year end but made from the current year's budget allocations of member congregations are recognized as church contributions receivable.

Restricted Funds

The Convention has designated certain funding for special purposes and thus the financial statements have been presented in a manner which segregates operations according to their nature and purpose, as follows:

Convention Assembly Fund

The Convention Assembly Fund has been established to segregate revenue and expenditures related to Assembly. Use of the fund balance is designated annually by the Assembly.

Correctional Services Fund

The Correctional Services Fund has been established to segregate revenue and expenditures to operate chaplaincy services under contracts with various Correctional Institutions.

December Communion Offering Fund

The December Communion Offering Fund has been established to provide financial assistance to spouses of deceased pastors.

Hospital Chaplaincy Funds

The Hospital Chaplaincy Funds have been established to segregate revenue and expenditures to maintain hospital chaplaincy services in Saint John and Halifax.



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2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont'd)

Association Projects Fund

The Association Projects Fund has been established to enable regional church Associations to initiate local ministry projects. The fund received 3.41% (2009 - 3.61%) of total United in Mission revenue of the Convention.

Luke Timothy McLay Memorial Scholarship Fund

The Luke Timothy McLay Scholarship Fund has been established to award scholarships to students enrolled in any academic doctoral program in any discipline. The scholarships are to be awarded from the interest earned on the fund.

Legacy Fund

The Legacy Fund has been established by bequests from individuals. Use of the fund balance is reviewed and set periodically by the Council of the Convention.

Ministry Preparation Fund

The Ministry Preparation Fund has been established to provide financial assistance for 2nd and 3rd year Master of Divinity students at Acadia Divinity College who have been accepted as a candidate for Ordained Pastoral Ministry by the Board of Ministerial Standards of the Convention.

Inventory

Inventory is valued at lower of cost and net realizable value. Cost is determined using the retail method.

Investments

Investments in deposit certificates held in the custody of the Baptist Foundation are stated at cost which is equal to fair value.

Except for interest earned on investments in the Luke Timothy McLay Scholarship Fund and the Ministry Preparation Fund, interest income is recorded in the operations of the Convention.



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2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont'd)

Capital Assets

Capital assets are stated at cost less accumulated amortization. Amortization is being provided for using the following methods and annual rates:

Building	2.5%	straight-line
Convention computer and other		
equipment	15.0% to 25.0%	straight-line
Furniture and fixtures	20.0%	diminishing balance
Leasehold improvements	20.0%	straight line
Website	33.3%	diminishing balance
Bookroom equipment	20.0%	straight line

Pass Through Funds

Grants are received and disbursed on behalf of a number of regional and national autonomous organizations. Excerpts from the audited financial statements for these organizations are reproduced in the annual year book of the Convention.

Deferred Costs

In 2009, the Convention developed a major fund raising initiative called Connected for Mission. The campaign is expected to run for a three year period from 2010 to 2012. Development costs incurred have been deferred and will be amortized over the campaign period.

Contributed Services

Volunteers contribute an undeterminable number of hours per year. Because of the difficulty of determining their fair value, contributed services are not recognized in the financial statements.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amount of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amount of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. These estimates are reviewed periodically, and as adjustments become necessary, they are reported in earnings in the period in which they become known.

Examples of significant estimates include:

- the allowance for doubtful accounts;
- the allowance for inventory obsolescence;
- the estimated useful lives of assets;
- the recoverability of tangible and intangible assets;
- the recoverability of long-term investments; and
- certain actuarial and economic assumptions used in determining future employee benefits.



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3. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The Convention has classified its financial instruments as follows:

Financial Asset/ Liability	Classification	Subsequent Measurement
Cash	Held-for-trading	Fair value
Accounts receivable	Loans and receivables	Amortized cost
Accounts receivable from Baptist		
Bookroom	Loans and receivables	Amortized cost
Accounts receivable from related		
organizations	Loans and receivables	Amortized cost
Investments	Held-for-trading	Fair value
Accounts payable and accrued		
liabilities	Other financial liabilities	Amortized cost
Distributions payable to agencies	Other financial liabilities	Amortized cost
Accounts payable to related		
organizations	Other financial liabilities	Amortized cost
Accounts payable to Convention	Other financial liabilities	Amortized cost

The Convention's accounts receivable, accounts receivable from Baptist Bookroom, accounts receivable from related organizations, accounts payable and accrued liabilities, distributions to agencies, accounts payable to related organizations and accounts payable to Convention are recorded at amortized cost, which approximates their fair value.

Credit Risk

The Convention is subject to credit risk through accounts receivable. The Convention maintains a provision for potential credit losses, and minimizes credit risk through ongoing credit management.

Currency Risk

Currency risk is the risk to the Convention's earnings that arise from fluctuations of foreign exchange rates and the degree of volatility of these rates. The Convention is not exposed to exchange risk as it does not hold foreign currency.

Interest Rate Risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that the value of a financial instrument might be adversely affected by a change in the interest rates. The Convention is currently not exposed to interest rate risk.

4. FUTURE EMPLOYEE BENEFITS PAYABLE

Upon cessation of employment with the Convention, permanent employees are entitled to a retiring/severance allowance. This cash payment is equal to one half of one percent of the total accumulated salary paid to the employee over the course of their employment. During the year, the Convention recorded an expenditure of \$2,410 (2009 - \$7,582) pertaining to these future liabilities and paid allowances of \$nil (2009 - \$3,870).



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5. CAPITAL DISCLOSURE

The Convention's objective when managing capital which consists of unrestricted and restricted net assets is to safeguard its ability to continue as a going concern so that it can continue to fulfil its mission.

The Convention sets the amount of capital in proportion to risk. The Convention manages its capital structure and makes adjustments to it in light of changes in economic conditions and the risk characteristics of the underlying assets. In order to maintain or adjust the capital structure, the Convention may undertake to borrow funds or increase fundraising activities as deemed appropriate under specific circumstances.

The Convention is not subject to externally imposed capital requirements and the Convention's overall strategy with respect to capital risk management remains unchanged from the year ended December 31, 2009.

6. ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

		<u>2010</u>		<u>2009</u>
Church contributions receivable	\$	322,647	\$	258,222
Correctional Services of Canada		11,008		5,972
Ministry Preparation Fund grant		50,000		50,000
HST refundable		9,569		9,845
Other	_	21,913		39,798
		415,137		363,837
Bookroom receivables		17,319		15,577
	\$_	432,456	\$_	379,414

7. INVESTMENTS

Investments are comprised of deposit certificates issued by the Atlantic Baptist Foundation as follows:

		20	10			<u>2009</u>
	Ma	rket Value		Cost		Cost
Legacy Fund	\$	357,428	\$	357,428	\$	150,752
Baptist Ministry Preparation Fund		119,508		119,508		31,342
December Communion Offering Fund		5,000		5,000		5,000
Luke Timothy McLay Memorial Scholarship Fund	_	12,676		12,676	_	12,244
	-	494,612		494,612		199,338
Convention - Unrestricted	_	50,000		50,000		*
	\$_	544,612	\$	544,612	\$_	199,338



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8. CAPITAL ASSETS

				2010				<u> 2009</u>
		Cost		cumulated nortization		<u>Net</u>		Net
Convention								
Land	\$	45,000	\$	-	\$	45,000	\$	45,000
Building		641,175		454,705		186,470		202,499
Computer equipment		46,997		42,851		4,146		10,147
Equipment		56,728		41,581		15,147		20,197
Furniture and fixtures		57,072		42,267	_	14,805	_	16,532
	_	846,972		581,404	_	265,568	_	294,375
Bookroom								
Furniture and fixtures		15,480		14,676		804		1,005
Leasehold improvements		86,080		77,472		8,608		25,824
Website		6,500		6,500		-		-
Equipment		44,463	-	40,985		3,478		4,347
	_	152,523	_	139,633	_	12,890	-	31,176
	\$_	999,495	\$_	721,037	\$_	278,458	\$_	325,551

9. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

The accounts receivable from and accounts payable to related organizations, controlled by the Convention by virtue of controlling the appointment of directors, are non-interest bearing, unsecured and have no set terms of repayment.

Church offerings and United in Mission revenue are derived from member Churches.

The Convention provides funding to a number of affiliated agencies and organizations. The amount of distributions and nature of the relationships with these agencies and organizations are as follows:

Organization	Relationship		<u>2010</u>		<u>2009</u>
Acadia Divinity College	Controlled	\$	128,757	\$	128,443
Crandall University	Controlled		142,854		135,744
Canadian Baptist Ministries (CBM)	Significant influence		585,249		612,842
The Sharing Way	Division of CBM		165,859		158,738
Baptist Historical Committee	Controlled		13,475		14,700
Pension and Insurance Board	Controlled		67,554		67,344
Atlantic Baptist Mission Board	Controlled		279,015		347,691
Union of French Baptist Churches	Limited influence	<u></u>	63,262		67,261
		\$_	1,446,025	\$_	1,532,763

Further financial information on the controlled organizations is presented within the Yearbook of the Convention.



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10. COMMITMENTS

The Baptist Bookroom leases retail space which has been accounted for as an operating lease. The minimum annual lease payments over the next year are \$23,915.

The lessor has provided the Baptist Bookroom with a tenant allowance in the amount \$47,299. This tenant allowance has been deferred and is being amortized against the rent expense over the term of the lease.

11. PRIOR PERIOD ADJUSTMENT

During the year, it was determined that Bookroom cost of sales was understated for the year ended December 31, 2009 due to late invoices received after the year end that were not accrued at December 31, 2009.

This error has been recorded as a prior period adjustment. The effect of this correction for the year ended December 31, 2009 is an increase of \$10,571 in cost of sales - Bookroom and accounts payable and accrued liabilities - Bookroom, and a decrease of \$10,571 in net assets - Bookroom.



REPORT OF THE CONVENTION COUNCIL

Introduction:

Each New Year holds its challenges as we seek to serve Christ together, but 2010 has certainly been an historic one for the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches. It witnessed the passage of the General Operating Bylaw to incorporate the Convention and a crystallization of the plans to restructure our Senior Staff. Both of these major initiatives will continue to be important in 2011 as churches and Associations freely choose to join the newly incorporated CABC and public meetings are held to review the Senior Staff Restructuring Proposal. Council also began an initiative in 2010 that sought to provide leadership which would focus our efforts on better fulfilling the Great Commission.

The ongoing work of monitoring our Convention Boards, working with our partners, monitoring the work of our Executive Minister and, through him, helping to provide oversight to our staff and our financial responsibilities, continued throughout the year. We are extremely well served by a small but committed staff and the capable and compassionate leadership of our Executive Minister. The volunteers who comprise the Council have worked well together to serve our family of churches and Associations. The following report is a summary of our work together to be and make "disciples of Jesus Christ, who are integrated into the life and ministry of healthy, growing churches, committed to fulfilling the Great Commission and the doing of God's will on earth."

Council Meetings and Major Activities:

January 15th Conference Call

Council met to discuss Draft #3 of the Operating Bylaw, proposed to facilitate the incorporation of the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches, which had been distributed earlier. After discussion the Bylaw was approved by Council and posted on Convention's website. Information about accessing the Bylaw was also distributed to pastors and clerks of member churches, as well as moderators and clerks of Associations.

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April 2010 Council Meeting

Highlights:

1. Council met in Saint John on April 15th and 16th 2010. Compliance Reports were received from the Atlantic Baptist Mission Board, the Atlantic Baptist Senior Citizens' Homes Inc., the Atlantic Baptist Foundation and the Pension and Insurance Board. (For details see Monitoring Reports for Subsidiary Boards). A working group was created to examine how to include the Atlantic Baptist Mission Board's restructuring plan into the Senior Staff Review and plan for the 200th Anniversary of the Board in 2014.

- 2. The Executive Minister Compliance Report was presented and discussed with particular focus on the financial accountability of Council. Discussion centered on the benefits of establishing an Audit Committee of Council to work with the Treasurer and Auditors. The Auditors from Teed Saunders Doyle & Co. presented their report which discussed the audit performed and reviewed our financial statements. When asked about the value of an Audit Committee, they endorsed the idea. After the Treasurer's report was received, Council decided to create a five person Audit Committee.
- 3. Mr. Daryl Mackenzie presented the United in Mission Proposed Budget for 2011 of \$2,600,000. This represents \$40,000 or -1.52% over the 2010 Proposed Budget. However it is approximately \$168,000 over the actual 2010 Budget or a 6.90% increase. After discussion Council approved the 2011 Proposed Budget.
- 4. Rev. Wayne Murphy, on behalf of the Board of Ministerial Standards and Education presented a request that the Baptist Ministry Preparation Fund be a bona fide fund of the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches. Council approved the request to make people more aware of the Fund and facilitate the growth of the Fund. Council later passed a motion to donate \$50,000 to the Baptist Ministry Preparation Fund from the Legacy with \$100,000 being invested with the Atlantic Baptist Foundation.
- 5. A report on the Senior Staff Review was given by our Executive Minister. He explained the rationale for the review, the mandate from Council, and the results of survey with clergy and church leaders, George Bullard's Report and plans for Focus Group meetings in late April and May. A final report will be prepared for November 2010.

6. Mr. Scott Ryder, Chair of the Baptist Bookroom Committee reported via speaker phone that the Bookroom was operating in the black with a surplus of over\$35,000 and an increase in sales of \$17,000. The Baptist Bookroom is in its 50th year and its lease is coming up for renewal in 2011. Council approved the report and requested an update in November 2010.

- 7. Rev. Dale Stairs gave an update on preparations for Oasis 2010. Discussion focused on the need for extra business time to deal with Incorporation and the inclusion of an FAQ Session for Incorporation.
- 8. Rev. Ogueri Ohanaka, Chair of the Racism Working Group (RWG), gave a verbal presentation of the RWG's Final Report. He reviewed the ten year experience of the RWG, including challenges, issues, obstacles, education and reconciliation on racism within our Convention. Recommendations will be in the written report for a continuation of the Racism Working Group's work in an Ethnic Ministries Department.

August 11th Conference Call

Council met to discuss several suggested amendments to the Bylaw for presentation at Oasis 2010. Most of the suggested amendments were a response to questions or comments from churches or Associations concerning the interpretation of several articles in the Bylaw. The effect of most of the recommended amendment was to protect local church autonomy. It was explained that these amendments would be highlighted in the copy of the Bylaw in the delegate packets and presented for acceptance with the Bylaw, since the Bylaw itself had not yet been approved by the member's delegates. Council approved each of the recommended amendments.

August 18th 2010 Council Meeting

Highlights:

1. Council discussed the progress on the Senior Staff Review. Council felt it was time to bring a broader cross-section of voices in the process, so it was decided to create a CABC Restructuring Working Group. The Executive Minister, and the incoming Present and Past President were given authority to create a working group, representative of our constituency, which would provide input, reaction and feedback to the Senior Staff Restructuring Proposal.

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- 2. Miss Alma Johnston reported that there was a good response to the AUBA Financial Appeal.
- 3. The Nominating Report was presented, and discussed for presentation at Oasis 2010. The Report had been approved at the April Council meeting.
- 4. The written Final Report of the Racism Working Group was received. Their recommendations were discussed and added to Council's September agenda for further action.
- 5. The presentation of the Incorporation Bylaw was discussed along with the FAQ Session scheduled for later in the day. The updated Bylaw motion was presented in written form, discussed and approved. Council also approved the letters to go to the churches and Associations in September, if the Bylaw is passed at Oasis 2010.
- 6. There was discussion about the Examining Council's recommendations on the ordination of candidates. It was recommended that supervisors need to have input into the candidate's statement of faith before coming to the Examining Council. Council will review these recommendations.

September 16-18, 2010 Council Meeting

Highlights:

- 1. The September meeting of Council is legally the Annual General Meeting of the Council of the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches and requires a series of enabling motions to be passed. These include the affirmation of Council as a Corporation, the affirmation of the appointment of the Treasurer, the election of the Executive and the election of the Board of Directors. Each of these motions was passed.
- 2. Council discussed the planning, execution and evaluation of Oasis 2010. Discussion about plans for Oasis 2011 also took place. Plans for an FAQ Session for the Senior Staff Restructuring Proposal and a larger budget for the Executive Minister's Kitchen Party were mentioned. Thanks were extended to Rev. Dale Stairs and his committee for the fine leadership they provided in organizing this event.

3. The Atlantic Baptist Mission Board Working Group established in April reported to Council. It recommended that the ABMB Restructuring be infolded into the Senior Staff Restructuring Proposal and that the ABMB itself work on the celebration plans for its 200th Anniversary. Rev. Drs. Malcolm Becket and Peter Reid were given the responsibility to work on blending the two restructuring processes.

- 4. The next steps in the Incorporation of Convention were discussed and the Vice President, President and Past President were assigned the responsibility to sign the application. Further comments were made about how to continue to communicate with our membership about the need to vote on joining the newly incorporated CABC. A sub-committee was formed to take the suggestions Council discussed and provide some direction on how to continue to promote incorporation.
- 5. Rev. Dr. Peter Reid provided a written Compliance Report that was discussed at length with Council. Dr. Reid also provided a paper on Senior Staff Restructuring which included a review of the feedback from the focus groups held in late April and May. Council moved that the terms of all staff be extended to December 2011 to enable the restructuring process to be completed.
- 6. Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles brought a report from a sub-committee which reviewed the Examining Council's recommendation at the August meeting. This included suggested revisions to two documents, "Regulations Concerning the Ministry (Updated August 2009)" and "Auxiliary Materials to the Regulations Concerning the Ministry Re. Examination for Ordination." The President was directed to write the Board of Ministerial Standards and Education (BMSE) explaining the Examining Council's request, and the sub-committee's work and recommended with a view to having the BMSE make the changes they feel appropriate.
- 7. Rev. Dr. Malcolm Card, acting General Secretary of Canadian Baptist Ministries, gave a presentation to Council on the work we do together through CBM. He included information on leadership development, sustainable community development, pioneer outreach, global discipleship, STMs, and STEP. Dr. Card also mentioned some of the CBM personnel from Atlantic Canada and their mission focus as well as prayer concerns. The latter included financial issues, which were graphically illustrated over the last 20 years.
- 8. Dr. Lois Mitchell summarized the Racism Working Group's mandate and its proposal for an Ethnic Ministries Department. After considerable discussion Council decided to create an Interim Working Group to continue to address the issues that the Racism Working Group has initiated, while the Senior Staff Restructuring Proposal considers that nature of any future Ethnic Ministries Department.

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9. Rev. Stephen McMullin made a presentation to Council on behalf of ADC New Brunswick Extension. As Director of the new Extension Program, Rev. McMullin outlined the advantages and opportunities for theological education soon to be available under this initiative. Council discussed pastoral retention in the ministry and ways to help implement practical leadership training and mentoring for new pastors.

10. The President asked Council to consider the question: How do we maintain a missional focus while we are focused on major changes like Incorporation and the Senior Staff Restructuring Proposal? Council brainstormed twenty-one ideas, and selected three priorities. They are: 1) Encourage more practical leadership training in all Acadia Divinity College's theological training programs, since ADC is presently reviewing all their program as part of their accreditation process. 2) Challenge our people throughout Atlantic Canada to pray for revival and a fresh movement of the Holy Spirit. 3) Create a webpage on our website that has a selection of stories, ideas, resources and aides to help churches and church groups to become more missional in their own context.

November 18-20, 2010

Highlights:

- 1. The November Council meeting was held at First Baptist Church in Charlottetown, PEI on the 18th, 19th and 20th of November, 2010. In addition to the scheduled monitoring reports and Ends Policy Review (see Monitoring Reports for Subsidiary Boards), Council heard reports from several sub-committees and devoted much of its time to discussing and analysing the Senior Staff Restructuring Proposal.
- 2. Council heard an updated report on the Baptist Bookroom from Mr. Scott Ryder via speakerphone. The lease is up for renewal in 2011 and Mr. Ryder recommended extending the lease in the present location. Council wanted to take a detailed look at this recommendation since it involved a long term commitment that could have financial implications. A three person sub-committee, chaired by the Vice President, was chosen to review the lease options and the issue of continuation of the Bookroom. Recommendations would come back to Council on or before the April 2011 Council meeting.
- 3. Dr. Lois Mitchell sought Council's permission to seek a grant from the Atlantic Baptist Foundation to develop materials for a Child Protection Policy for many of our small or midsized churches. Council agreed.

4. An Audit Committee of Council was recommended in April but not formed. Three members of Council, Rev. Michael Trites, Mrs. Mary Billard and Miss Alma Johnston agreed to serve on the committee.

- 5. An update on Council's three missional priorities was given by our Executive Minister and President. A letter was sent to Dr. Gardner, President of Acadia Divinity College concerning the inclusion of more practical leadership training in their programs. In ADC's monitoring report and the discussion that followed it was clear they were already moving in this direction. There was discussion of some cooperative opportunities for Convention and ADC to foster in this area.
- 6. The second priority was a call to prayer. The President sent letters to pastors and churches in October announcing the beginning of 'the Group of Seven' prayer initiative. It initially began with a request for pastors to identify 'prayer warriors' that may be interested in praying daily for three concerns. Later in the month it was opened up to everyone as a general call for prayer within our Convention. The third priority of collecting stories, ideas and resources had not really begun yet.
- 7. Interim Working Group to address issues of the Racism Working Group is in the formation stage. Dr. Reid reported that he is waiting to hear back from several candidates.
- 8. Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles brought a report on the work of the Senior Staff Restructuring Working Group and Rev. Dr. Peter Reid brought a report on the Senior Staff Restructuring Proposal. After explanation of the progress to date and clarification of the different aspects of the proposal, Council went into in camera sessions to analysis the details of the proposal. Considerable time was spent each of the three days on the proposal. Council's work focused on seeking clarification on several aspects of our work together as a Convention that would be affected by the proposal, refining a number of aspects of the proposal and the organizational chart that accompanied it, and anticipating questions or concerns of our constituency. The Senior Staff Restructuring Proposal was approved in principal by Council and the working group was directed to clarify several of the items discussed.

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Monitoring Reports for Subsidiary Boards

Article VI of the Convention's Constitution states, in part:

(1) The Council of The Convention, acting as the agent of The Convention between assemblies of The Convention, shall have the responsibility to:

- (a) Provide visionary and strategic leadership;
- (b) Present to The Convention meeting in assembly suggested goals to achieve the mission of The Convention in the areas of evangelism, teaching and service;
- (c) Develop the policies and strategies to achieve the goals approved by The Convention meeting in assembly;
- (d) On behalf of The Convention, hold all affiliated boards and agencies accountable to these goals;
- (e) Oversee the financial affairs of The Convention and the drawing of the budget for Assembly;
- (f) Report annually to The Convention meeting in assembly regarding the achievement of its work in the above areas.

In order to fulfill this mandate and to monitor the activities of the Convention and subsidiary boards between Assemblies, reports are presented to the Convention Council throughout the year according to the following schedule:

April: Pension and Insurance Board

Atlantic Baptist Foundation Board of Directors

Atlantic Baptist Senior Citizens' Homes Inc. Board of Directors

September: Atlantic Baptist Mission Board

Canadian Baptist Ministries (not reporting as a subsidiary board but sharing information as a ministry partner)

November: Atlantic Baptist University Board of Governors

Acadia Divinity College Board of Trustees

Board of Ministerial Standards and Education

Since November 2003, the Council has been operating as a Policy Governance Board, which governs by creating Ends policies and Executive Limitations policies. An excellent overview of Policy Governance is provided in the first section of the Council's Policies Manual available on the Convention's web site.

Ends policies state the purpose of the Convention, that is, the results, outcomes, or benefits it will produce. Executive Limitations policies set forth the limits on the authority of the Executive Minister and the subsidiary boards by establishing the prudent and ethical boundaries within which they must operate in accomplishing the Ends. For each subsidiary agency those policies are:

- 1. Treatment of Those Who Use Their Services
- 2. Treatment of Employees*
- 3. Treatment of Volunteers
- 4. Compensation and Benefits*
- 5. Financial Planning and Budgeting
- 6. Financial Condition and Activities Page D-6 Convention Council
- 7. Asset Protection
- 8. Communication and Support to the Council
- 9. Ends Focus of Grants or Contracts
- 10. Emergency Succession of the CEOs of Subsidiary Boards*

Note: Those items marked * do not apply to: the Atlantic Baptist Mission Board, the Pension and Insurance Board, or the Board of Ministerial Standards and Education because the Convention senior staff members who serve as CEO of these Boards are appointed by the Convention Assembly and these specific items come under the Limitations Policy for the Executive Minister. The chair and CEO of each subsidiary board were invited to present their reports and discuss them with Council.

Atlantic Baptist Mission Board:

Rev. Drs. Morley Shaw and Malcolm Beckett presented the compliance report of the Atlantic Baptist Mission Board. Dr. Shaw explained how the board is active in pursuit of its mandate through the promotion and support of a variety of programs. The Lay Pastors Training Program enrolled 260 students with 114 graduates between 2000 and 2009. Natural Church Development sessions have occurred in Halifax, St. John's, Moncton, and Fredericton. Four seminars in Nova Scotia and one in New Brunswick were held on "Healthy Small Churches". Initiatives have been made on investigating ministry to New Canadians, participating in Francophone Ministries and reaching out to the Chinese community in Fredericton.

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Dr. Beckett discussed Pastoral Ministry Grants and the transition from Pastoral Grants to Ministry Grants that the board has undertaken. He also led the Council in discussion on the restructuring that the Atlantic Baptist Mission Board has commenced. This would reduce the number of board members and board responsibilities. The new board would be purely legal and administrative, the ministry and mission function would fall more under the direction of the Executive Minister. Council expressed the desire to see the board's restructuring coordinated with the larger restructuring of Senior Staff that is currently underway. This responsibility was passed to Dr. Beckett and Dr. Reid.

Council expressed its thanks to Drs. Beckett and Shaw for the work of the Atlantic Baptist Mission Board in supporting the work that we do together as a family of churches in attempting to fulfill Christ Great Commission.

Date Shared with the Chair of the Board: March 28, 2011

Signed by the Chair of the Board, Jennifer Riley, April 12, 2011

Signed by the President of Convention, Mr. Douglas Schofield, May 19, 2011

Atlantic Baptist Senior Citizens' Homes, Inc.:

Mr. Steven Campbell, Executive Director of Senior Housing, and Barbara Tremble Cook, Executive Director of Nursing Homes and Mr. Walter Balasiuk, Chair of the Board of Directors of Atlantic Baptist Senior Citizens' Homes Inc. presented a report that demonstrated compliance in all areas to Council. Council expressed appreciation for the thoroughness of their report and for the commitment to excellence of the staff and board in fulfilling their mission.

Council commended the board for incorporating the signing of the Covenant of Christian Workers into the board's policy "Expectations of Position" as recommended by Council.

Date Shared with the Chair of the Board: March 28, 2011

Signed by the Chair of the Board, Mr. Ken Milner, April 14, 2011

Signed by the President of Convention, Mr. Douglas Schofield, May 19, 2011

Atlantic Baptist Foundation:

Mr Douglas Beaman, Chair of the Board of Directors and Mr. Bob Martin, Chief Administrative Officer of the Atlantic Baptist Foundation presented their compliance report to Council. Mr. Beaman and Mr. Martin discussed the operations of the Foundation and reported compliance with the Ends Policies of CABC as they gave their report and shared stories regarding the assistance given to churches, agencies and ministries within Convention.

Mr. Martin noted that the 50th Anniversary of the Atlantic Baptist Foundation will be celebrated in 2011. He hopes to be able to write a history of the Atlantic Baptist Foundation. Council expressed appreciation to the Atlantic Baptist Foundation for the faithful work of the Board of Directors and staff as they partner together with us.

Date Shared with the Chair of the Board: March 28, 2011

Signed by the Chair of the Board, Mr. John Lean, March 28, 2011

Signed by the President of Convention, Mr. Douglas Schofield, May 19, 2011

Pension and Insurance Board:

Mr. Robert H. Young, Chair of the Pension and Insurance Board and Mr. Daryl MacKenzie, Director of Operations, presented the compliance report of the Pension and Insurance Board. Concern was expressed that financial planning for the Board is affected by the difference between what their budgeted allotment and their actual receipts from "United in Mission". The Board's mandate is carried out in a confidential manner. Annual audits are performed by chartered accountants, financial records and controls are maintained according to generally accepted accounting principles and the Board receives and approves audited financial statements. All investments are held in low risk investments.

As well as financial planning and asset protection, information was provided on grants and contracts, the mandate of the Board, the rate of pension contribution, the Record Keeper for the pension plan, Sun Life Financial, and the Consultant for the plan, Proteus Performance Management. It was reported that the Board moved its medical/dental plan on Feb.1, 2008 from a fully insured plan to Administrative Services Only (ASO). This assumes more risk but allows for more stable premiums. After two years the ASO program has worked well and a healthy reserve has been built up which resulted in an improvement in the reimbursement for vision care from \$125 to \$200. After discussion on several aspects of the report, Council thanked Mr. Young and Mr. MacKenzie for their detailed reporting.

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Date Shared with the Chair of the Board: Monday, March 28, 2011

Signed by the Chair of the Board, Mr. Robert Young, March 28, 20011

Signed by the President of Convention, Mr. Douglas Schofield, May 19, 2011

Acadia Divinity College:

Rev. Dr. Harry Gardner, President of Acadia Divinity College and Rev. Greg Doyle, Vice-Chair of the Board of Trustees of Acadia Divinity College presented three reports to Council. 'The Monitoring Report of the Board of Trustees' covered a wide range of topics including the College's mission, an overview of its academic programs, compliance with treatment of those who use its services, employees, and volunteers. Compliance was also demonstrated on the treatment of those who use their services; employees; volunteers; compensation and benefits; financial planning and budgeting; financial condition and activities; asset protection; communication and support to Council; grants and contracts; emergency succession; and, the mandate of the Board of Governors.

A 'Registrar's Report' was also presented which detailed enrolment for 2009 and 2010 for each academic program. "The Full Time Equivalency for 2010 is 62.63 plus 57 DMIN students. In 2009 the FTE was 59.09 with 35 DMIN students." More encouraging was the growth in Incoming Students. "This year we have experienced a 90% increase in the number of Incoming Students; 61 Incoming Students compared to 32 in 2009." A modest growth in the number of degree program students was predicted for the Winter Term (January to April, 2011).

The President's Report explained a number of initiatives the College has undertaken. A Self-Study report of the Board of Trustees has been adopted, concluding 18 months of work. This will led to implementing a series of recommendations and the development of a Strategic Plan for the Board. The President also reported on a number of administrative changes over the summer, the anticipated release of the O'Neil report, which will provide recommendations to the government of Nova Scotia concerning a future strategy for universities in the Province, and discussions with the President of Acadia University regarding funding.

A Special Committee on Curriculum has been launched to make recommendations on the overall degree programs going forward, the content of particular courses and the delivery system of the courses and degree programs. ADC was involved in the ATS accreditation process this year. The decision of ATS has not been announced but a positive outcome is anticipated.

Council had opportunity to discuss a variety of issues with the President and Vice-Chair including our request for a greater degree of practical leadership training to be included in their program. The direction is already being perused by the College and some opportunities for cooperation between ADC and the Convention exist. The Statement of Faith has been an ongoing point of discussion with the College and work continues in that area. The delivery of courses and programs through the use of technology and off site extension offering was also discussed as well as the College's need to develop streams of income for its continued financial health.

Council expressed its appreciation for the openness and candour of the presentation by the Divinity College. Appreciation was also the important work they oversee on our behalf and in obedience to our Lord's call on their lives.

Date Shared with the Chair of the Board: Monday, March 28, 2011

Signed by the Chair of the Board, Dr. John Stewart, Thursday, April 14, 2011

Signed by the President of Convention, Mr. Douglas Schofield, May 19, 2011

Crandall University:

Mr. Greg Cook, Chair of the Board of Governors, and Rev. Dr. Brian MacArthur, President of Crandall University, presented the compliance report for Crandall University to Council. The report detailed the University's compliance with Ends Policy, specifically related to Crandall's mandate "to provide university education with a philosophy and viewpoint that is Christian..." and to produce graduates who "will be academically and professionally exemplary, morally and spiritually discerning, possessing a Christian worldview whereby they positively influence society."

Evidence was provided of compliance with the Global Executive Constraints through the employment of Grant Thornton to audit the finances of the university; the approval of Executive Limitations policies which bind the President to conformity to CABC policy "in the operation of the University and in the advancement of its Christ-centered mission." Compliance was also demonstrated with regard to the following: the treatment of those who use their services; employees; volunteers; compensation and benefits; financial planning and budgeting; financial condition and activities; asset protection; communication and support to Council; grants and contracts; emergency succession; and the mandate of the Board of Governors.

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Enrolment information for the last six years was presented and discussed as an indicator of growth. Enrolment for the 2010-2011 academic year was a little lower than anticipated. This has placed some financial restraint on the University. The Capital Campaign was reported on by the Board's Chair. The Campaign is going well with over two-thirds of the money raised. Donations from churches are lower than anticipated to date.

The past year has witnessed several highlights. The Crandall University Act, 2010 was given Royal Assent by the Lieutenant Governor of the New Brunswick Legislature on April 16, 2010. This makes the name change from Atlantic Baptist University to Crandall University legal and final. On June 17, 2010 the University's first academic building was formally named The Stuart E. Murray Hall, recognizing the work and influence of Dr. Stuart E. Murray, the University's third President. On August 21, 2010 a service of Christian Dedication was held for the new academic building and on September 8, 2010 approximately 500 people attended the official opening of the new academic building named The Jack and Grace Stultz Hall. This was a fitting recognition for 36 years of service to the University by the current Chancellor and his wife.

Leading initiatives and issues for the University include the approval of a new residence, an investigation by the CAUT, and its quest for membership within the AUCC. The Board approved the construction of a student apartment building as part of the Future Foundations Capital Campaign. Unfortunately winter conditions delayed the start of construction until spring. The Canadian Association of University Teachers (CAUT) initiated an investigation of Crandall based on the CAUT definition of academic freedom and Crandall's requirement for faculty to adhere to its Statement of Faith. CAUT was not acting on a complaint or request by a Crandall employee, but initiated this action on its own volition, having initiated similar action against other Christian universities in Canada.

Crandall representatives also updated the Council on the status of the University's application for membership to The Association of Universities and Colleges of Canada (AUCC). The process is continuing as the University seeks additional clarification on the criteria for AUCC acceptance of 'faith based' universities.

Council recognized the challenges faced by the President and Board of Governors of Crandall University in seeking AUCC membership and in responding to the CAUT decision, and applauded the University's steadfast promotion of the legitimacy of a Christian worldview in the academic community.

Date Shared with the Chair of the Board: March 28, 2011

Signed by the Chair of the Board, Mr. Greg Cook, March 29, 2011

Signed by the President of Convention, Mr. Douglas Schofield, May 19, 2011

Monitoring of the Executive Minister:

The Executive Minister presents monitoring reports to the April, September, and November meetings of the Council according to a regular schedule. Part of the Executive Minister's monitoring is related to Ends Policies that deal with administrative duties related to the proper functioning of the Convention as an organization and part of his monitoring is related to visioning and ministry leadership.

Compliance was demonstrated on the treatment of those who use their services; employees; volunteers; compensation and benefits; financial planning and budgeting; financial condition and activities; asset protection; communication and support to Council; grants and contracts; and, the mandate of the Board of Governors. One area that was out of compliance was emergency succession, so Rev. Dr. Malcolm Beckett joined Council meeting this year to fulfill this requirement.

Rev. Dr. Peter Reid has spent a great deal of time this year providing visionary leadership in the ministry arena of his mandate. This was evident in the discussions on Incorporation but even more so in the Senior Staff Review and then the Restructuring process. Countless drafts, consultations, communications, numerous meetings and presentations were added to an already full schedule. His leadership has been wise and gracious, as well as consultative and responsive to feedback. He has enthusiastically endorsed the missional focus of Council and blended it with the vision for growth in the Restructuring Proposal. God has blessed us through Dr. Reid's leadership.

Date Shared with the Executive Minister: March 28, 2011

Signed by the Executive Minister, Dr. Rev. Peter Reid, March 28, 2011

Signed by the President of Convention, Mr. Douglas Schofield, May 19, 2011

Council Self-Monitoring:

The Council has established a three-year rotation for reviewing its policies. In addition to this, at each regular meeting of the Council, a member volunteers to monitor how well the Council has functioned using the form below.

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In a continual effort to improve its Policy Governance process, the Council of the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches uses this form to evaluate its progress. The appointed Council member evaluator completes this form and reports at the conclusion of each Council meeting. The evaluator evaluates the Council as a whole, and not individual members.

Instructions: In questions 1-5, S indicates Satisfactory, NI indicates Needs Improvement, and UNS indicates Unsatisfactory. In question 6, 1 is low score and 5 is high.

1. The Council was prepared for the meeting.	UNS N	I S	
2. The Council's time was appropriately spent on Ends as opposed to means	UNS N	I S	
3. Each Council member was given an adequate opportunity to participate in			
discussion and decision making.		UNS NI S	
4. The Council's treatment of all persons was courteous, dignified, and fair		UNS NI S	
5. The Council adhered to Robert's Rules of Order.		UNS NI S	
6. The Council adhered to its adopted governance style: (1=low score; 5=high score)			
a. It emphasized outward vision.		1 2 3 4 5	
b. It encouraged diversity in viewpoints.		1 2 3 4 5	
c. It exercised strategic leadership more than overseeing administrative detail.		1 2 3 4 5	
d. It maintained a clear distinction between Council and staff roles.	1 2 3	1 5	
e. It used collective decision making.	1 2 3	1 5	
f. It looked to the future.		1 2 3 4 5	

7. Evaluator's comments:

Over this past two years, we have additionally made room for a "mid-term" report, whereby the evaluator takes five minutes in the middle of each set of meetings to give a preliminary impression of the Council's effectiveness. We have found this quite helpful in improving the quality of the meeting.

The overall purpose (or Global Ends) of our Convention is the guiding principle for all that we

do: The Purpose of the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches is being and making disciples of Jesus Christ, who are integrated into the life and ministry of healthy, growing churches, committed to fulfilling the Great Commission and the doing of God's will on earth. However, we do not believe that the Ends automatically justify the means. That is why we have the Global Executive Constraint policies: *The Executive Minister [or the Subsidiary Boards] shall not cause or allow any practice, activity, decision, or organizational circumstance that is inconsistent with biblical faith and practice, directives of Assembly, unlawful, imprudent, or in violation of commonly accepted ministry, business, and professional ethics.*

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Council seeks to fulfill its mandate of providing "visionary and strategic leadership" through a variety of means. One method is through the monitoring the subsidiary boards, the Executive Minister and itself and presenting "suggested goals to achieve the mission of The Convention", developing "policies and strategies to achieve the goals", and holding "all affiliated boards and agencies accountable to these goals." (Article VI of the Constitution of CABC) The Council deeply appreciates the dedicated work and cooperative spirit of all who partner together at every level of the Convention.

In 2010 Council was also involved in three major initiatives to provide "visionary and strategic leadership". The Incorporation of the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches was approved by Oasis 2010 by an overwhelming majority of delegates after four years of drafts, consultations, public meetings, submissions and debate. The Senior Staff Restructuring Proposal is a vision driven document that seeks to answer the question; where does God want us to be as a family of churches in 2025? The 'missional priorities' of Council established in September 2010 also provide practical direction to help us to fulfill the mission that our Lord gave us in Matthew 28: 18-20.

My year as President has been interesting, challenging, and full of unexpected blessings. I am indebted and grateful for the unfailing support of Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles, Past President, Rev. Daniel Walton, Vice President, the gifted members of Council, Rev. Dr. Peter Reid, the Executive Minister, and all the faithful staff at the Convention office. Thank you for your prayers and support.

"Is there any encouragement from belonging to Christ? Any comfort from his love? Any fellowship together in the Spirit? Are your hearts tender and sympathetic? Then make me truly happy by agreeing wholeheartedly with each other, loving one another, and working together with one heart and purpose." Philippians 2:1-2 (NLT)

Respectfully submitted,

Douglas Schofield, President

EXECUTIVE MINISTER

Annual Report to the Convention

As I think about the Convention family of churches I am reminded of Paul's letter to the Philippians. The opening of Paul's letter has a greeting, a thanksgiving and a prayer for the believers at Philippi. In fact Paul's greeting, thanksgiving and prayer echo every sentiment I have for each of you as we partner together for the greater good of the Kingdom of God. Permit me to share them with you to encourage you as you partner together in the Convention of Atlantic Churches. First, a greeting; "Grace and peace to you from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ" (Philippians 1:2 NIV). Next, a thanksgiving; "I thank my God every time I remember you" (Philippians 1:3NIV). Finally, a prayer for you, "In all my prayers for all of you, I always pray with joy because of your partnership in the gospel from the first day until now, being confident of this, that he who began a good work in you will carry it on to completion until the day of Christ Jesus" (Philippians 1:4-6 NIV). I do experience great joy when thinking about our partnership together and I trust the Lord Jesus Christ to complete His good work in our churches in the coming days.

Convention Incorporation

I must say it has been a rather eventful year in the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches. In August, 2010 the delegates voted overwhelmingly to adopt a new Bylaw document that helps clarify our core beliefs and guide our organization as we seek to do ministry in Atlantic Canada and beyond in the 21st Century. One of the things we discovered was the need to give each church the right to make a decision to affirm its intention to join the newly Incorporated Convention and we have watched with interest as letters from various churches and Associations have made this decision and forwarded their letters to the Executive Minister's office. In the past few months several concerned individuals and churches have expressed fear that the new Bylaw document encroaches on the autonomy of the local church. Convention Council has been seeking to address these concerns and is bringing a number of minor corrections and changes to the delegates this summer to help clarify the document. Beyond these changes Council also struck a small committee to review several new submissions and make recommendation back to Council regarding any further amendments. The Sub-committee has begun its work and plans to have a final submission for Council by November, 2011. Having said this it is good to note that over 75% of churches and associations have already voted to affirm their membership in the Convention and we anticipate this percentage to go much higher in the next few weeks. I want to give special thanks to our President, Mr. Doug Schofield who has worked tirelessly and has graciously presented the case for joining the Incorporated Convention at a number of churches and associations. Doug has been a wonderful ambassador for the Convention and has represented us with excellence and grace.

Senior Staff Proposal

I want to say a few words about the Senior Staff Restructuring Proposal that will be voted on at Oasis Assembly. For over two years we have studied and prayed and worked very hard to understand what kind of vision the Lord would have for this Convention and how we should align our Senior Staff to fulfil this vision. In September of 2010, Council appointed a Restructuring Working Group to work alongside the Executive Minister in refining and developing a Senior Staff Restructuring Proposal which would position the Convention for future growth while at the same time acknowledging our present fiscal reality and the need to balance the Convention's books. With the help of Dr. Robert Knowles (chair) and the working group (comprised of Dr. Robert Knowles, Mr. Doug Schofield, Rev. Cheryl Ann Beals, Mrs. Shirley Pearce, Sarah Dail, Rev. Stephen Cogswell, Dr. Brian MacArthur, Rev. Daniel Cormier and, Dr. Terry Atkinson), the proposal began to take shape. The working group was invaluable in helping shape and refine the proposal into a document that Convention Council approved to present to the delegates at Oasis.

The Senior Staff Proposal outlines some of the warning signs of decline. Along with many other Christian organizations we are experiencing great challenges in these days. We are an older "mainline" denomination of aging churches many of which are serving Christ in shrinking communities. Just like the rest of the world, Atlantic Canada is affected by the Global trend of migration of people toward the urban centers. As well we are seeing an increasing number of people emigrating to Atlantic Canada, many settling in urban centers as well. A number of people in our churches are discouraged, tired and quite confounded because it seems that all of our efforts are not making the impact for the Kingdom of God we desire. Quite a few of our churches are in decline, attendance is shrinking, buildings are getting older and are in need of repair, heating costs are rising and there is a prevailing apathy in a number of our congregations. In the past, it seemed if we prayed more and worked harder we could attract many people to our churches. But as Dorothy said in, The Wizard of Oz, "We aren't in Kansas anymore!" Certainly, as a denomination we are experiencing challenges in almost all areas of ministry. For approximately the past twenty years, apart from one or two exceptions, we have failed to meet our budget as a Convention. In fact it appears that for many years now we have received approximately 90% of the approved budget. A number of our churches are struggling to meet budgets and some have reduced or are seriously considering cutting their UIM giving in order to maintain local ministries. We are attempting to provide all of the current ministries to our churches yet struggling with the effect of inflation on ministry dollars. Staff regularly creates an in house working budget based on 90% of the budget approved by Convention Council and the Assembly delegates. As we move forward, it is imperative for the Convention to get its fiscal house in order and live within our means.

The Senior Staff Proposal is not simply about cuts to our budget but the Proposal is designed to be visionary and outline a new and exciting way forward. This way forward may be challenging but, through prayer, dreaming and creatively seeking to do ministry together it is a real possibility. The following paragraphs are found in the Senior Staff Restructuring Proposal and represent the vision and thinking of the Executive Minister and the Convention Council.

The challenge we face provides a unique opportunity to dream of a new and renewed future as a denominational entity in Atlantic Canada. As leaders we should be open to pray and think about a new future for the churches and associations that make up the Convention. The following words of George Bernard Shaw once paraphrased by President John F. Kennedy are still relevant; "There are people who look at the way things are and ask 'Why?' there are others who look at the way things could be and ask 'Why not?'"

There are significant opportunities for outreach growth through starting new congregations as well as re-planting churches that have lost visibility. This means that as a Convention we must be willing to consider the potential and see the fields which are white unto harvest. It is interesting that groups like the Southern Baptists are aggressively targeting communities in Atlantic Canada for evangelism and Church Planting. There are communities in Atlantic Canada with little or no Christian witness. There are communities that are under-churched and need a greater Christian presence. There are churches that need a renewal of a sense of vision and mission for the community they serve.

Many of these opportunities are among various ethnic groups in Atlantic Canada. There are great opportunities for new ministries and new churches among African Canadians; New Canadians, First Nations People, Acadians and other ethnic groups. As we strengthen our ties with the African United Baptist Association and the French Baptist Union and work together we will heighten our understanding and our effectiveness in ethnic ministry. We have this window of opportunity to be proactive and write our own history in advance. The status quo is not an option; if we try to maintain what we have we will surely continue down the slippery slope of spiritual lethargy and decline as a denomination. If we as a family of churches take this mandate seriously and respond prayerfully we have an opportunity to be a stronger, healthier more vital Convention.

Meetings & Travel

I attended meetings of the various Boards and Committees that make up the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches. I have participated in Board Meetings with Crandall University, Acadia Divinity College, the Executive of Acadia University, the Atlantic Baptist Senior Citizens' Homes, the Atlantic Baptist Foundation, the Racism Working Group, Canadian Baptist Ministries and, the Board of Ministerial Standards and Education. Each of these agencies and partners is doing amazing work for the Kingdom of God and I am very encouraged by our partnership together. I have continued to travel and speak in our churches and associations across the Convention and it is always so encouraging to see God working in our churches.

One of the privileges I have as Executive Minister is to meet with my counterparts from across Canada, it is an important opportunity to strengthen relationships and share common concerns and ideas. Prior to each CBM Board meeting the Presidents and Executive Ministers along with the Presidents of the Women's Organizations meet with the General Secretary of CBM to discuss our Partnership as Canadian Baptists, this too is an informative and rich experience.

Convention Staff & Volunteers

I am honoured to work with a great team of Senior Staff people who have been incredibly patient during a rather lengthy process of Staff Review, I know it has not been an easy time and I am deeply thankful for the faithfulness and professionalism of our Staff. We have a dedicated support staff team at the office in Saint John and each one is to be commended for the good work that is accomplished. There is such a strong sense that our staff see work as ministry not just employment.

Dr. Robert Knowles provided exceptional leadership to Convention Council and was certainly a sure and steady hand as we grappled with an historic decision in August, 2010 in accepting the new Bylaw document. Thanks Bob, for giving leadership for "such a time as this." Doug Schofield took over as President in August, 2010 and has provided excellent leadership; it is a privilege for me to work with dedicated and talented leaders such as this. Through Doug's direction Council emphasized the need to pray and to challenge others to pray for spiritual renewal in the Convention. We have spent significant time as a Council seeking to present a vision for a missional emphasis for ministry in these days.

Concluding Thoughts

We are definitely living in challenging days but I am convinced that if people in the Convention family are willing to seek the Lord we will see renewal in our churches and in our communities. At the same time it must be acknowledged that there are examples of God working in powerful ways in congregations across the Atlantic Provinces, for this we give thanks. I believe it is critical for us to return to the pioneering, entrepreneurial spirit of our Baptist forefathers and mothers who were passionate about the Gospel of Jesus Christ and refused to be content with the status quo. These pioneers blazed a trail throughout Atlantic Canada preaching the Gospel and planting churches. There are opportunities before us but we must make a decision about what kind of future we see for the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches.

Respectfully Submitted, Dr. Peter Reid, Executive Minister

UNITED in MISSION 2012 Proposed Budget

	2012 Draft Budget	2011 Approved Budget	2010 Actual Receipts
Association Mission Projects	90,000	90,000	83,297
Atlantic Baptist Mission Board	370,000	320,000	277,925
Canadian Baptist Ministries	450,000	450,000	421,099
Union of French Baptist Churches	70,000	70,000	58,954
Crandall University	80,000	80,000	67,376
Acadia Divinity College	80,000	80,000	67,376
Baptist Historical Committee	16,000	16,000	13,475
Development	-	75,000	63,057
Pastoral Ministry Department	70,000	72,000	59,814
Public Witness & Social Concern	24,500	20,000	20,575
Youth and Family Ministries	138,000	138,000	129,000
Administration	235,000	236,000	232,011
Pension & Insurance Board	75,000	80,000	67,376
Council & Committees	120,500	89,000	81,963
Executive Minister's Office/Communications	261,000	265,000	243,110
Regional Ministry	-	519,000	535,972
Transition Year	345,000		
	2,425,000	2,600,000	2,422,380

Decrease From 2011 Budget = -6.73%

Increase From 2010 Actual = 0.11%

2010 REPORT OF THE YOUTH AND FAMILY MINISTRIES DEPARTMENT

Submitted by Rev. Dale O. Stairs, Director

During 2010, the Youth and Family Department once again endeavoured to strengthen the churches of our Convention through world class events and training opportunities. Part way through the year, Associate Director Jody Linkletter opted to cut back to half time with the department. This allowed us to hire Marion Jamer as part time Coordinator of Family Ministries. Both of these women provided excellent leadership in their given areas. With the solid part time administrative help of Jacqueline Derrah, the department was able to solidify the support we offer to churches. In addition a great debt is owed to the Youth and Family Working Group for their wise counsel and support throughout the year. The work of the department from the past year can be broken down into the following categories:

<u>Events for Youth</u> – In 2010 we worked with teams of volunteers to pull together a great Springforth event in May, Potential Impact in September as well as extensive planning for Tidal Impact 2011. These events are second to none in Canada and are gaining attention from people across North America as examples of innovative and effective ministry initiatives.

Speaking and Training – A deep conviction of the department is that training is one of the ways we can help to strengthen our churches. Through our partnership with *Acadia Divinity College* we annually offer five top quality youth ministry courses. To make these courses more accessible all of them are offered as intensives or online. In the past year we also hosted a *Youth Pastors Summit* and a *Children's Ministry Day* to provide ministry leaders the opportunity of networking and training. In the Fall we provided youth and children's ministry training in four areas of Atlantic Canada through the Fall Training Tour. A new initiative, the *Youth Leaders Training Program* (YLTP) was started in January. The first class, held in Petitcodiac, was full! In September another cohort began in Halifax. The students who are now approaching the end of the year and a half program testify that the training they received has been very formative for them. In addition, *Youth and Family* staff found themselves speaking and conducting various types of training throughout our region in 2010.

<u>Supporting Families</u> – In an attempt to support and strengthen the families of *Our Convention*, the department has a partnership with *FamilyLife Canada* to provide marriage enrichment and training in Christian parenting. One Day conferences as well as the *Weekend to Remember* marriage conference happened in 2010. In March a parent and teen mission team from across our Convention travelled to Toronto for a cross cultural mission, and in August families converged on Campobello Island for a week of mission that involved construction and children's ministry. As well, in an effort to be a support to ministry families, *Link* (Clergy Teen Retreat), and *Refresh:* Life like no Other (Ministry Wives Retreat), were both held.

<u>Young Adult Initiatives</u> – Ministry to young adults is an area where we continue to focus. One highlight is the incredible leadership of the *Atlantic Baptist Youth Executive*. Also we participate in a leadership exchange program that saw young adults from our region travel and serve in Ontario and British Columbia., and youth from Ontario visit us during Springforth.

It has been an incredible honour to serve within the Youth and Family Department, and it has been thrilling to witness the wonderful things that have been accomplished in our churches and ministries together in 2010.

Respectfully submitted, Rev. Dale O. Stairs, Director Public Witness Page D-25

PUBLIC WITNESS AND SOCIAL CONCERNS YEAR BOOK REPORT 2010 Submitted by Lois Mitchell

April 15, 2011

This has been a significant year on several fronts. First, the Racism Working Group presented our final report and recommendations to the CABC Council in the spring of 2010 and to the Assembly at Oasis in August. This marked the end of the ten year mandate for the working group, but not the end of the important work of recognizing and repenting of racism - not only in the broader society, but within our own Convention - and not only historically, but even today. We've come a long way, but there is much work that remains to be done if we are to truly model and celebrate unity in diversity (the theme of our 2007 Convention Assembly on overcoming racism).

The baton has been passed to a new Working Group – the Ethnic Ministries Working Group – with an expanded mandate. Whereas the Racism Working Group focused exclusively on the historic and current relationship between the African United Baptist Association (AUBA) and the general Convention (the CABC), the Ethnic Ministries Working Group will wrestle with, and ultimately provide leadership around a theology of hospitality as a way of embracing the "other". The "other" could be someone of a different race, ethnicity, or language. How do we become communities of faith where the "other" is welcome? Where the alien and stranger will be treated as friends and where each person will have an opportunity to meet Christ and grow in faith, using their gifts for the benefit of the local body and the Kingdom of God.

It was also an exciting year for the Rapha Initiative – the working group that is addressing mental illness and the stigma and ignorance that often prevents our churches from caring effectively for those who struggle with mental illness (as well as their family members). We produced a DVD set called *An Awakening of Compassion: A Christian Perspective on Mental Health*. This project was made possible by a grant from the Mental Health Foundation of Nova Scotia, the generosity of a number of individuals who gave of their time and experience (pastors, counselors, academics, and consumers of mental health services) and the skill and commitment to detail of Rev. Peter Metcalfe who had the task of doing the actual work of putting the DVDs together. Copies of this resource are available through the Convention Office (email me at lois.mitchell@baptist-atlantic.ca) if you wish to order a copy.

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Finally, the Child Abuse Prevention Working Group has gradually found a way forward. After arriving at several dead ends in our efforts to find a way to help our churches have appropriate and excellent policies and practices for preventing child abuse in our facilities and programs, we distributed an online survey for pastors and church leaders concerning their experiences in this area. The results of that survey led us to develop a proposal to Council for funding to hire someone to develop protocols and design training materials, as well as to conduct training sessions for trainers in each region. We have recently received word that the Council took our request to the Baptist Foundation and the Foundation has agreed to give us the requested funds. We are very grateful!

I have had several opportunities to speak during this last year and I always enjoy traveling to churches and associations, both large and small, to talk about public witness and social justice. In addition to my work for CABC as the Director of Public Witness and Social Concerns, I continue to work part-time for Canadian Baptist Ministries (as the Justice Initiatives Coordinator) and I teach occasional courses at Crandall University and at St. Stephen's University. I consider it a huge privilege to be part of so many great communities and I can say with great enthusiasm and sincerity that I LOVE my work! I'm thankful that all of my various "jobs" complement one another and give me the perpetual motivation to learn and grow while simultaneously being part of conversations and situations that stretch me and allow me to stretch others.

Submitted with a deep sense of gratitude, Dr. Lois Mitchell,

Director of Public Witness & Social Concern

THE ATLANTIC BAPTIST MISSION BOARD REPORT FOR THE YEAR 2010

The Atlantic Baptist Mission Board (ABMB) met in April and September of 2010. At the Annual Meeting of the Board held in September the following Officers of the Board were elected:

Rev. Jennifer Riley, Chairperson

Mrs. Colleen Steeves, Vice-Chairperson

Pastor Iona Crawley, Recording Secretary

It is the responsibility of the Board to develop Ends Policies that comply with the Global

Purpose of the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches (CABC). The ABMB exists so that the churches of the CABC will be healthy, growing congregations, committed to the Great Commission and the building of God's Kingdom. To achieve this outcome, the ABMB utilizes available resources and enters into strategic partnerships. Evidence that this outcome is being achieved will be making and nurturing disciples of Christ, new churches being planted, and new people groups being reached for Christ. Through the Director of the Atlantic Baptist Mission, Dr. Malcolm Beckett, several ministries, programs and funding have been directed toward the accomplishment of the Board's Ends.

Director of ABMB:

Dr. Beckett continues to carry a very heavy workload with responsibilities for the Board of Ministerial Standards and Education and the Atlantic Baptist Mission Board. The Board is satisfied that it has managed to fulfill its mandate to a large degree and is grateful to Dr. Malcolm Beckett for his continued faithful and competent leadership in administering the ministry of the Board.

The Board's major endeavours in 2010 included:

- A new ends policy was drafted and adopted regarding Education in Ministry to and With New Canadians. This end policy represents a commitment of the Board to researching, designing and developing educational resources for CABC churches to assist them in reaching out to new Canadians.
- The Board provided a total of \$231,100.00 in Ministry Initiative and Pastoral Ministry Grants to churches in the CABC.

At the spring meeting each year the Board is diligent in monitoring the performance of the Director to ensure consistent progress towards achieving the Ends.

• <u>Francophone summit:</u> In April the director took eight pastors from our Francophone churches to a summit in Lac Brome, Quebec, which was designed to talk about how to minister together and resource one another as we reach out to the Francophone people near to us. A "Lac Brome Declaration" was penned and agreed to by the thirty people in attendance.

- <u>Lay Pastor's Program</u>: In 2010 there were two graduating classes, one in Centerville, NS with 13 graduates; and one in Charlottetown, PEI with 9 graduates. One new class began in Hammonds Plains in the fall. Since the start of the program in 2000, 260 students have enrolled and 114 have graduated. 48 students are currently in called ministry.
- <u>NCD:</u> Bill Bickle, Canadian partner for NCD conducted three seminars for CABC this year (Halifax, Moncton, Fredericton) training churches and coaches. There were about 150 in attendance over the three seminars.

<u>Mission Board Anniversary:</u> preliminary discussions have taken place regarding possible events and publications to celebrate the 20th anniversary of the Atlantic Baptist Mission. The Board's extensive history and ministry is an important part of the heritage of CABC and needs to be recognized in a significant way.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the Atlantic Baptist Mission Board,

Rev. Jennifer Riley, chairperson

Atlantic Baptist Mission Board

December 31, 2010

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Statement of Financial Position (Balance Sheet)

Total Assets	(A)	4,101,569
Total Liabilities	(B)	75,351
Net Assets	(A-B)	4,026,218

Statement of Operations (Income Statement)

Revenues (including gains)	(C)	482,045
Expenses (including losses)	(D)	447,886
Net Income	(C-D)	34,159

Statement of Cash Flows (Statement of Changes in Financial Position)

Cash flows from Operating Activities	(E)	15,323
Cash flows from Financing Activities	(F)	0
Cash flows from Investing Activities	(G)	(46,372)

Details of any restrictions on the resources listed in (A) above (i.e. restricted fund balances):

Capital Grant Fund	226,364
Churches For New Communities Fund	2,603,052
Trust Fund	1 058 797

Significant differences in the entities disclosed accounting policies, from those followed by the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches:

None

Details of any events or transactions between the entity and the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches, in the period between your fiscal year end date and December 31. This applies only to entities with non-calendar year ends.

PENSION AND INSURANCE BOARD

Annual Report

Chairperson Robert Young Secretary Karen Gunn

Vice-Chairperson Philip Locke Treasurer Daryl MacKenzie

FINANCIAL

The Pension and Insurance Board recorded a surplus of \$13,012 for 2011. The main sources of revenue are investment income, administration fees, a grant from the Atlantic Baptist Foundation and the grant from our "United in Mission" Fund. We are thankful to Convention for continuing the grant at \$80,000 for 2011.

PENSION FUND

The Canadian Baptist Ministries Pension and Insurance Committee is composed of representatives from Canadian Baptist Ministries, Canadian Baptists of Western Canada, Canadian Baptists of Ontario and Quebec, the Union of French Baptist Churches and the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches. Our Convention is permitted to send three representatives to serve on the national committee.

The Canadian Baptist Ministries Pension Plan is a Defined Contribution Plan, established for the employees of churches and related agencies affiliated with Canadian Baptist Ministries. This Plan is recognized as one of the top 50 Defined Contribution Plans in Canada. The contribution rate is 12% of total salary with 6% paid by the member and a corresponding amount by the employer.

Members have the option of placing their pension funds in one of five investment strategies; the Aggressive Fund, the Balanced Fund, the Moderate Fund, the Conservative Fund or the Money Market Fund.

The net rates of return, after expenses, were:

Aggressive Fund	13.61%
Balanced Fund	12.24%
Moderate Fund	11.31%
Conservative Fund	9.43%
Money Market	0.80%

The combined value of the five funds for all members as at December 31, 2011 was \$161,478,312.

BASIC LIFE INSURANCE

All members of the Canadian Baptist Ministries Pension Plan are automatically covered under the insurance program administered by this Board. Premiums are billed to the members' employers. Members who are covered under another group insurance program are not required to be part of this program.

The following basic insurance benefits are provided:

\$40,000 Basic Life Insurance \$9.04/month

\$25,000 Accidental Death & Dismemberment \$ 0.55/month

\$10,000 Spousal & \$4,000 Dependents Life Insurance \$2.44/month

Long-Term Disability Insurance \$2.07 per \$100 of Disability Income

OPTIONAL LIFE INSURANCE

Members are strongly encouraged to purchase optional life insurance to protect family members. Coverage is available for the member and their spouse and the premiums are very inexpensive. The amounts below indicate the monthly cost for every \$25,000 of life insurance coverage:

Age	Male	Female	Age	Male	Female
Under 30	\$0.75	\$0.75	45 – 49	\$3.75	\$2.50
Up to 35	1.00	0.75	50 – 54	6.50	4.50
35 – 39	1.25	1.00	55 – 59	10.25	7.00
40 – 44	2.25	1.50	60 – 64	15.00	10.25

MEDICAL/DENTAL PLAN

Great West Life is the carrier of our Medical/Dental Plan. The monthly rates for 2011 are as follows:

Active - Single Coverage	\$115.00
Active - Family Coverage	275.00
Retired without Drug Coverage – Single Coverage	70.00
Retired without Drug Coverage – Family coverage	140.00

For those retired members who are under 70, out of Country coverage is provided at no additional charge.

Premiums collected are placed in a resource pool from which claims are paid, plus the administration costs. Responsible stewardships dictate that wise usage of these benefits will help to maintain the best possible coverage at affordable rates.

EMPLOYEE ASSISTANCE PLAN

This program is provided by Shepell-fgi and provides confidential counseling to members and their families. The monthly cost is \$2.97 per member.

FINANCIAL PLANNING SEMINAR

The Board recognizes the need for members and their spouses to receive information relating to financial planning, and help provide that by hosting Financial Planning Seminars. All members of the CBM Pension Plan, who have not previously done so, are encouraged to take advantage of this learning experience. We encourage members to attend as early as possible in their ministry career, so they are more knowledgeable now and better equipped for their future. We especially encourage those who are new to ministry to take in this seminar. The principles learned will be of enormous benefit the sooner they are put into practice (Lk 14:28-30).

SUPPLEMENTAL BENEFITS

The Board also administers a fund, which provides supplemental benefits for retired pastors or their widow/widower as well as disabled pastors. Through grants received from the Baptist Foundation, the Board also administers rent subsidization for retired pastors who reside in apartments/houses owned and operated by the Atlantic Baptist Senior Citizens' Homes Inc. Assistance, as well, is provided to those individuals who are unable to cover the costs, in whole or in part, for the various insurances.

If you are aware of any retired pastor or widow/widower of pastors who may have a financial need, please contact the Convention Office.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert Young, Chairperson

Daryl MacKenzie, Director of Operations

PENSION AND INSURANCE BOARD

DECEMBER 31, 2010

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Statement of Financial Position (Balance Sheet)

Total Assets	(A)	1,024,133
Total Liabilities	(B)	31,767
Net Assets	(A-B)	992,366

Statement of Operations (Income Statement)

Revenues (including gains)	(C)	1,298,919
Expenses (including losses)	(D)	1,158,595
Net Income	(C-D)	140,324

Statement of Cash Flows (Statement of Changes in Financial Position)

Cash flows from Operating Activities	(E)	173,318
Cash flows from Financing Activities	(F)	0
Cash flows from Investing Activities	(G)	(90,027)

Details of any restrictions on the resources listed in (A) above (i.e. restricted fund balances):

Restricted - Medical/Dental Plan Reserves 301,435

Significant differences in the entities disclosed accounting policies, from those followed by the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches:

None

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N/A

BAPTIST BOOKROOM COMMITTEE

The mission statement of the Baptist Bookroom is "to provide Christ centered resources for salvation and spiritual growth", which complements the vision statement of our Convention, "to bring glory to God by making disciples of Jesus Christ and by demonstrating His love to a hurting world in the power of the Holy Spirit."

The year 2010 was a relatively good one for the bookroom; we ended the year in a positive financial position with inventory levels well controlled and with no operating loan from the Convention.

The members of the Bookroom Committee are appreciative of Heather Goodwin for her management of the store, and for the staff who continue to see the operation of the store as a ministry by which lives are being touched for the expansion of the Kingdom. It is disappointing, however, in light of the current economy that we continue to experience a decrease in customer traffic in the store. We also need to recognize that the current economy is fostering an increase in the usage of the internet for personal and church shopping. This coupled with competition from other suppliers continues to have an impacting effect on how we do business on a day to day basis.

Last year we observed the 50th Anniversary of the Bookroom's founding, first as a resource center primarily for the UBWMU, then eventually to the stand alone operation that is today, serving churches and individuals throughout Atlantic Canada and beyond. I would extend sincere thanks to the many individuals and churches of our Convention who have patronized the Bookroom in 2010.

I am extremely appreciative of the members of the Bookroom Committee who continue to demonstrate tireless devotion to this ministry. Thank you for your time, your talents, your presence, and certainly your prayers!

As we move forward, please continue to support the efforts of your Bookroom. I invite you to visit our website at http://www.baptistbookroom.com.

Respectfully submitted, Scott Ryder, Chair Page D-36 Development

REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF DEVELOPMENT For the Year of 2010 **Rev. Greg Jones**

The year 2010 was the first full year of the new three-year "Connected for Mission" Appeal. Launched in the fall of 2009, churches were approached with new communication pieces including a DVD, poster and brochures. Every CABC congregation was asked to prayerfully consider a suggested goal for 2010, 2011 and 2012.

Total giving from churches and individuals to United in Mission in 2010 was \$2,442,736.84, approximately 92.5% of the budgeted goal of \$2.64 million. Although an increase of \$10,473 over the year 2009, it remains approximately \$160,000 lower than our best recent year of 2007.

It is challenging to precisely identify the reason for the decline in giving, and no doubt overall the causes would be many. The primary cause would appear to be, however, the financial challenges that many CABC churches have been experiencing, especially in these recent years.

The principles informing the work of the Development Department are multi-fold:

- 1. Following an "inform and invite" model, we openly and respectfully approach each church on behalf of their sister churches seeking to inform them of the value of this CABC partnership, and inviting them to do their full part.
- 2. Further, we seek to follow a "crawl, walk, run" model: this means we encourage churches to consider what God's next step of support would be for them, believing that God always calls us to be growing in our ministry of generosity and stewardship.
- 3. Our priority is the vitality and well-being of each local church, and so we do not want to compete for resources with the local church. While we welcome and encourage individual supporters who value the CABC, we do not solicit support at the expense of an individual's full tithe, which we believe belongs to their "spiritual storehouse" (their local church).
- 4. Faithful Christ-followers growing in their understanding and practice of holistic biblical stewardship are foundational for both the CABC and our local churches' being adequately resourced for their ongoing God-given ministry. To this end, the Development Department seeks to encourage churches in teaching and modelling stewardship through:
 - a. Making churches aware of various stewardship resources which are available through Christian vendors
 - b. Preaching and teaching on the topic of stewardship at weekend worship services, seminars, workshops, retreats, classes, etc.
 - c. Offering "Freed Up" seminars to local churches to practically help people in managing all of their resources in a manner that glorifies God and leads them to financial freedom.

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d. In partnership with Canadian Baptist Ministries, offering "Legacy for Ministry" seminars to local churches, encouraging people to consider

- i. the overall importance of will and estate planning and
- *ii.* tithing on their estate to God's Kingdom as it is accomplished through some aspect of family of CABC Baptist Ministries (ex. their local church, schools, camps, CABC, CBM, etc.)

In closing, thank you for your interest in and support of the ministry we as Atlantic Baptist Churches carry out together. If you would like to know more about resources for your church, book a seminar, or inquire about becoming a personal supporter of the ministries of our Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches, please contact Rev. Greg Jones at greg.jones@baptist-atlantic.ca

Respectfully submitted, Rev. Greg Jones, Director of Development

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF MINISTERIAL STANDARDS AND EDUCATION

The Board of Ministerial Standards and Education falls under the Pastoral Ministry Department. Dr. Malcolm Beckett continues to oversee the day-to-day work of the Board on behalf of the Executive Minister's office, including oversight of the Internship program. The Board held three regular meetings in 2010: February 23-24 and April 20-21 in Wolfville, NS; and October 5-7 in Sackville, NB.

Each October the Board re-affirms its Conflict of Interest document and each member signs a confidentiality form. The primary mandate of the Board is to meet at least twice, for an Initial and Exit Interview, with men and women who are sensing a call to Ordained or Lay Pastoral Ministry. The Board's responsibility is to help discern their sense of call and suitability for ministry, provide educational guidance, recommend ordination candidates on to the Examining Council, and examine lay pastoral candidates on their statements of faith toward Lay Recognition. The Board also interviews ministers ordained and recommended by bodies outside of Canadian Baptist Ministries who are seeking recognition by the CABC of their prior ordination. The Board is responsible to respond to written allegations/self-disclosures of professional misconduct re pastoral leaders whose credentials are held by the CABC.

Each meeting has a primary interview focus, although any type of interview may be granted at any of the three meetings, at the discretion of the Chair and the Executive Minister's office. Exit interviews toward ordination are in February, initial interviews toward ordination are in April, and initial and exit interviews toward Recognized Convention Lay Pastoral ministry are in October. In February of this year thirteen applicants were interviewed, in April eighteen were interviewed, and in October nineteen. The age of applicants ranged from twenty-five (25) to seventy (70). While many second career applicants are pursuing recognized lay pastoral ministry, approximately one third of those interviewed toward ordination are forty or over. Just over one fifth of the applicants were women. Three of this year's applicants were previously ordained within another denomination and seeking recognition of that ordination. Seventy (70) percent of this year's applicants were moving toward ordination and twenty-four (24) percent toward Recognized Convention Lay Pastor. A monitoring report was presented to the Convention Council in November. Further details are in the Council's report.

Five grants totaling \$15,000 were awarded in January 2010 from the Preparing Future Pastors Fund (previously known as the Baptist Ministry Preparation Fund). The Board continues to seek additional funding so that this Fund will be sustainable.

The Board appreciates the many people who speak into the lives of pastors as they move toward recognized ordained or lay ministry within the Convention, including churches, supervisors/mentors, Associations, pastors, licensing committees, supervisory committees, and seminary personnel. Thank you to those who teach, mentor, evaluate and encourage our future pastors.

Respectfully submitted, Rev. Wayne Murphy, Chair Page E-2 Examining Council

REPORT OF THE 2010 EXAMINING COUNCIL FOR ORDINATION

The Examining Council for Ordination met Monday August 16 and Tuesday August 17, 2010 in Crabtree Auditorium, Crabtree Building, Mount Allison University, Sackville, New Brunswick. Rev. David DuBois, Past President of Convention, served as the Chair of the Examining Council. Dr. Harry Gardner, President of Acadia Divinity College, was appointed as Chief Examiner, but declared a conflict of interest for Jody Linkletter who is a staff member of ADC. Dr. Brian MacArthur was appointed as Chief Examiner for her interview. Rev. Wayne Murphy, Chair of the Board of Ministerial Standards and Education represented the Board.

The Examining Council appointed an Appeal Board, in keeping with Section 7.1 of the Ministerial Standards Document, to serve for one year as needed. Members appointed were: Mrs. Shirley Pearce, Rev. Grant Alcorn, Rev. Philip Penny, Mr. Ken Phillips, Rev. Scott MacDonald, Mrs. Joan Keith and Rev. Edward Shaw. Alternates appointed were: Mr. George Powell, Rev. John Beers and Rev. Jim Nicolle.

The following Candidates were examined on their statements of faith and Christian commitment and were recommended to their churches for ordination at their hands:

David CawleyKaren DoucetteJody LinkletterSarah ClaphamChristopher DrewChet MacPhailWarren ClaphamLynn ErskineDeborah Ripley-Carter

David Cumby Al Fewkes Borden Scott Geoff deJong Stephen Gough Mark Sypher

All candidates were committed to God in prayer.

Respectfully submitted, Dr. Peter Reid Executive Minister

REPORT OF THE CONVENTION NOMINATING COMMITTEE

The Nominating Committee fulfilled its mandate using the guidelines adopted at the 2004 Assembly. In April 2009 the Convention Council adopted a revised schedule for the nomination process. The first meeting of the Nominating Committee was held in January 2011 in order to draft up the report for the following Assembly. It was hoped this would allow the Regional Nominating Committees more time (from October to December) to do their work than had been possible under the old timetable.

As noted in a previous Report of the Nominating Committee, a number of recommendations from the Council regarding potential conflict of interest by Committee members and the concern in recent years of having few candidates for the position of Vice President will be brought forward now that the Convention has concluded the business of incorporation.

The Nominating Committee met on January 31, 2011, at the Coastal Inn in Sackville, New Brunswick. The meeting opened with a devotional and prayer by the Chair. It was agreed that voting would be by consensus unless a formal vote became necessary.

The business of the Committee proceeded smoothly with the one exception of finding a full slate of five nominees for the position of Vice President. According to the rotation, the candidates needed to be an ordained pastor from Nova Scotia or Newfoundland and Labrador. At the time of writing, only one nominee has agreed to stand for nomination. Several more possible nominees were contacted and all declined. Therefore, at the time of this writing, we are submitting a slate with one nominee for the position of Vice President.

The Chair reminded the Regional Representatives to contact the people within their Region who haven't been chosen to inform them that they were not selected and to thank them. The names will be kept on file at the Convention Office for future vacancies. Lottie Reid, Executive Assistant to the Executive Minister, agreed to contact the Regional Representatives to remind them to do this step in the process. The Chair then thanked the members of the Nominating Committee and closed the meeting with prayer.

Respectfully submitted, Rev. Dr. Robert Knowles, Chair

BAPTIST HISTORICAL COMMITTEE 2010 Report

This year has seen the completion of a number of on-going projects the first being the completion of the work leading up to the on-line start of the Built Heritage Project. The completion of the indexing of the book requested by Dr. Dan Goodwin, the translation of the Silas Rand diaries from Latin, the wrap up of phase one of the Oral History project by David Sparks. Beyond that we have assisted with the Father Preston project and presented the Levy prize for the year.

The committee has taken charge of their finances and a new bank account has been set up to handle our affairs. Our hope is that this will enable us to respond more positively and quickly to the requests we receive.

This year two members will have completed their terms, Rev. William Patterson, who will not be re-offering and Rev. Victor Adams whom we hope will be with us for another term. I wish to thank both of these members for their interest and support.

Roger Cann also has stepped down as chair for the Built Heritage Committee and we owe him a tremendous vote of thanks for the work he has completed to bring this project to the start-up point. A copy of his recommendations and work are included in the package you are going to receive. It is up to the committee to now begin the process of ensuring that every church and group learn of this project and its value as we attempt to document and preserve our built heritage in this time when many smaller churches are closing their doors, being sold, or torn down.

As we look to another year and new challenges I pray that we may, as a committee, make the Built Heritage Project a well-known and viable project and continue to assist those who present viable projects for us to partner in. It will be a challenge I am sure.

Respectfully submitted, Carol A. Nauss, Chair

ATLANTIC BAPTIST SENIOR CITIZENS' HOMES INC.

2010/2011 REPORT TO CONVENTION

OUR VISION - Atlantic Citizens enjoying quality of life in a caring Christian environment

<u>OUR MANDATE/MISSION/MOTTO</u> - The Atlantic Baptist Senior Citizens' Homes Inc carries out the mandate given in the Letters Patent of Incorporation, the General By-Laws and the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches by implementing programs and services that support the motto and mission stated below.

MOTTO - "Adding Life to Years"

MISSION - The Atlantic Baptist Senior Citizens' Homes Inc., a ministry of the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches, is dedicated primarily to the enhancement of the quality of life for Atlantic Seniors. The mission is accomplished by providing quality care and affordable, accessible housing in a comfortable and secure environment.

OUR VALUES - The core values and operating principles that guide the organization and are shared and strongly upheld by Board, management and staff - - -

Caring Excellence Integrity Respect Safety

NURSING HOMES:

The Kenneth E Spencer Memorial Home in Moncton continues to provide care and service to 200 residents who live with us. We have ongoing discussions with Department of Social Development and our government representatives to communicate the increasing needs of our clients. Minister Susan Stultz Minister for Seniors visited Spencer Home in January. We have received the first grant from the Province for plumbing upgrades. A new food service delivery system is being implemented in June to assure quality food delivery. We have completed a promotional DVD to improve communication with the community. It is currently on the City of Moncton website. The Spencer Home Foundation purchased a baby grand piano for the residents. We continue to encourage giving for projects to enhance the quality of life of the residents in areas where provincial funding is not available. The 'new' project is a Van as the current vehicle needs replacement

PEI Atlantic Baptist Home in Charlottetown had its first fundraising banquet in April. It was an exciting evening with generous support for the purchase of a convection oven to enhance the quality of food for the residents. The Local Advisory Committee and the Administrator of the Home were pivotal in making this evening a reality. Donations for the oven are still being accepted. Labor negotiations are currently ongoing for CUPE employees. The community is very supportive of the Home. We continue to look for an opportunity to work with the provincial government to provide additional service to meet the increasing need for care.

Villa Chaleur Robert L Knowles Veterans continues to provide excellent care to the Veterans in Bathurst. The Activity Directors plan many special events for the Veterans to enhance their quality of life.

As we are all aware the number of Veterans is diminishing. Veterans Affairs Canada has encouraged us to begin plans for a future use of the Home once there is not sufficient number of Veterans in the area to use the 13 beds. We are exploring the options. Currently, we are in the process of communicating with the Department of Social Development.

The Kenneth E Spencer Home, PEI Atlantic Baptist Home and Villa Chaleur Robert L Knowles Veterans have Accreditation status by Accreditation Canada. The PEI Atlantic Baptist Home is the only private nursing home on Prince Edward Island to receive the accreditation award.

Quality Care, Client safety, Worklife are a focus in the operation of the nursing homes. We accomplish this through the interest of Board Members, Volunteers, Families and staff. Together We Care!

SENIORS HOUSING:

Demographics continue to indicate increasing numbers of individuals age 65+, many of whom will undoubtedly require housing and care service options as offered by the Atlantic Baptist Senior Citizens' Homes Inc. We continue to receive inquiries and requests from churches, communities and individuals for seniors housing and care – these opportunities must be carefully managed to assure not only viability but also infrastructure support to sustain growth in a positive manner. Growth opportunities must also be balanced with sustaining appropriate management service and support to the 15 facilities presently under our direction, to assure the needs and expectations of 1000+ seniors are being met or exceeded.

Our newest facility, Brunswick Court in St George, opened on April 1st, 2011. This project was supported by a grant of \$480,000 from the New Brunswick Regional Development Agency. This seniors' apartment building has 31 apartments, including 12 units subsidized by NB Housing. Three vacancies remain but it is expected we will be at full occupancy in the near future.

Our various other facilities –Courtyard Homes (Moncton), Hillcrest Village (Saint John), Caledonia Place (Hillsborough), Granite Court (Saint George), Taylor Court (Shediac), Church Court (Moncton), Central Court (North Sydney), Bayview Village (Bathurst), Gladys Manning (Windsor), Drumlin Hills (Bridgewater) - have experienced another successful year of operation. Our goal remains to enhance the quality of service provided in all of our facilities as resources permit. Interested persons are invited to visit our web site www.abschi.com. This website is being updated in 2011. Land is being purchased for a second building in North Sydney with a potential building project in 2012 or 2013.

2010 has been another year to celebrate and express appreciation for the Lord's leading and blessing in the Ministry of Atlantic Baptist Senior Citizens' Homes Inc. It is our privilege to be able to enhance the quality of care and service we offer through these 15 facilities.

We continue to rely greatly upon the community and individuals who generously provide support to our organization. As another year ends, we again express our appreciation to all those who assist with the ongoing success of our organization and who support us in serving Atlantic Canadian Seniors - Board Members, Local Advisory Committee Members, local church members, staff members and numerous volunteers. Any success we enjoy in this Ministry is the direct result of the efforts of these many caring individuals and their willingness to serve and use their God-given talents. We are indeed thankful for this ongoing support.

Respectfully submitted,

Steven Campbell
Executive Director – Seniors Housing

Barbara Tremble Cook Executive Director – Nursing Homes

ATLANTIC BAPTIST SENIOR CITIZENS' HOMES INC. FINANCIAL

March 31, 2010

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Statement of Financial Position

Total Assets	(A)	47,080,658
Total Liabilities	(B)	36,041,477
Fund Balances	(A-B)	11,039,181
Statement of Operations		
Revenues	(C)	25,083,323
Expenses	(D)	24,795,340
Excess of Revenues over Expenditures	(C-D)	287,983
Statement of Cash Flows		
Cash flows from Operating Activities	(E)	2,396,749
Cash flows from Financing and Investing Activities	(F)	2,222,427

Details of any restrictions on the resources listed in (A) above (i.e. restricted fund balances):

Resident Trust Funds	191,371
Restricted Cash – Replacement Reserves	349,825

Significant differences in the entities' disclosed accounting policies, from those followed by the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches:

Refer to Note 2 of Financial Statements

Details of any events or transactions between the entity and the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches, in the period between your fiscal year end date and December 31. This applies only to entities with non-calendar year ends.

We have nil transactions with the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches: Our fiscal year end was March 31,2010.

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<u>ATLANTIC BAPTIST FOUNDATION – REPORT 2010</u>

CELEBRATING 50 YEARS OF FINANCIAL SERVICES-1961-2011

"The toughest thing about success is that you've got to keep on being a success Irving Berlin

God has used many talented and committed men and women as Directors and Staff over the past 50 years to conduct the successful ministry of the Foundation within the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches.

The year 2010 is no exception. Gratitude is expressed to the members of the Baptist constituency who placed their confidence in the Foundation by using the various Savings plans. This enabled the Foundation to invest funds in Church financing and ministry grants.

The assets of the Foundation has increased to over \$67 million, consisting of Saving Accounts, Loans, and top rated bonds and securities managed by a professional Portfolio Manager.

The Foundation is updating the computer technology and programs to better serve the Baptist constituency. The goal is to have savings deposits, loan payments, interest disbursements and savings withdrawals all transacted by "Direct Deposit and Disbursement.

The Foundation contributed to many activities during the year with special grants and promotions:-

Crandall University, Acadia Divinity College, Retired Minister/Missionary Fund, Spring Forth, Oasis, African Association Convention, ASBE, "Refresh" (Pastors wives), Extraordinary Ladies Meeting, New Life Mission.

The Board of Directors extend their appreciation to Mrs. Mary McAffee, Manager- Accounting, Mrs. Lisa Lewis, Manager- Client Services, Mr. Luigi Rocca, Portfolio Manager, and Mr. Richard Steeves Consultant for their excellent performance.

Grant Thornton, Chartered Accountants and Business Consultants perform the annual audit of the Foundation's records.

Congratulations to Mr. Doug Beaman who gave excellent leadership as Board Chair for the past 3 years.

We thank God for His faithfulness and guidance. John Lean, Chair, Board of Directors.

December 31	2010	2009
Assets		
Current		
Cash and securities (Note 4)	\$31,402,555	\$ 24,431,059
Receivables and accruals	232,967	265,780
Current portion of mortgages and		E3 18090
notes receivables (Note 6) Prepaid expenses	1,632,073	2,476,995
Frepaid expenses	5,500	
	33,273,095	27,173,834
Restricted cash and securities (Note 5)	633,382	632,382
Mortgages and notes receivable (Note 6)	32,801,323	27,793,806
Surrender of title asset (Note 7)	939,820	950,005
	\$67,647,620	\$ 56,550,027
Liabilities Current Payables and accruals Grant payable (Note 12) Demand notes payable, interest bearing, no set terms of repayment (Note 8)	\$ 425,012 50,000 <u>59,457,870</u>	\$ 356,462 213,000 50,106,410
	59,932,882	50,675,872
ife interest contracts (Note 9)	50.400	50,400
Grant payable (Note 12)	100,000	200,000
	60,083,282	50,926,272
Net Assets		
Restricted trust funds (Note 5)	633,382	632,382
Unrestricted net assets	6,422,456	4,904,373
nternally restricted funds (Note 10 (b))	508,500	87,000
	7,564,338	5,623,755

Commitments (Note 11) Contingency (Note 15)

On behalf of the Board

Director

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See accompanying notes to the financial statements.

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CRANDALL UNIVERSITY

Annual Report to the Convention

2010 was a year of forward momentum at Crandall University as several objectives came to fruition. In the midst of change however, the mission of the University remains solidly fixed, that of transforming lives through "quality university education firmly rooted in the Christian faith."

On April 16, 2010 the Crandall University Act was given Royal Assent in the New Brunswick Legislature, thus officially changing the name from Atlantic Baptist University to Crandall University. In November the University unveiled its Coat of Arms. The history of the institution as well as that of the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches from the time of Reverend Joseph Crandall onward is represented in the new Coat of Arms.

On June 17, 2010 an impressive ceremony was held in the Great Hall to formally name the first academic building constructed on the campus. It is called The Stuart E. Murray Hall. Dr. Murray was President of the institution from 1966-1980 when "the school" transitioned fully to a post-secondary college. This also marked the 25th year since Dr. Murray's passing.

On August 21, 2010 a Dedication Service was held for a new education facility nearing completion. On September 8, 2010 the Official Opening for the same facility was held. A crowd of approximately 500 were on hand to hear greetings from the Premier of New Brunswick and to witness the Chair of the Board declare that the new facility would be named The Jack and Grace Stultz Hall. Classes began in Stultz Hall on October 18, 2010.

Students are the heart and soul of every university. We are pleased to report that 827 individuals enrolled as students in 2009-2010 (664 FTE.) During Convocation on May 1, 2010, one hundred and fifty-six degrees and sixteen certificates were awarded to graduates in Arts, Science, Business, and Education. Dr. Margaret Munro received the Crandall University Leadership Award in the morning ceremony and Mr. Archie McLean and Mr. Tennyson Walker in the afternoon. The Lieutenant-Governor of New Brunswick, the Honourable Graydon Nicolas presided over the morning Convocation service. Fall Convocation was held on Saturday, November 6, 2010 when an additional thirty-one degrees were conferred plus fifteen certificates awarded. Mr. Robert MacDonald, the 2010 recipient of the Stephen and Ella Steeves Excellence in Teaching Award was the Convocation speaker.

Fiscal year end June 30, 2010 marked the ninth consecutive year that operations concluded in the black. The University continues to face the challenge of providing students with excellence in education at a Christian university at a reasonable cost. The help of donors and churches is vital to the fulfillment of the University's mission whereas Crandall does not receive provincial operating funds.

On November 25, 2010 the President informed the Executive Committee of the Board of Governors that he would not seek reappointment to another five-year term at the end of his contract on June 30, 2012. A President Search Committee has been formed. Dr. MacArthur's actual date of leaving will coincide with the new President taking office.

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The University continues to invite Convention churches to pray for its faculty, staff and students, especially through this period of change and leadership transition. A Christian university cannot succeed without God's blessing and the faithful support of churches and Christian people.

Respectfully submitted, Mr. Greg Cook, Chair of the Board of Governors Dr. Brian D. MacArthur, President and Vice-Chancellor Colossians 1:18b Crandall University Page E-13

CRANDALL UNIVERSITY FINANCIAL

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A full audited statement is available by requesting the same from the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches, 1655 Manawagonish Road, Saint John, NB E2M 3Y2

Statement of Financial Position		
Total Assets	(A)	28,114,022
Total Liabilities	(B)	8,764,534
Net Assets	(A-B)	19,349,488
Statement of Operations		
Revenues	(C)	13,325,722
Expenses	(D)	7,824,197
Net Income (loss)	(C-D)	6,211,240
Statement of Cash Flows (Statement of Changes	in Financial Positi	on)
Cash flows from Operating Activities	(E)	(290,043)
Cash flows from Financing Activities	(F)	8,985,487
Cash flows from Investing Activities	(G)	(8,375,595)

Details of any restrictions on the resources listed in (A) above (i.e. restricted fund balances):

Endowed Trust Funds for scholarships 4,687,599

Significant differences in the entities' disclosed accounting policies, from those followed by the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches:

N/A

Details of any events or transactions between the entity and the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches, in the period between your fiscal year end date and December 31. This applies only to entities with non-calendar year ends.

Atlantic Baptist University's fiscal year is June 30th. The above information is for the year ended June 30, 2009.

Annual Yearbook Report Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches Acadia Divinity College

The past year at Acadia Divinity College has been a year of growth and advancement in the overall academic program. Attached to the report is the audited financial report for the previous year (the year ending March 31, 2010) which indicates that the College is in a healthy position and, some would say, enviable position compared to some seminaries affiliated with the Association of Theological Schools in the United States and Canada. The College has appreciated the opportunity to meet with the Convention Council and to present its Monitoring Report in November 2010 which resulted in positive commendation from the Council. We believe that the Board of Trustees is fulfilling its mandate on behalf of the Convention and keeping faith with its fiduciary responsibilities in seeking to equip Christian leaders.

Below are highlights in the life of the College since the last yearbook report.

a. Accreditation with the Association of Theological Schools in the United States and Canada:

In June 2010, the Board of Trustees adopted the Self-Study Report as part of the accreditation review. The report was the result of an eighteen-month process of consultation with various stakeholders of the College, producing a document of more than 100 pages including recommendations. The College hosted the Association of Theological Schools in the United States and Canada (ATS) Visiting Committee from November 7 to November 10, 2010, and interviews were conducted with Faculty, Staff, Administration, Board of Trustees, Students, Alumni, and University Administration. The Committee was thorough in its review of the Self-Study Report. The Committee filed a positive report to the Board of Commissioners of ATS which was approved at their February 2011 meeting. The College received high commendation and was granted another 10-year re-accreditation. In their letter to the College, the Board outlined the usual expectations of the College but the there was not a single notation for corrective action in the report. There are 260 institutions in North America that are members of ATS. This positive affirmation positions the College well in the recruitment of students as well as potential faculty members in the knowledge that the institution, as well as the academic program, meets all the standards of ATS.

b. Curriculum Review:

For more than three years, the Faculty had been reviewing the curriculum of the College. In January, it recommended major revisions as well as new programs to the ADC Senate. The 82-page document cited revisions to the degrees programs, new courses, and new degrees as well as new concentrations. The ADC Senate recommended these revisions to the Acadia University Senate; all revisions were unanimously approved at its meeting in April 2011. The new delivery system for these courses has also been approved by the ADC Faculty.

The academic program review is a major development in the life of the College and is the first of its kind since its beginning in 1968. The basic philosophical change is that students will not need to relocate to Wolfville to complete their degrees. While it is maintained that full-time study is the best way to achieve one's degree, an in-ministry degree is also possible. Students have expressed keen interest and support for the new programs which include an M.A. in Practical Theology, a program previously reserved for study in Biblical Studies, Church History, and Theology.

c. The New Brunswick Extension Program:

In September 2010, Dr. Stephen McMullin became the first Director of the Program. Courses are scheduled to be launched in September at various locations in New Brunswick. This program will benefit those students in New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island who are in ministry and are seeking to complete their educational requirements for ordination. It will also provide an opportunity for students who are considering theological education to begin their studies closer to their home. Currently we have identified over 45 students who will benefit from this program.

The Baptist Foundation has been a valued partner in this program providing funding of \$25,000 annually for the first two years of operation. This program has been modeled after the highly successful Nova Scotia Metro Program which has attracted both laypersons as well those training for ordained ministry.

d. The Doctor of Ministry Program:

Major changes in the course content and delivery have occurred in the Doctor of Ministry Program in the last year. These changes have resulted in a waiting list of those who wish to enroll in the Program. Currently there are over 20 denominations represented in the Program coming from all provinces in Canada as well as several from the United States and Europe. A number of possible extension sites are being considered to begin in coming years.

e. The Charles J. Taylor Centre for Chaplaincy and Spiritual Care:

The Centre was launched in February 2011 and brought together over 100 people to celebrate the reclaiming of part of the College's DNA. The vision, dedication, and leadership of Dr. Tracy Demmons and Dr. Carol Anne Janzen are to be noted with gratitude. New degree programs and courses will allow students to be prepared for ministries of chaplaincy in a variety of settings. New course offerings in chaplaincy will enable those preparing for ministry in health care, military, secular, and correctional institutions.

f. The Strategic Plan:

The development of the Strategic Plan is in its early stages under the leadership of the Board's Chair and the College's administration. This will highlight the major initiatives for institutional planning in the short and long-term.

g. Governance Documents:

In addition to the recent completion of revisions to the Faculty Handbook, the Administrative Officers and Staff Handbook and the Board Governance Manual have been updated.

h. Relationship with Acadia University:

Progress is being made with the administration of Acadia University to develop an internal Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) to clarify both the funding commitment from the University based on the funding from the Province of Nova Scotia and the financial commitment of the College to pay for shared services to the University. This is a major piece of work that has been slow because of the contextual factors facing the University as it awaits a new funding MOU from the province.

i. Operational Grants:

Several major financial gifts have been negotiated through planned giving and conversation with two major foundations continues. The Baptist Foundation has provided over \$90,000 in grants to assist the College in accomplishing the mission given to us by the CABC. This is a demonstration of the Convention agencies working together to fulfill our shared mandate. The College is very grateful for this partnership and support.

j. ADC Alumni Association:

A Recent Grads Conference will be held on May 30-31, 2011. This conference represents a partnership with the CABC as well. It will bring graduates together from the previous five years to reflect on their ministry experience and will allow for fellowship and inspiration.

k. Affiliated Colleges:

ADC has appreciated the two visits from the new President of Bethel Bible Seminary, Dr. Fai Luk, in Hong Kong. A visit is planned this summer to Bethel Baptist Seminary in Hong Kong as well as Christ International Divinity College (CINDICO) and Universal Gospel Divinity College (UNIDICO) in Nigeria to assess the educational institutions and their academic credentials. A new MOU is being developed with the Nigerian colleges through communication with the President of the Acadia Consortium in Nigeria, Dr. Michael Odelami. With respect to the Faculté de Théologie Évangélique, Montréal, there is continued interaction and they have

recently been re-accredited in the Province of Québec.

The Board and the Administration of the College believe the College is experiencing the guidance of the Holy Spirit in the mission to equip Christian leaders for ministry in the church and the world. The Faculty of the College has demonstrated excellence in their research and publishing and continues to be the most published faculty in our Canadian context. The College is well positioned for growth in coming years.

Respectfully Submitted,

Dr. John Stewart Chair of the Board of Trustees

Dr. Harry G. Gardner President, Acadia Divinity College

ACADIA DIVINITY COLLEGE FINANCIAL

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Statement of Financial Position					
Total Assets	(A)	10,724,243			
Total Liabilities	(B)	223,012			
Net Assets	(A-B)	10,501,231			
Statement of Operations					
Revenues	(C)	2,048,224			
Expenses	(D)	2,039,188			
Net Income (Loss)	(C-D)	9,036			
Statement of Cash Flows (Statement of Changes in Financial Position)					
Cash flows from Operating Activities	(E)	(4,700)			
Cash flows from Financing Activities	(F)	0			
Cash flows from Investing Activities	(G)	97,420			

Details of any restrictions on the resources listed in (A) above (i.e. restricted fund balances):

Restricted for endowment purposes 9,605,824
Internally restricted 538,004

Significant differences in the entities' disclosed accounting policies, from those followed by the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches:

No differences - we follow accrual method following GAAP

Details of any events or transactions between the entity and the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches, in the period between your fiscal year end date and December 31. This applies only to entities with non-calendar year ends.

Acadia Divinity College's fiscal year is March 31st. The above information is for the year ended March 31, 2010.

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OBITUARIES

Rev. Calvin George Symonds

Rev. Calvin George Symonds was born in Upper Hammonds Plains. Rev. Symonds was the son of the late George and Madeleine (Francis) Symonds. Rev. Symonds accepted the Lord as his Saviour in his late 30's, yielding to God's call to the Christian Ministry; he left his Job as a welder to pursue "full-time" studies at Acadia Divinity College, Wolfville, Nova Scotia. Rev. Symonds served as a licentiate pastor of Emmanuel Baptist Church, Upper Hammonds Plains, for several years and, upon completion of his divinity studies, was ordained as a Minister on October 12, 1978. In addition to his years at Emmanuel Baptist, he also served at several churches of the African United Baptist Association (AUBA), namely Zion United Baptist (Truro), Cornwallis Street Baptist (Halifax) and first "full time" Minister at Saint Thomas Baptist Church (North Preston): he also pastored Pilgrim Baptist Church in Winnipeg from 1994-1995. He served as Moderator of the AUBA and was an active participant in the Laymen's Council. In addition, Calvin served on the board of Children's Aid Society, Truro and the Nova Scotia Home for Coloured Children.

Rev. Calvin George Symonds, at the age of 73, surrounded by loved ones, went home to be with his Lord on November 29, 2010, in Dartmouth General Hospital. He is survived by his loving wife, Sharon (Smith); sons, Sterling (Joyce), Calvin Marcell (Yvette), Garth-Matthew; daughters, Enid (Dionisio), Melissa (Otis), Natalie (Anthony); step daughter, Rachelle; brother, Elwood (Joyce); sisters, Thelma, Georgina (Malcolm), Genevieve; 14 grandchildren; three greatgrandchildren and many nephews and nieces, and god daughter, Micah Smith. He was predeceased by his parents; his first wife, Carole (Jones); daughter, Carolanne; son, Randolph Evan; brother, Victor and sister, Loretta.

Joseph William VanBuskirk

Joseph William VanBuskirk was born March 20, 1944 in Liverpool, Nova Scotia, Canada. Mr. VanBuskirk was the son of the late G.W. Claude and Edith Hattie (Peveril) VanBuskirk. He was an active member of First United Baptist Church, New Glasgow. Mr. VanBuskirk worked in the pulp and paper industry for over 30 years, retiring in 2004. He was an instrumental force in effecting positive environmental changes and awareness at Boat Harbour. Upon completion of Lay Pastor Training through the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches, he responded to God's calling to serve churches in Guysborough, Port Bickerton, Port Hilford, Sonora, and Port Hawkesbury. He was a member of Keith Lodge No. 23, A.F. & A.M., Stellarton and the Stellarton Male Chorus. Volunteer service was always a priority to Joe as a way of serving his Lord and community. This included various choirs, the Pictou County Helpline, Camp Pagweak, The Baptist Foundation, Crandall University (formerly ABU) and the Nova Scotia Clean Water Task Force.

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Mr. Joseph William VanBuskirk, at the age of 66, slipped peacefully into the arms of his Lord, at home on Monday, February 21, 2011. Mr. VanBuskirk is survived by his loving wife of 44 years, Delta (Blackburn); children, Shireen (Tom) Simko, Brockville, Ont.; Trina (Paul) Warren, Stellarton; Brent (Jacquelyn) VanBuskirk, Waverley; grandchildren, Sarah Simko, Nick, Katie and Hannah Warren, Jacob and Benjamin VanBuskirk; sister, Leona (Owie) Methven, Bedford. "His walk of faith with Jesus leaves footprints for us to follow."

Rev. Eugène Paul Lanctin

Rev. Eugène Paul Lanctin was born September 4th, 1935. Rev. Lanctin began serving March 1st, 1964, as pastor of Église Baptiste Chaleur in Campbellton, New Brunswick. Rev. Lanctin was ordained on January 1, 1976. Rev. Lanctin was a faithful servant to his community.

Rev. Eugène Paul Lanctin, at the age of 75, passed into his Lord's presence on Saturday, May 28th, 2011. He is survived by his wife, of 47 years, Micheline N. Lanctin (nee Villain); children, Jean-Daniel Lanctin (Gisèle), Corinne Lanctin-Iles (Barry), Samuel Lanctin (Janice) and Isabelle Crowe (Trevor); grandchildren Natasha (Tomy), Benjamin, Julie, Shayne, Jamie, Myriam, Allie, Nicolas, Samuel, Jeremy and Kylee. Predeceased by Louis-Jean, Maurice, Raymond (Marilyn), George (Madelene), Yvon (Jean) and Henri (Marcia).

Rev. J. Gordon DeLong

Rev. J. Gordon DeLong was born in Union Square, N.S. on July 14, 1914 and grew up in the Barss Corner area of Lunenburg County. In 1937 he went to Columbia Bible College in South Carolina to study for the Baptist ministry; he completed his theological studies at Acadia University in 1942. In the same year, he married Alma Blackadar and in 1945 left Canada for India as a Baptist missionary. He completed his B.A. from Acadia University in 1952 while on furlough. In India he worked in three different missionary fields and directed the re-building of the house and grounds of the mission house in Srikakulam, Andhra Pradesh. After 24 years with the Canadian Baptist Overseas Mission Board, he returned to Canada in 1968, where he served as pastor to Baptist churches in McAdam, New Brunswick, Paradise, Nova Scotia, and North and South Alton, Nova Scotia, before retiring to Port Williams in 1982. For many years he was active in the Port Williams community, especially in the Port Williams United Baptist Church. He was an avid gardener, loved music, and was legendarily handy at fixing things. His dedication to his family, church, and community was remarkable, as was his kindly disposition; he will be missed by many.

Rev. J. Gordon DeLong, at the age of 96, died peacefully on May 30, 2011 in Kentville, Nova Scotia. He is survived by his three children, Kenneth, Linwood, and Elaine (Rev. Gordon) Murray; his brother, Herbert; his sister, Annetta Neaves and sister-in-law, Vera Jodrey; as well as his five grandchildren, Christina and Sharon Murray, James, William and Sarah DeLong.

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Rev. Francis K. Innis Sept. 17, 1915 – July 10, 2011

Rev. Francis K. Innis was born on September 17, 1915. Rev. Innis was the son of the late Stirling and Bessie [Pickle] Innis, of Bloomfield, New Brunswick. Rev. Innis enlisted in the militia in 1941, later transferring to the active Canadian army, serving in Canada, England, France, Belgium, Holland and Germany where he rose to the rank of captain. In May 1946, upon his return home, he served as a training officer in the 8th N.B. Hussars, a military tank regiment, for a period of seven years, where he rose to the rank of major. During this time, he became employed with the Veteran's Land Administration [VLA], Saint John, New Brunswick. Rev. Innis served as a lay pastor in the Erbs Cove Baptist Church and Kingston Baptist Church, New Brunswick. Rev. Innis resigned from Veterans Land Administration in September 1973 to attend Atlantic Baptist College. During this period he also served as pastor of the Stoney Creek Baptist Church in Stoney Creek, New Brunswick. Upon graduation he began a full time pastoral ministry in Millville – Hainesville, N.B. until October 1979. He was instrumental in planting churches in the area while serving there. He served his last pastorate in Plympton, Nova Scotia for twenty-seven years, resigning in September 2007. His last days were spent in the Veteran's Unit of the Soldier's Memorial Hospital, Middleton, N.S.

Rev. Francis K. Innis passed away suddenly in Veterans Unit of Soldiers Memorial on July 10, 2011. He is survived by two sons, Rodney [Shirley] Innis, of Hawthorne, N.J., Allison [Debbie] Innis, of Novi, MI, one daughter, Elsa [Jeffrey] Shaver of Syracuse, N.Y. and one step-daughter, Maxine [Ivan] Bain, of Barton, N.S.; two granddaughters, five grandsons, two step granddaughters, four great-grandchildren and three step-great-grandchildren and many nieces and nephews; one sister, Sophy [Hollis] Conley of Hampton, N.B. and one brother, William Innis of Bobcaygeon, ON. He is predeceased by two wives, Evelyn [Jones] and by Alice [Foster] [Andrews]; two sisters, Marion [William] MacLeod, Josephine [Harold] McCready and one brother, John [Sue] Innis.

CANADIAN BAPTIST MINISTRIES

CBM Report to Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches

May, 2011



2010 could be summarized in one word at CBM: <u>transition</u>! Dr. Gary Nelson left after ten years as General Secretary to become President of Tyndale University College and Seminary. Gary left a lasting legacy at CBM, re-inventing the organization and establishing a framework to move us into a new season with vision and strong leadership. The Board established a Search Committee to find a new General Secretary. The General Secretary is the chief executive officer, overseeing operations and providing leadership in setting the strategic direction for the organization. After a thorough search process, the CBM Board appointed Rev. Sam Chaise to a five-year term as General Secretary.

1. Strategic Driver Report

At CBM, we have four strategic drivers which frame our ministry: Leadership Formation; Sustainable Community Development, Pioneer Outreach and Global Discipleship. The following paragraphs are examples of the work we do in each strategic driver.

• Leadership Formation

- PRAXIS
 - Praxis is a scholarship program available to students enrolled within an accredited theological school- Acadia, Carey, McMaster, Faculte Evangelique de theologie, and pursuing a graduate seminary studies at a Masters or Doctoral level.
 - The scholarship provides the opportunity for students to engage in missiological reflection on a significant issue related to Gospel and Culture in a developing world context. Each year, Praxis students engage in a cross cultural mission experience within a cohort learning environment.
 - In 2011 the course will focus on Integral Mission in Lebanon where the students will participate in the Arab Baptist Theological Seminary's annual Middle East Conference focusing on Christian/Muslim dialogue. In addition to the conference the students will participate in and observe CBM's work in Lebanon under the supervision of Rupen Das, CBM's Global Field Staff in Lebanon.

OTHER ACTIVITIES

As part of my visit to Kenya/Rwanda/Congo in early March, 2011 I had the distinct pleasure
of awarding certificates to the graduates of the first CBM/Carey Diploma in Integral
Mission. 23 people have completed the 3 year Diploma program.

Sustainable Community Development

- The Sharing Way is the relief and development department of CBM. Its primary concern is to respond to growing levels of global hunger. Currently about one billion people in the world are chronically food insecure. These women, men and children are undernourished; suffer from poor health and experience hunger day after day. 98% of them live in the developing world. 60% are women and girls. Over 50% live in rural areas where crops are grown. The reality is that one of every seven people in the world is hungry.
- Christians are involved in addressing issues of global hunger. The Canadian Foodgrains Bank (CFGB) is a working partnership of 15 Christian denominations that is headquartered in Winnipeg. Gordon King of CBM is a board member. With the multiplier effect of government funding, about \$250,000 a year is provided for food aid and crop production programs in countries like Kenya, Rwanda, Congo, Bolivia, El Salvador and India. Canadian Baptist churches and church members have also been generous with their financial resources.
- Over the past months The Sharing Way staff have been preparing a new proposal for the Canadian International Development Agency for food security projects in Bolivia and Rwanda. We are hoping that these proposals will be accepted and allow Canadian Baptists to engage even further in the task of ensuring that there is food for hungry families. This is part of our global witness in the developing world.
- CBM is talking with a group of agronomists from the Nova Scotia Agricultural College in Truro and the Kentville Agricultural Research Station about an agriculture project in East Africa. This project is in the early stages and we hope that it will lead to the improvement of sustainable farming practices in Kenya, Rwanda and the Democratic Republic of Congo.

Pioneer Outreach

- JOHNNY and PAIGE BYRNE-MAMAHIT
 - After 10 years of faithful service as Global Field Staff in Indonesia, Johnny and Paige Byrne-Mamahit have returned to Canada. They were appointed in May 2000 as Global Field Staff with CBM to serve in outreach ministries in East Kalimantan. They helped establish First Baptist Church in Balikpapan along with three other church plants. In August 2008, they moved to Pontianak in West Kalimantan where they worked with Faith Baptist Church in the city and in the Ketapang area where Johnny mentored and supervised five church plants.
 - Feeling the call toward a new ministry direction, the Byrne-Mamahits expressed their gratitude for all the faithful supporters who have encouraged, prayed for and supported them during their years in Indonesia. They returned to Canada at the end of December, 2010 and were engaged in home assignment until the end of April.
 - Please be in prayer for the family as they transition back into their next chapter of life in Canada.

Global Discipleship

- GLOBAL DISCIPLESHIP CURRICULUM
 - This resource will provide a biblical framework that encourages Canadian Baptists to be agents of God's emerging Kingdom, both individually and as faith communities. Slated for completion in Fall 2011, this curriculum will help bring together our current Global Discipleship programs (Live It Out, Short-term Mission & STEP) under an educational framework that is both globally sensitive and locally responsible in its focus.

PASTOR'S SCHOLARSHIP EXPERIENCES

- Three years ago Dr. Cal Malena took a group of Pastors on a mission experience to the United Kingdom and Kenya. The response was so overwhelmingly positive that a generous donor provided funding for other pastors across Canada to participate in similar experiences. These funds have allowed CBM to subsidize three Pastor Scholarship experiences in 2010/2011. The Executive Minister from each region was asked to provide the names of possible candidates. The response from the participants involved in these opportunities has been very positive, not only in terms of visiting other cultural settings but also in terms of meeting and networking together as Canadian Pastors.
- STEP (Serving, Training, Energizing Partnerships)
 - STEP invites Canadian churches to focus on one country and its ministry priorities, thus
 facilitating greater involvement as stakeholders in the work of building passionate
 discipleship for local and global mission.

Through STEP, the local church is empowered to support key global initiatives, such as leadership development, education and social action. STEP is about partnership with an association of churches in another part of the world. The STEP program began in 2004 and is currently active in 6 countries: Bolivia, El Salvador, India, Kenya, Lebanon and Rwanda.

2. Peer Assessment Review

As part of our commitment to capacity building for Integral Mission, we are undertaking a major assessment & analysis of our global partners. To inaugurate this process, we opened ourselves up to our own peers for a thorough review.

CBM has recently conducted its first peer assessment by a select group of its overseas partners. Under the leadership of Rev. Tony Peck (European Baptist Federation), Bishop Timothy Ndambuki (Africa Brotherhood Church), Nabil Costa (Lebanese Baptist Society), Yolanda deFlores (Bolivian Baptist Union) examined CBM's systems, policies and practices. They met with all our departments, many of our staff, constituency and representatives of our Board.

The Peer Assessment Report highlighted a number of areas for growth which the CBM Leadership Team is considering with a view to implementing in the near future.

The final words of the report are an encouragement to continue the course we are on. "Our final comment is, we hope, one of encouragement. CBM sets itself high standards in all its work, and as a result we as partners have come to have high expectations of our partnerships with CBM ... We believe that we speak for all partners of CBM when we encourage CBM to go on thinking and acting creatively to build those genuine mutual mission partnerships which are such an important model of the Kingdom of God."

3. We are Canadian Baptist!

We need your prayers and we need your support. We are an intrinsic part of Canadian Baptist life: Canadian Baptists own us!

Along with the four Canadian Baptist denominations that cooperate together to form CBM, we are navigating changes in how donors want to give. We are gradually moving away from the era of institution-institution giving, and moving into an era where churches and individuals want direct contact with the ministries they are funding. Today, for example, only 10% of our budget comes from denominational grants, while 77% is donated directly by individuals and churches (the remaining 13% comes from Women's organizations, CIDA, and investment income). This is a significant change from an earlier era, when the bulk of our budget came from denominational grants. I want to state clearly that this is not a complaint; in fact, it very much aligns with how most (not all) people want to give nowadays: they want to give directly.

This shift in donor culture means that we are working hard to be in stronger and more intentional contact with Canadian Baptist churches and individuals. One of our challenges is to raise money for "general" expenses, i.e. the dollars that pay for strategy, leadership, vision/direction, management, and overhead. In general we find that Canadian Baptists are a generous people. However, the continued reverberations from the 2008 worldwide financial meltdown means that we have had to trim our budget (mostly at the office/administration level) and have had several "lean" years. We also face the challenge that some things are easier to raise money for than others, e.g. it is easier to raise money for goats than for leadership development.

As I write this, the auditors have reviewed our books and our Board will soon approve the Audit Report. We ended 2010 in a balanced financial position, which means that the cutbacks that were instituted worked.

CBM continues to work collaboratively with the Canadian Baptist denominations through the Pension and Insurance Committee with regards to our National Pension and Benefit Plans. We have initiated a project to review our benefit plans in order to look at proposals regarding harmonized benefits across regions. We believe that there are opportunities to maintain our current benefit offering reducing current administration costs and capping future costs which is essential in our effort to provide reasonable benefits at affordable costs overtime.

Canadians continue their influence in Baptist life outside Canada. At the 2010 Baptist World Alliance (BWA) meetings in Hawaii, 16 Canadian Baptists were selected to serve in the committee work of the organization; including Joyce Bellous, Jeremy Bell and Brian Stelck of Carey Theological College.

4. Staffing

In Canada

At Strategic Planning meetings over the past few years, staff have commented many times that our driver, Global Discipleship lacked focus as part of the mandate resided in Partnerships and Initiatives and part in Communications and Resource Development. In July, 2010 CBM underwent an internal reorganization to better align departments with our strategic drivers. A new Global Discipleship department was created to oversee STEP, STM and resourcing of Canadian churches. In addition, an International Partnerships department was created to handle all international programming including the Sharing Way.

Carmin MacMillan resigned during the summer to take some time to reflect on what God had in store for her future. To resource the new Global Discipleship department Dennis Shierman has moved from Calgary to the Mississauga Office. Dennis is providing leadership to the STEP and STM programs. In the Fall of 2010 Bill and Janice Dyck returned from Indonesia and Bill is now Manager of the CBM Western Canada Office, replacing Dennis.

Many of you who have participated in an STM opportunity will remember Saloni Karl, who made most of the travel arrangements. After an STM trip to Bolivia with her church Saloni felt called to pursue a teaching career and left us in June, 2010 to participate in the Tyndale Bachelor of Education program.

Shannon Brisco has joined the International Partnerships department as program officer for Latin America and China. She joins Scott Lewis, Program Officer for Africa and the rest of the International Partnerships team.

Jon Williams recently joined the Global Discipleship and Communications department. Jon brings his enthusiasm for all things hi-tech to the department and has helped CBM enter more fully into the world of Facebook, Twitter and blogs. He is also developing new video resources for CBM: look for these on our web site.

In general, we are running pretty lean in the office. Just as a comparison, we currently have fewer office staff than we had in the year 2000.

International

Ron and Catherine Albinet

For over 20 years, Ron and Catherine have served with CBM in Istanbul, Turkey. The main focus of their ministry has been in theological education through HASAT (Harvest), formerly Bithiniya Bible Institute. Through their work many leaders of the Turkish church have received Biblical and theological training. The Albinets' will be on home assignment for 3 months from June 10- Sept 10, 2011. They are reassessing their primary focus of ministry and want to be more involved with young believers through bible studies and discipleship.

Rebecca Alward

Rebecca has now settled in Tarija in the south of Bolivia. Her main focus is working with the Bolivian Baptist Youth network, planning conferences and retreats, mentoring young leaders and leading bible studies and discipleship programs, particularly among young women. She has adjusted very well to her new location and language learning.

Tim and Diane Bannister

As part of our Global discipleship team, the Bannisters' help plan and lead short term ministry trips and STEP relations with our Kenyan partners. Diane is also our field treasurer. When they are not involved in STM events, Diane is working on a degree in public health and Tim is assisting our Kenyan partners with conservation farming, Farming Gods Way.

Darryl and Laura Lee Bustin

On May 26, Darrell, Laura Lee and their 2 children returned to Canada to begin a one year home assignment and study leave, bringing to an end almost 10 years of ministry with the KGBI in Indonesia. We are currently examining new ministry fields with them in another CBM priority country. During this year, they have been appointed as missionaries in residence at Hillside Baptist Church in Moncton, NB.

Malcolm and Patty Card

Malcolm and Patty Card retired at the end of December, 2010 and we welcomed Colin Godwin to the role of Africa Team Leader. Colin spent several years in Belgium and then transitioned in 2008 to Rwanda. Over the summer of 2010 Colin moved his family to Nairobi to take up his new responsibilities.

Paul and Kelly Carline

The Carlines' continue to work in evangelism and community development among Somali people in North East Kenya. They will be on home assignment for 1 year from July 30- 2011- June 30, 2012. They have been appointed as missionaries in residence with Kennebecasis United Baptist Church in Quispamsis, NB.

Jeff and Deann Carter

Horizons, the European Baptist Federation Youth online training program is now available in several key languages. Over the last few years, Jeff and a team of writers and researchers have developed this remarkable tool for equipping young leaders. The European Baptist Federation and Horizons have graciously made this program available to Canadians. Jeff is also instrumental in educational programs at the International Baptist Theological Seminary in Prague.

Andy and Rebecca DesRoches

After 13 years, Andy and Rebecca have decided to leave CBM. They will be on short home assignment from June 9- August 3rd and will return to Nairobi for at least 1 year where Rebecca will continue teaching at International School in Kenya. Please be in prayer for the family at this time of transition.

Aaron and Erica Kenny

The Kennys' have effectively assumed the role of Guardians of Hope coordinators for Kenya and Rwanda while maintaining their prior duties in Eastleigh, Nairobi. They are developing a strong network for AIDS workers and have hosted numerous workshops with our African partners. Aaron is also studying in the DMin program sponsored by CBM and Carey.

Bruno and Kathleen Soucy

The Soucy family has continued to provide strong leadership to CBM/AEBR partnership in ministries among the poor in Rwanda. Kathleen has taken on a vast challenge of assisting in literacy programs and ESL. Bruno is serving as our operations manager, under Colin Godwin, our Africa Team Leader, in helping increase the capacity of our African partners.

Dorothy Sowden

Appointed in 1981, Dorothy Sowden retired on March 31, 2011. She has served faithfully in Brazil, Mozambique and Angola. In December, 2010, she was our one remaining global field staff in Angola and on that date Dorothy retired from teaching at our Angolan partner's pastoral training school, the Charley Harvey Institute for Theology in Cabinda. We remain committed to helping train leaders for the growing church in Angola. Due to the incredibly high cost of living in Angola, the complexities of visas and the uncertain political situation between the enclave of Cabinda and the South of Angola, we have opted for using visiting Luzophone (Portuguese speaking) professors who will travel to Cabinda once or twice a year to help meet the needs of the school.

It is interesting to note that one of the countries that we have worked in the longest is now staffed completely by national field staff: India. We are blessed by a very talented team with Dr. Komaravalli and Dr Judson providing courses as part of the Diploma in Integral Mission program in Kenya. We are beginning to see cross cultural exchange amongst our field staff not just between North America and the countries where we serve.

In Conclusion

Please pray for the staff here in the office and for field staff transitioning to new ministries that God will reveal to them all that He wants them to do and that He will bless their endeavours.

Finally, pray for our Global partners as they seek to witness in word and deed and as we work to walk beside them responding to God's call to be Kingdom people.

Respectfully submitted,

Rev. Sam Chaise, General Secretary (with input from Audrey Davies and members of CBM's Leadership Team) May, 2011

CANADIAN BAPTIST MINISTRIES FINANCIAL

December 31, 2010

A full audited statement is available by request from the Canadian Baptist Ministries, 7185 Millcreek Drive, Mississauga, ON L5N 5R4

Statement of Financial Position		
Total Assets	(A)	12,104,991
Total Liabilities	(B)	7,655,132
Net Assets	(A) – (B)	4,449,859
Statement of Operations		
Revenues	(C)	9,566,344
Expenses	(D)	9,541,321
Net Income	(C) – (D)	25,024
Statement of Cash Flows (Statement of Changes in F	inancial Position)	
Cash flows from Operating Activities	(E)	3,102,808
Cash flows from Investing and Financing Activities	(F & G)	2,772,486

Details of any restrictions on the resources listed in A above (i.e. restricted fund balances):

Restricted for Endowment Purposes

2,937,033

Significant differences in the entities' disclosed accounting policies, from those followed by the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches:

None

Details of any events or transactions between the entity and the Convention of Atlantic Baptist Churches, in the period between your fiscal year end date and December 31. This applies only to entities with non-calendar year ends.

N/A

2010 REPORT OF THE UNION OF FRENCH BAPTIST CHURCHES IN CANADA

Roland Grimard, General Secretary



On behalf of the French Baptist Union, it is a great pleasure to me to extend warm greetings to the delegates attending the Annual Assembly. We want to thank you for your attachment and your friendship to the work in French Canada. We wish to take this opportunity to sincerely thank you for your ongoing support through your prayer support and your mission grant. We depend on your constant intercession for our churches and their leaders. We realize how privileged we are to be partners in Christ. It is always a great pleasure to be in touch with you through this annual report.

We would like to share with you some of the progress of the French work. The year 2010 was an important year for our family of churches. We are continuing our work with perseverance. The challenge remains how to reach our contemporaries with the Gospel. The cross must be at the heart of the Gospel and our service. It is true that the world has become increasingly hostile to Christianity but we must persevere and find ways to convey this beautiful message of God's grace in His Son Jesus. Too often we want the advantages and comfort that gives promise of the Word of God, but we easily forget that Jesus sends us into the world to proclaim his message of peace and reconciliation.

We are at a crossroads where churches must unite to do better. This will require from the churches and leadership put forward the principle of interdependence so beautifully illustrated by the image of the body or building. Discussions are underway regarding the "Indispensable Alliance" needed to allow the churches to unite in intentionally by common goals.

Confronted by this growing need for spiritual and competent pastoral workers in French Canada, capable of meeting the challenges of the 21st century the French Baptist Union has been working, over the last three years on a decentralised leadership training program called *Multi-C*. This program will help church leaders *identify* and *accompany* future leaders, and offer these new leaders a type of training adapted to the Church's needs and mission, eventually allowing for a smoother transition in the pastorate.

We are pleased to see our future leaders enjoy training under the leadership training program. Our approach is proactive and our desire is that the churches catch the vision and multiply the number of the leaders in the church. We have to enlarge the leadership if we want do more efficiently the work of God.

We have seven churches without a pastor. Our greatest challenge remains the recruitment of qualified church planters. In the next five years about *a third* of our pastoral work force will be reaching retirement age. If we can impress upon you one prayer need, it is to continue to pray the prayer that our Lord Jesus left us in Matthew 9:37-38: "The harvest is plentiful but the workers are few. Ask the Lord of the harvest, therefore, to send out workers into his harvest field."

A new generation of believers is emerging in our churches. They need guidance and opportunities for fellowship and discipleship. The average size of our churches – less than 60 – makes that harder to do. We are looking at ways to help our churches train their youth more effectively. It is a real challenge!

We worked to strengthen our network of churches. Our Atlantic network has continued to mature and minister powerfully in New Brunswick and two others networks are in progress: Ottawa area and South shore of Montreal. We want to develop the vision of regional development by churches accompanied by a ministerial team. This is a new approach that we believe essential for development and multiplication of churches.

Our three new churches in three different regions of Quebec: Drummondville (Center of Quebec), Saint Luc (South Shore) and Montreal going well. We are encouraged by what has been achieved within these new communities. We need more workers, especially church planters, because we are planning to start five new church plants over the next seven years.

Throughout this past year we have prepared a great event called evangelists forum this took place on March 24 to 26 in Montreal to recognize and encourage evangelists equipping them through exchanges and workshops. This conference has been followed by an evangelistic effort among local churches.

Another project that has occupied our time is the reflection and the development of means of communication via the Internet today. We've created a platform called "Toutchrétien.com" allowing us to produce and broadcast programs and information on the NET. We want to develop a set of tools and communications that may reach the new generation.

In Haiti, we have three Haitian churches in our family of churches who are working to improve the living conditions of local people on the Plateau Corail and Colline d'Aquin in the south of Haiti and a project in the north to Saint-Michel de l'Attalaye. As Union, we are invested in two projects of agriculture and two primary schools. If you saw the smile and joy of the farmers that when we told them our intentions to accompany and assist them to improve their working conditions.

Our affiliated churches have continued to increase their financial support toward the FBU, attesting to a renewed vision, passion and enthusiasm in the mission we are called to fulfill together, but there is still a lot to do to reach financial self-sufficiency, one of our key financial goals.

You have a special place in our hearts. You participate in spreading the Good News in French Canada. We are exceedingly grateful to you for your prayers and your support! Please keep praying that the mighty strength of the Lord will be with us when we speak about the Good News of Jesus Christ.

We wish you God's richest blessings during your Assembly.

Your servant in Christ.

Roland Grimard, General Secretary

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REGION I						NOF	RTHV	VESTE	ERN AS	SOCL	ATIO	N				
AROOSTOOK	3	1	1	1	0	0	4	30	16	0	5	0	13	0	11	0
BATH	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	56	56	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BEECHWOOD	9	0	0	2	3	0	4	97	15	83	9	0	62	15	20	0
CENTREVILLE	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	71	71	66	0	0	22	0	0	0
COLDSTREAM	0	0	4	0	4	0	0	152	98	120	15	0	60	0	25	0
DE STLEONARD, INC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	21	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DE STE-ANNE DE MADAWASKA	0	0	0	1	0	0	-1	24	17	30	0	0	2	0	0	0
DOW SETTLEMENT #	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FLORENCEVILLE	3	7	0	0	0	0	10	108	104	115	12	5	80	0	60	0
FOREST GLEN #	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GRAFTON	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	105	89	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GRAND FALLS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
HARTLAND	5	2	0	3	0	0	4	263	118	75	36	0	0	4	0	0
JACKSONVILLE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	175	138	216	30	19	134	14	96	9
KNOWLESVILLE	3	0	0	0	0	0	3	40	45	45	3	0	15	0	0	0
LAKEVILLE GOOD CORNER BLOOMFIELD	0	0	0	1	2	0	-3	60	46	28	0	0	0	0	0	0
LINDSAY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	59	59	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MARNE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	40	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MCKENZIE CORNER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	46	46	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MEDUCTIC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	81	73	58	10	0	44	0	85	0
MOUNT PLEASANT	0	0	1	2	0	0	-1	43	38	62	0	0	62	0	0	0
ORTONVILLE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	62	27	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PEEL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	24	13	18	0	0	3	0	0	0
PEMBROKE	4	0	2	0	2	0	4	42	26	47	0	0	6	0	0	0
PERTH-ANDOVER	1	2	0	5	0	0	-2	133	82	65	12	0	30	0	65	0
PLASTER ROCK	4	3	0	0	8	0	-1	140	60	60	8	0	0	0	0	0
RILEY BROOK	4	0	0	2	0	0	2	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SISSON RIDGE	0	0	0	0	2	0	-2	21	11	25	0	0	5	0	0	0
TRACEY MILLS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	88	53	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
UPPER KNOXFORD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
VICTORIA *	0	0	0	2	0	0	-2	18	9	6	0	0	0	0	0	0
WATERVILLE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	85	46	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WICKLOW	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	35	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WOODSTOCK	0	7	0	6	7	0	-6	720	511	316	37	20	145	17	182	0
TOTAL	37	22	9		28	1	14	2907	1961	1435	177	44	683	50	544	9

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REGION I					(UEI	ENS-	SUNB	U RY A	ASSOC	IATI	ON				
BLISSVILLE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	15	15	8	0	0	0	0	0
CENTRAL WICKHAM	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CODYS	0	0	0	1	0	0	-1	66	15	18	0	0	2	0	0	0
COLE'S ISLAND	0	4	0	1	0	1	2	34	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CUMBERLAND BAY	0	0	0	1	0	0	-1	117	100	50	12	0	30	0	12	0
FIRST CAMBRIDGE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	71	48	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FIRST CHIPMAN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	79	54	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FIRST GRAND LAKE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	26	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FIRST HAMPSTEAD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18	5	6	6	0	0	0	40	0
FREDERICTON JUNCTION	0	0	0	1	0	0	-1	143	85	140	15	0	30	0	100	12
FRENCH LAKE	0	0	0	1	0	0	-1	80	51	45	0	0	12	0	35	0
GEARY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	133	107	155	75	8	80	75	115	15
HOYT INC.	0	0	0	0	1	0	-1	110	28	30	0	0	0	0	0	0
JEMSEG	0	0	2	2	1	0	-1	130	64	75	0	0	20	0	35	0
LAKEVILLE CORNER INC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	28	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LINCOLN INC.	1	4	1	1	2	2	1	95	57	87	15	0	35	0	30	0
MAUGERVILLE	1	0	0	1	3	0	-3	81	64	55	0	0	30	0	25	0
NASONWORTH (FORMERLY NEW MARYLAND)	0	0	0	2	0	0	-2	163	116	80	8	0	28	0	14	0
NEWCASTLE CREEK	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	47	29	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
OF MINTO	3	0	0	7	0	0	-4	253	124	75	51	10	11	51	38	18
OROMOCTO	2	2	15	2	2	0	15	349	142	122	12	0	40	0	0	0
QUEENSTOWN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18	6	6	6	0	0	0	40	0
RUSAGONIS	2	1	2	6	0	0	-1	249	249	104	35	0	25	8	35	0
SALMON CREEK	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	68	68	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SECOND CHIPMAN	0	0	0	4	0	0	-4	260	162	80	18	0	37	6	0	0
SHANNON #	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TRACY	0	0	0	3	0	0	-3	201	143	150	14	0	70	0	100	12
UPPER GAGETOWN	0	0	0	1	0	0	-1	23	17	8	0	0	0	0	0	0
WATERBOROUGH	0	0	0	0	2	0	-2	26	13	24	0	0	0	0	0	0
WATERVILLE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	26	18	8	0	0	0	0	0	0
WICKHAM #	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WIRRAL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	15	12	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	9	11	20	34	11	3	-8	2945	1884	1345	275	18	450	140	619	57

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REGION I							YO	RK ASS	OCIA	ΓΙΟΝ	•					
BEAR ISLAND #	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BRUNSWICK STREET INC.	3	3	4	10	9	2	-11	911	666	502	45	13	87	14	161	23
BURTTS CORNER INC.	1	0	0	0	3	0	-2	131	104	70	20	0	0	0	50	0
DEVON PARK	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DOUGLAS	0	3	1	0	4	4	-4	291	228	169	35	0	81	10	142	30
EEL RIVER LAKE #	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FAITH	6	7	2	1	3	0	11	204	188	161	47	12	84	0	0	20
FOREST CITY #	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	1	0	0	0	0	-	0	0
FOSTERVILLE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	30	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GRACE MEMORIAL INC.	6	11	2	14	1	0	4	601	425	200	35	1	10	35	100	12
GREENWOOD DRIVE INC.	0	4	0	2	6	0	-4	321	285	145	23	0	18	0	99	23
HANWELL COMMUNITY CHURCH	0	0	0	0	1	0	-1	128	95	140	11	14	64	11	150	0
HARVEY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18	14	20	0	0	0	0	0	0
ISLAND VIEW (FORMERLY FIRST KINGSCLEAR)	0	0	0	0	1	0	-1	55	36	25	0	0	0	0	0	0
KESWICK	0	2	0	3	1	0	-2	178	178	75	15	0	30	20	75	0
KINGSLEY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	180	92	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MACTAQUAC	3	0	1	0	2	0	2	159	52	62	10	0	0	10	30	0
MARYSVILLE	7	3	0	2	3	0	5	373	303	130	24	7	45	8	35	0
MIDDLE SOUTHAMPTON	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	8	0	0	0	0	-	0	0
MILLVILLE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	87	64	0	0	0	0		0	0
NACKAWIC	0	5	0			0		152	83	56	6	0	0		0	0
NASHWAAK VILLAGE	0	0	0			0		30	26	10	0	1	0	-	0	0
NASHWAAKSIS	3	8	0			0		385	269	150	8	0	40		60	20
PRINCE WILLIAM *	0	0	0			0	0	23	16	0	0	0	0		0	0
SCOTCH SETTLEMENT UNION CHURCH	9	0	0		0	0	9	16	9	14	0	0	0		0	0
SECOND KINGSCLEAR	5	4	5		2	0		102	102	81	10	0	25	0	0	0
SKYLINE ACRES	3	3	0		2	0	3	101	84	54	0	0	25			0
SPRINGFIELD #	0	0	0		-	0	0	84	47	0	0	0	0		0	0
STAPLES SETTLEMENT	0	0	4	0		10	-6	23	23	25	0	0	25			0
TEMPERANCE VALE	0	0	0			0	0	31	13	35	0	0	6		0	0
UPPER HAINESVILLE	0	0	0			0	0	12	9	0	0	0	0			0
TOTAL	46	53	19	41	48	16	13	4653	3442	2124	289	48	540	120	965	128

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REGION II							A	NNAPOI	IS COU	NTY						
BEAR RIVER EAST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	36	31	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BRIDGETOWN	5	5	0	3	3	2	2	378	217	100	15	0	25	8	30	30
CENTRELEA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CLARENCE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	79	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CLEMENTSPORT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	26	24	16	0	0	0	0	0	0
CLEMENTSVALE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	156	117	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DEEP BROOK	3	1	0	1	0	0	3	51	38	35	0	0	10	0	0	0
FIRST OF ANNAPOLIS ROYAL	1	2	0	2	4	0	-3	126	78	45	0	0	0	0	0	0
GRANVILLE BEACH	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19	8	25	0	0	3	0	0	0
GRANVILLE CENTRE	2	1	0	1	0	0	2	17	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GRANVILLE FERRY	0	0	0	0	0	1	-1	36	10	20	0	0	0	0	0	0
HAMPTON	19	5	23	1	1	0	45	45	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
HILLSBURN	5	5	5	1	10	0	4	104	50	45	0	0	18	0	0	0
INGLISVILLE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LAWRENCETOWN	2	5	0	4	5	0	-2	259	215	60	0	0	12	0	0	0
LITCHFIELD UNION CHURCH *	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LOWER GRANVILLE FIELD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MARGARETSVILLE	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	89	49	33	0	0	12	0	0	0
MELVERN SQUARE	0	0	0	1	0	0	-1	83	38	0	0	0	4	0	0	0
MIDDLETON	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	381	231	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MILFORD-GRAYWOOD *	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MOUNT HANLEY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	6	15	0	0	0	0	0	0
NICTAUX	2	0	1	2	2	0	-1	201	85	65	6	0	6	0	10	0
PARADISE	0	2	1	3	0	1	-1	162	162	50	45	0	25	0	28	0
PARKER'S COVE	0	12	3	4	4	0	7	128	105	170	20	0	45	12	45	2
PORT ROYAL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	7	23	0	0	0	0	0	0
PORT WADE	0	0	0	1	0	0	-1	15	8	27	0	0	2	0	0	0
TORBROOK	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	41	27	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
VICTORIA BEACH	0	0	0	1	0	0	-1	22	13	25	0	0	3	0	0	0
VICTORIA VALE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	52	29	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WEST DALHOUSIE	0	0	0	6	0	0	-6	55	55	12	0	0	0	0	0	0
WILMOT	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	108	60	52	12	0	31	0	20	0
WILMOT MOUNTAIN (PORT LORNE)	0	0	0	1	0	0	-1	31	13	6	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	41	40	33	32	29	4	49	2747	1760	824	98	0	196	20	133	32

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REGION II	0	0	0	0				T		SOCIAT	- 1	0	20	0	0	
Alton	0	0	0	0	1	0		236	148	50	0	0	30	0	0	0
Arlington	0	2	2	2	0	0	4	39	29	12	0	0	0	0	0	0
Avonport	0	7	0 8	5	3	0	-2 7	130	70	40 138	0 15	0	5 62	0	70	0
Aylesford Berwick	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	147 219	143 219	138	0	0	0	0	0	0
		5	0	2	2	0	5			110	0	0	25	0	33	0
Bethany Memorial Billtown	0	5	0	2	0	0	3	280 96	280 96	65	0	0	12	0	30	0
Black River	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	96 47	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Black River Black Rock	2	0	0	1	0	0	1	102	44	45	10	1	5	0	1	0
Burlington	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	102	12	15	0	0	3	0	0	0
Cambridge	0	1	0	3	5	0		210	210		0	0	5	0	25	0
Cambridge *	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0
Canning	0	1	0	2	0	0		162	141	40	0	0	6	0	0	0
Centreville	3	2	0	2	2	0	_	210	140	140	38	15	28	8	44	0
Coldbrook	0	2	0	0	0	0		43	41	57	16	0	10	0	35	0
Falmouth	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	106	78	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
First Cornwallis	0	1	0	1	3	0	-3	126	58	64	25	10	0	10	30	0
Forest Hill	3	1	0	1	4	0	-1	28	27	19	0	0	1	0	0	0
Gaspereau	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	92	50		0	0	0	0	0	0
Hall's Harbour	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	38	32	20	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hantsport	0	0	0	4	2	0	-6	251	143	70	12	3	35	0	45	20
Harmony	5	2	0	1	0	1	5	75	57	37	4	0	20	0	0	0
Kempt (Summerville and Bramber)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	88	65	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kentville	2	2	0	8	5	0	-9	452	328	160	30	23	40	0	150	0
Kingston	2	1	0	5	0	0	-2	425	233	115	18	0	28	0	40	0
Morristown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	195	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mount Denson	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	50	15	25	0	0	0	0	5	0
New Beginnings Christian Ministries	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
New Minas	6	13	11	3	4	2	21	734	677	551	50	30	140	30	200	50
Newport (Scotch Village)	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	98	46	30	0	0	12	0	0	0
Pereaux	5	1	0	3	4	0	-1	173	127	65	0	0	18	0	0	0
Port Williams	1	0	0	3	0	0	-2	260	163	100	15	1	50	0	60	0
South Rawdon	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	105	46	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stoney Hill (Lockhartville)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	62	35	35	0	0	0	0	0	0
Third Horton (Canaan)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	42	34	20	8	0	20	0	0	0
Union Church Of Scott's Bay	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	17	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Upper Vaughan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	68	35	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wallbrook	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	42	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Waterville	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	125	125	30	23	0	3	0	0	0
West Brooklyn	0	0	0	1	0	0	-1	36	15	15	0	0	7	0	25	0
White Rock	0	0	0	2	0	0	-2	34	32	20	15	0	0	0	0	0
Windsor	0	8	0	5	0	0	3	271	171	103	8	10	15	0	40	0
Wolfville	3	4	0	8	3	0	-4	248	251	170	35	0	24	15	34	10
Wolfville Ridge	0	0	0	0	1	0	-1	60	45	34	0	0	4	0	0	0
Woodville	0	3	0	0	0	0	3	68	48	35	1	0	15	0	18	0
TOTAL	38	63	21	68	39	3	12	6317	4596	2480	323	94	623	63	885	80

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REGION III							AI	LBERT	ASSOCI	ATION	J					
ALBERT MINES	1	0	0	2	0	0	-1	69	18	0	5	8	0	5	25	0
ALMA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	24	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BALTIMORE#	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BERRYTON *	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DAWSON SETTLEMENT	2	3	0	0	1	0	4	82	53	45	4	0	40	0	0	0
ELGIN THIRD (HILLSIDE)#	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FIRST ELGIN	0	2	0	3	2	0	-3	165	152	0	26	0	52	0	0	0
FIRST HARVEY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	24	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FIRST HILLSBOROUGH	0	3	0	4	3	0	-4	387	254	175	37	12	94	18	120	0
FIVE POINTS	0	3	0	0	0	0	3	117	114	50	12	0	32	5	40	0
GUNNINGSVILLE	4	0	0	2	3	0	-1	243	186	84	32	0	10	32	34	8
HOPEWELL HILL	0	0	4	0	1	0	3	67	43	38	0	0	15	0	30	0
LOWER CAPE	3	4	0	2	1	0	4	49	35	25	10	0	15	0	30	0
LOWER COVERDALE	8	0	5	2	1	0	10	203	159	140	40	19	40	40	30	20
LOWER TURTLE CREEK	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18	18	15	0	0	11	0	0	0
NEW HORTON	0	0	0	1	0	0	-1	46	20	20	0	0	0	0	0	0
NIXON (3RD COVERDALE)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	53	45	25	0	0	0	0	0	0
RIVERSIDE-ALBERT	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	75	25	14	0	0	0	0	0	0
RIVERVIEW	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	250	141	103	30	0	70	20	30	0
SALEM	2	1	0	1	0	0	2	52	43	30	1	0	45	0	0	0
SECOND ELGIN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	60	29	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
STONEY CREEK	1	1	0	1	0	0	1	40	20	22	0	0	16	0	0	0
VALLEY	0	4	0	2	0	0	2	158	112	70	0	0	42	0	45	0
WELDON	0	0	0	0	1	0	-1	56	26	17	0	0	8	0	0	0
WHITEPINE	0	0	0	3	0	0	-3	75	74	68	25	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	21	21	11	25	13	0	15	2322	1606	941	222	39	490	120	384	28

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REGION III					MIR	AMIC	CHI-N	ORTH	SHOR	E ASS	OCIA	TION	J			
BAYVIEW (BATHURST)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	122	58	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CARROLL'S CROSSING	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	35	35	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DOAKTOWN	0	0	0	3	0	0	-3	69	32	45	3	0	20	0	0	0
EGLISE BAPTISTE CHALEUR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	8	8	0	0	0	0	0	0
FIRST (CAMPBELLTON)	0	0	0	1	0	1	-2	92	63	60	0	0	20	0	0	0
LOWER DERBY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	45	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LUDLOW	0	0	0	0	2	0	-2	23	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NEWCASTLE	0	3	0	0	2	0	1	366	211	232	17	0	22	0	118	0
RESTIGOUCHE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
UPPER BLACKVILLE (BETHEL/NEW ZION)	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	160	85	55	3	0	35	0	0	3
WELLINGTON STREET	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	49	49	40	0	0	25	0	0	0
TOTAL	1	3	0	5	4	1	-6	980	581	440	23	0	122	0	118	3

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REGION III					P	RINC	CE ED	WARD	ISLAND	ASSO	CIATI	ON				
ALBERTON (FORMERLY ALMA-ALBERTON)	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	35	30	95	10	1	40	10	40	0
ALEXANDRA	0	0	0	0	1	0	-1	20	20	32	0	0	0	0	0	0
ANNANDALE#	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BEDEQUE	0	1	2	0	0	0	3	126	73	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BELMONT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	28	20	25	10	0	8	0	40	0
BONSHAW	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	17	8	8	0	0	0	0	0	0
CAVENDISH #	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CENTRAL KINGS (DUNDAS)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CLYDE RIVER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CORNERSTONE	3	11	0	1	13	0	0	143	53	318	65	30	60	0	0	30
FIRST (CHARLOTTETOWN)	9	5	0	10	6	0	-2	581	470	274	45	25	28	20	0	20
KINGSBORO (FORMERLY EAST POINT)	5	2	0	1	0	0	6	280	195	180	50	1	70	5	127	8
LONG CREEK	0		0	0	0	0	0	195	164	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MONTAGUE	0		0	0	0	0	0	38	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MURRAY HARBOUR	3	3	0	1	0	0	5	118	88	80	33	20	42	0	150	0
MURRAY RIVER	0	0	1	1	2	0	-2	69	49	40	0	0	37	0	48	0
SPRINGFIELD WEST-O'LEARY	3	0	1	1	0	0	3	222	171	100	15	24	35	8	45	0
STURGEON	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SUMMERSIDE	1	9	0	3	0	0	7	157	152	0	22	0	55	22	110	20
TRYON-WESTMORELAND INC.	0		0	1	2	0	-3	75	35	19	0	0	4	0	13	0
TOTAL	24	33	4	19	24	0	18	2159	1608	1171	250	101	379	65	573	78

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ALLISON CHURCH SALISBURY ROAD CAMPUS	13	5	11	6	5	0	18	754	554	460	40	0	67	0	75	26
BERRY MILLS	0	0	0	1	0	0	-1	90	75	20	10	0	27	5	50	0
BYNON MEMORIAL (CANAAN STATION)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	52	52	30	0	0	23	0	0	0
CALHOUN	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	15	13	27	0	0	6	0	0	0
CHERRYFIELD	12	6	2	0	2	0	18	73	52	85	15	13	50	10	50	0
CORN HILL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	62	62	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DORCHESTER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	131	51	11	0	0	0	0	0	0
DUNDAS	4	0	0	1	1	0	2	109	71	75	16	0	40	0	30	0
FIRST MONCTON	6	4	3	15	2	0	-4	591	478	266	15	10	30	12	35	6
FIRST NORTH RIVER INC.	0	13	0	3	2	3	5	155	97	125	8	0	70	0	62	0
FISHER HILL #	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GRANGEVILLE	0	0	0	1	0	1	-2	61	38	49	0	0	23	0	0	0
HAVELOCK	0	0	0	3	2	0	-5	215	109	62	15	0	20	1	40	0
HIGHFIELD STREET	5	2	5	5	2	0	5	476	396	278	35	7	151	15	40	0
HILLGROVE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	116	95	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
HILLSIDE	15	6	7	5	4	0	19	619	541	437	65	21	57	20	318	35
KINNEAR SETTLEMENT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	22	20	12	0	0	0	0	0	0
LEWIS MOUNTAIN	0	0	2	1	0	0	1	40	35	24	3	0	8	0	30	0
LEWISVILLE	0	0	11	5	1	0	5	352	174	177	60	0	50	0	75	0
MCKEE'S MILLS	3	1	0	1	0	0	3	80	34	40	10	0	12	0	0	0
MIDDLE SACKVILLE	4	1	1	1	1	0	4	123	100	0	80	0	30	0	0	40
MIDGIC	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	107	84	59	0	0	7	0	0	0
NEW CANAAN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	74	25	25	0	0	15	0	0	0
PETITCODIAC	2	3	1	4	4	0	-2	460	460	135	30	0	68	0	120	0
RIVER GLADE	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	53	49	34	0	0	15	0	20	0
SALISBURY , INC.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	414	312	157	25	0	95	0	60	0
SECOND NORTH RIVER	3	0	2	3	0	0	2	170	126	70	15	0	25	0	30	0
SHEDIAC BAY COMMUNITY CHURCH	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	39	31	70	20	0	10	0	30	0
STEEVES MOUNTAIN	0	0	3	2	0	0	1	89	33	21	0	0	12	0	23	0
STEEVES SETTLEMENT	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	16	8	8	0	0	0	0	0	0
SUNNY BRAE	0	2	0	5	3	0	-6	314	145	89	13	8	46	0	46	0
THE GLADES	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	42	30	30	3	0	0	0	0	0
UPLANDS	0	2	1	2	4	0	-3	144	100	57	22	0	23	30	0	0
VICTORY (FORMERLY RICHIBUCTO)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	30	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WEST LANE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	195	144	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WHEATON SETTLEMENT	0	2	0	1	0	0	1	86	84	60	0	0	10	0	25	15
TOTAL	71	51	49	66	33	4	68	6369	4708	2993	500	59	990	93	1159	122

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REGION IV				A	NTIG	ONIS	H-GU	JYSBO	ROUG	H ASS	SOCIA	TION	N			
PORT HILLFORD	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	4	25	0	0	8	0	0	0
PORT BICKERTON	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	9	25	0	0	0	0	25	0
SONORA	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	7	7	25	0	0	0	0	0	0
NEW HARBOUR	0	0	0	2	0	0	-2	56	56	10	0	0	10	0	0	0
SEAL HARBOUR	0	0	0	1	0	0	-1	26	15	15	0	0	0	0	0	0
GOLDBORO	0	0	0	0	0	1	-1	8	2	12	0	0	0	0	0	0
ISAACS HARBOUR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	21	5	8	0	0	0	0	0	0
GUYSBOROUGH	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	11	14	0	0	0	0	0	0
CANSO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	25	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
HALF ISLAND COVE #	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	2	0	0	3	0	1	-2	173	129	134	0	0	18	0	25	0

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REGION IV						CAI	E BR	ETON	ASSO	CIATI	ON					
CALVARY (NORTH SYDNEY)	0	0	0	0	2	0	-2	226	106	65	8	0	15	0	0	0
CLYDE AVENUE	0	2	0	4	0	0	-2	129	79	38	0	0	6	0	0	0
GLACE BAY	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	23	23	30	0	0	1	0	0	0
PORT HAWKESBURY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	21	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SYDNEY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SYDNEY NEW LIFE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	2	2	0	4	2	0	-2	399	228	133	8	0	22	0	0	0

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Region IV		1				COL	CHES	TER-PI	CTOU A	SSOC	IATIO	N				
BASS RIVER	0	0	0	1	0	0	-1	55	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BELMONT	0	0	0	0	1	0	-1	44	44	20	8	0	18	11	20	0
BROOKFIELD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	83	65	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CENTRAL NEW ANNAN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	11	20	0	0	0	0	0	0
DEBERT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	56	25	40	20	0	12	16	0	0
FIRST (TRURO)	3	3	0	5	3	0	-2	230	140	80	10	0	1	0	30	0
FIRST NEW GLASGOW	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	217	217	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
IMMANUEL (TRURO)	2	0	5	3	0	0	4	428	303	149	37	15	65	15	113	0
OF NUTTBY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	15	17	0	0	0	0	25	0
PORTAUPIQUE (MONTROSE) #	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	17	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
STEWIACKE	5	0	0	0	0	4	1	90	49	65	12	0	16	10	0	0
TRURO HEIGHTS	5	2	0	2	1	0	4	101	82	80	17	0	0	17	35	0
WITTENBURG	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	70	65	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	15	5	5	11	5	4	5	1421	1038	471	104	15	112	69	223	0

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REGION IV	,	',		',	',	CU	MBEI	RLAND	ASSO	CIATIO	ON		<u> </u>		',	
ADVOCATE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
AMHERST FIRST	0	1	0	6	1	0	-6	683	345	150	65	0	10	0	0	0
APPLE RIVER	0	0	0	2	0	0	-2	7	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
DILIGENT RIVER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	22	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LITTLE RIVER	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	38	22	22	0	0	0	0	0	0
MACCAN	0	0	0	2	0	0	-2	15	10	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
MILLVALE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	5	12	0	0	0	0	0	0
OXFORD	0	0	0	0	1	0	-1	89	33	26	0	0	10	0	0	0
PARRSBORO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	74	74	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PORT GREVILLE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	24	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PUGWASH MEMORIAL	0	0	0	0	7	0	-7	65	40	44	0	0	20	0	0	0
RIVER HEBERT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	38	27	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SOUTHAMPTON	0	0	0	1	0	0	-1	44	26	36	8	0	0	0	0	0
SPRINGHILL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	346	221	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WALLACE RIVER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	69	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WENTWORTH	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	25	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WESTCHESTER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	1	1	0	11	9	0	-18	1571	902	300	73	0	40	0	0	0

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	Recei	Rece	Rece	Rem	Rem	Remo	N	Tota	Reside	Avg Wo	Avg Youth	Youth and Lea	Avg	Youth in V	V.B.	Youn
REGION IV							H	ALIFAX	ASSOC	IATION		1		1		
BAYERS ROAD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	404	120	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BAYSIDE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	50	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BEDFORD	0	9	0	2	2	0	5	402	285	220	65	24	15	28	120	12
BETHEL	0	2	1	3	0	0	0	111	80	10	3	0	17	0	0	0
BIRCH COVE INC	7	8	0	0	4	0	11	263	218	233	18	12	92	0	151	20
BIRCHY HEAD (FORMERLY MILL COVE)	0	0	0	0	1	0	-1	35	29	17	0	0	0	0	0	0
CALVARY (SPRYFIELD)	0	0	0	1	0	0	-1	35	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
EASTERN PASSAGE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	79	45	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ELMSDALE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	58	58	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FAITH (LOWER SACKVILLE)	0	3	7	1	1	0	8	231	109	88	4	0	24	0	60	0
FIRST DARTMOUTH	4	2	2	4	9	1	-6	552	253	160	25	17	17	25	25	0
FIRST HALIFAX	7	0	1	8	1	0	-1	628	522	225	5	0	20	7	0	0
FIRST NEW BEGINNINGS CHURCH MINISTRIES	6	3	0	2	3	0	4	224	195	225	15	0	50	0	50	0
FOUNDATION	0	0	0	0	0	2	-2	36	35	30	4	0	6	0	22	0
HAMMONDS PLAINS FIRST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	128	120	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
HEAD OF ST. MARGARET'S BAY	0	5	1	2	3	0	1	107	94	45	0	0	0	0	20	0
IMMANUEL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	135	96	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
INDIAN HARBOUR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
JEDDORE	1	0	0	3	0	0	-2	133	89	0	0	0	19	0	30	0
MULGRAVE PARK	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	105	105	61	13	10	3	2	0	7
NEW LIFE	0	4	0	1	0	0	3	54	32	0	11	0	13	0	0	0
REGAL ROAD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	208	208	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SACKVILLE	0	1	0	1	0		0	87	87	7	3	0	7	0	0	0
SACKVILLE CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SOUTH END	0	8	0	0	2	0	6	208	93	85	8	8	12	0	50	0
STEVENS ROAD	3	1	1	2	4	0	-1	455	274	107	35	13	15	0	45	0
TIMBERLEA	0	11	0	0	1	0	10	81	46	53	30	0	16	0	0	0
TODAY'S FAMILY CHURCH	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
UNIACKE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	112	81	35	15	0	20	0	0	0
WEST END	0	2	0	4	5	1	-8	387	287	84	20	11	27	11	50	12
TOTAL	28	61	13	36	36	4	26	5332	3645	1685	274	95	373	73	623	51

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REGION IV				1	NEWI	OUN	DLAN	ND/LAI	BRADO	OR AS	SOCL	ATIO	N			
CALVARY	0	0	5	0	0	1	4	34	28	56	8	0	38	0	25	0
CLARENVILLE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CORNER BROOK	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	57	57	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GANDER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LEWISPORTE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NORTHERN CROSS COMMUNITY CHURCH	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WEST END OF ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND	0	0	0	1	3	0	-4	186	122	180	59	7	82	25	38	45
TOTAL	0	0	5	1	3	1	0	314	242	236	67	7	120	25	63	45

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REGION V					I			DIGBY	COUNT	Y	I		l I			
ASHMORE BETHEL	0	2	0	0	1	0	1	69	38	25	8	3	5	0	0	0
BEAR RIVER	0	2	0	4	2	0	-4	197	197	40	0	0	4	0	0	0
CENTREVILLE (DIGBY NECK FIRST)	0	0	0	2	1	0	-3	30	6	45	0	0	0	0	0	0
CULLODEN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	40	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DIGBY	1	0	0	2	2	1	-4	313	313	90	0	0	6	0	0	0
DIGBY NECK SECOND LITTLE RIVER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	63	43	35	0	0	20	0	0	0
EAST FERRY *	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FREEPORT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	103	45	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
HILL GROVE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	108	73	40	0	2	33	0	78	0
NEW TUSKET	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	89	63	50	6	0	37	0	25	0
NORTH RANGE	0	1	0	0	3	0	-2	61	42	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PLYMPTON	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	83	37	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
RIVERSIDE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ROSSWAY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	32	22	20	0	0	0	0	0	0
SANDY COVE #	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SMITH'S COVE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	104	69	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ST. MARY'S BAY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	21	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TIVERTON	1	1	0	3	2	0	-3	65	38	18	12	0	22	0	15	0
WESTPORT	0	0	0	1	0	0	-1	81	40	35	0	0	0	0	20	0
TOTAL	3	6	0	13	11	1	-16	1500	1106	398	26	5	127	0	138	0

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REGION V						LUN	ENBU	RG-QUI	EENS AS	SSOCI	ATIO	N				
AENON	0	0	0	3	1	0	-4	108	108	54	10	0	34	10	45	10
BARSS CORNER	0	0	0	2	0	0	-2	214	134	25	0	0	15	0	12	0
BEECH HILL #	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	17	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BIG TANCOOK #	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	47	47	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BRIDGEWATER	0	2	3	7	6	0	-8	690	500	250	15	5	40	10	60	14
BROOKLYN	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	60	58	39	0	0	22	0	0	0
CALEDONIA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	54	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CANAAN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	27	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CHARLESTON	0	0	0	0	1	0	-1	29	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CHELSEA	0	5	0	2	0	0	3	73	44	0	0	0	8	0	0	0
CHESTER	5	1	0	6	0	0	0	371	279	90	2	0	25	0	40	0
EAST DALHOUSIE #	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
EMMANUEL OF PARKDALE-MAPLEWOOD	0	2	0	1	2	0	-1	117	62	30	0	0	4	0	4	0
FALKLAND RIDGE #	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GREENFIELD	0	0	0	4	6	0	-10	59	43	35	0	0	15	0	0	0
KEMPT	0	0	0	3	3	0	-6	42	28	26	0	0	4	0	22	0
LAPLAND	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	23	11	10	0	0	0	0	0	0
LIVERPOOL	9	3	3	1	2	0	12	397	256	92	0	0	35	0	0	0
MAHONE BAY	0	0	0	4	0	0	-4	99	46	25	0	0	0	0	0	0
MILTON	0	0	0	2	3	0	-5	150	93	45	0	0	10	0	0	0
NEW CANADA	0	0	0	3	1	0	-4	47	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NEW CORNWALL	0	3	0		0	0		69	48	0	0	0	19	0	0	0
NEW ROSS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	127	92	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NORTH BROOKFIELD	0	0	0	0	2	0	-2	54	28	15	0	0	0	0	0	0
NORTHWEST	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	64	56	47	0	0	30	0	20	0
PLEASANTVILLE	1	1	1	2	0	0	1	144	98	65	6	0	30	0	70	0
PORT MEDWAY	0	0	0	0		0	0	22	18	20	0	0	0	0	0	0
PORT MOUTON	0	0	0	1	0	0	-1	43	31	30	0	0	20	0	0	0
SOUTH BROOKFIELD (ZION)	0	0	0	0		0	0	34	17	17	0	0	0	0	0	0
SPRINGFIELD	1	0	0	0		0	1	72	44	39	0	0	0	0	0	0
WESTERN SHORE	0	0	0	1	0	0	-1	14	14	21	0	0	26	0	0	0
WESTFIELD	0	0	0	0		0	-2	67	39	20	8	0	8	0	0	0
TOTAL	20	17	7	47	29	0	-32	3346	2301	995	41	5	345	20	273	24

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REGION V						SHI	ELBU	URNE	ASSC	CIA	ΓΙΟΝ	1		I		
BARRINGTON TEMPLE	0	1	0	2	0	0	-1	115	115	30	0	0	45	0	40	0
BEAR POINT	0	0	5	0	0	0	5	30	12	13	0	0	15	0	6	0
CENTRAL WOODS HARBOUR	0	0	0	1	0	0	-1	27	20	15	0	0	8	0	0	0
CENTREVILLE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	51	37	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CLARK'S HARBOUR 'STONE' CHURCH	0	0	0	1	0	0	-1	127	88	50	0	0	35	0	0	0
DOCTOR'S COVE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	21	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FIRST RAGGED ISLANDS	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	25	21	15	0	0	0	0	0	0
FIRST SABLE RIVER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	16	10	0	0	0	0	0	0
JORDAN FALLS	0	4	0	2	2	0	0	72	72	40	12	0	25	0	40	0
LOCKEPORT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	53	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LOWER WOODS HARBOUR (CALVARY)	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	110	96	65	38	19	90	14	110	25
NEWELLTON	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	25	25	17	2	0	14	0	0	0
PORT LA TOUR	0	0	0	1	0	0	-1	55	46	30	0	0	25	0	0	0
SHAG HARBOUR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	78	50	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SHELBURNE	3	0	0	2	0	1	0	95	58	51	20	0	12	0	15	0
SOUTH SIDE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	33	33	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
STONEY ISLAND	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	105	98	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	5	6	5	11	2	1	2	1042	821	336	72	19	269	14	211	25

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REGION V						YA	RM(OUTH	ASSC	OCIA'	TION	1				
ARGYLE-PUBNICO	2	5	0	1	2	0	4	92	88	100	30	0	98	0	80	8
BAY VIEW (PORT MAITLAND)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	25	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BEAVER RIVER	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	43	19	20	0	0	0	0	0	0
BROOKLYN (YARMOUTH) *	0	0	0	2	0	0	-2	81	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CARLETON	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	30	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CEDAR LAKE #	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
HEBRON (FORMERLY HEBRON MEMORIAL)	0	2	0	3	1	0	-2	76	71	80	12	0	40	0	29	8
KEMPTVILLE	0	0	0	1	0	0	-1	85	46	61	3	0	26	3	45	0
LAKE GEORGE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NEW HEIGHTS	4	0	0	1	2	0	1	56	56	80	12	0	32	9	37	0
PLEASANT LAKE	0	0	2	3	0	0	-1	47	42	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PLEASANT VALLEY	0	0	0	3	0	0	-3	126	105	75	20	0	38	0	60	0
SANDFORD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	120	73	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TEMPLE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
YARMOUTH NORTH	2	1	0	2	0	0	1	193	150	85	0	0	30	0	0	0
ZION	0	0	0	6	0	0	-6	222	163	57	0	0	16	0	0	0
TOTAL	8	8	4	22	5	0	-7	1227	904	558	77	0	280	12	251	16

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REGION VI						SAI	NT.	IOHN-	KINGS	ASSO	CIAT	ION		-		
ATLANTIC COMMUNITY CHURCH	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	415	393	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BROWNS FLAT	0	0	0	1	0	0	-1	29	29	55	13	0	36	3	50	0
CENTRAL NORTON	0	2	0	2	5	0		210	86	125	50	0	0	20	0	12
CHANCE HARBOUR	0	0	0	1	0	0		13	9	45	0	0	0	0	0	0
COLLINA	0	0	0	1	1	1	-3	40	22	40	11	0	0	0	27	0
CORNERSTONE INC.	0	2	1	5	1	0		124	28	125	30	0	35	30	35	10
DIPPER HARBOUR	0	0	0	3	0	0	-3	32	15	40	15	0	20	15	20	0
EDITH AVENUE	0	0	0	5	2	0	-7	113	106	47	4	0	10	0	25	0
ERB'S COVE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	70	45	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FAIRFIELD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	84	46	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FOREST HILLS	6	1	2	2	7	0	0	697	450	310	25	6	143	74	155	39
GERMAIN STREET INC *	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	125	79	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GRAND BAY	0	6	0	1	7	0	-2	456	306	188	75	21	65	20	135	0
HAMPTON	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	202	52	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
HEAD OF MILLSTREAM	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	35	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
HILLCREST INC.	13	3	2	7	2	0	9	261	241	175	106	50	50	40	150	20
KENNEBECASIS	4	9	1	2	0	0		433	288	290	60	15	91	20	45	7
KIERSTEAD MOUNTAIN	0	0	0	0	0	0		35	19	43	0	0	0	0	0	0
KIERSTEAD MOONTAIN KIERSTEADVILLE	0	2	0	4	0	0		77	77	35	0	0	0	0	5	0
KINGSTON	0	0	0	1	1	0	-2	194	125	50	0	0	24	0	115	0
LANCASTER	2	2	2	3	6	0		200	150	83	12	0	22	0	0	0
LOCH LOMOND	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6		8	0	0	0	0	0	0
LOWER MILLSTREAM	0	0		1		0		29		40	0	0	0	0	0	0
MACES BAY	0	0	0	0		0		40		0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MAIN STREET	11	8	1	10		0		593	593	372	45	10	165	30	84	25
MIDLAND	0	0		1	0	0		112	70	65	0	0	15	0	10	11
NEREPIS	0	0	0	0		0		55	29	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NORTON	0	0	0	2	0	0		99	58	65	12	0	8	0	45	0
PENOBSQUIS	0	6	0	0		0		183	109	125	18	12	33	8	65	0
PORTAGE VALE	0	0	0	0		0		47	46	20	0	0	0	0	0	0
SALT SPRINGS	5	0	0	0		0		66	36	32	0	0	16	0	28	0
SMITHTOWN	0	0	0	0		0		44	27	45	0	0	15	0	10	0
SNIDER MOUNTAIN	0	0	0	0		0		5	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ST. MARTINS	5	1	0	0	1	0		117	75	77	20	0	35	2	85	0
SUSSEX	0	1	0	4	3	2	-8	363	215	95	50	18	40	14	80	0
TABERNACLE	9	2	0	1	0	0		131	121	59	15	0	20	5	53	0
TOTAL	55	45	9	57	46	3	3	5735		2654	561	132	843	281	1222	124

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REGION VI				I	5	SOU	ГНW	ESTEI	RN ASS	OCL	ATIC	N		l		
Andersonville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	35	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bayside *	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Beaver Harbour	3	0	2	3	0	0	2	82	42	35	0	0	0	0	0	0
Calvary (Black's Harbour) Atlantic	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	65	44	20	0	0	1	0	0	0
Castalia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	36	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Community Life Church of Grand Manan	4	2	0	5	3	0	-2	160	100	130	40	0	0	30	150	0
Fairhaven	0	0	0	3	0	0	-3	47	32	20	0	0	10	0	0	0
Lambert's Cove	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	50	45	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
North Head	0	1	1	3	0	0	-1	87	55	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oak Bay	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	17	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pennfield	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	180	180	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pocologan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	57	43	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rockland Drive (McAdam)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	226	116	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rollingdam	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	49	31	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Seal Cove	0	0	0	2	2	0	-4	75	57	60	0	0	40	0	30	
Second Falls	1	2	0	3	1	0	-1	120	57	33	5	1	10	0	30	0
St. Andrews	0	0	0	2	0	0	-2	259	126	86	15	0	25	0	35	4
St. George	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	279	228	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Union Street Atlantic	0	0	4	1	1	0	2	372	239	135	12	0	30	0	100	0
Wilson's Beach	0	2	0	4	1	0	-3	232	232	63	8	0	25	5	30	0
TOTAL	8	7	7	26	8	0	-12	2448	1698	582	80	1	141	35	375	4

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REGION VII				l	l	I	AFR	ICAN	ASSOC	CIATIO	N					
ACACIAVILLE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	42	38	35	0	0	10	0	13	0
BEECHVILLE	0	0	1	2	0	0	-1	57	39	25	0	0	6	0	15	0
CHERRY BROOK	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	287	234	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
COBEQUID ROAD	0	0	1	2	0	0	-1	57	41	30	0	0	16	0	15	0
CORNWALLIS STREET (HALIFAX)	11	8	0	3	0	0	16	261	180	190	7	1	12	3	0	0
EAST PRESTON	10	2	6	5	1	0	12	279	225	200	50	0	15	12	0	20
EMMANUEL	4	0	6	5	3	0	2	332	90	350	17	0	30	0	0	0
GIBSON WOODS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	48	48	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GREENVILLE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	7	11	0	0	0	0	0	0
GUYSBOROUGH ROAD #	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	26	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
INGLEWOOD	0	0	0	1	0	0	-1	22	12	15	0	1	0	0	0	0
LUCASVILLE	3	0	1	1	2	1	0	93	89	30	0	0	0	0	7	0
MOUNT BEULAH	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SAINT THOMAS	30	2	0	5	3	0	24	1030	594	300	50	0	85	0	0	30
SECOND (NEW GLASGOW)	1	0	1	5	2	0	-5	123	123	41	4	0	5	0	25	0
SUNNYVILLE	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	12	12	14	0	0	0	0	0	0
TRACADIE	0	1	0	2	0	0	-1	50	30	15	0	0	5	0	0	0
VICTORIA ROAD (DARTMOUTH)	6	0	0	4	2	0	0	106	75	60	0	0	14	0	0	0
WINDSOR PLAINS	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	78	44	25	0	0	15	0	25	0
ZION (TRURO)	12	0	2	6	0	0	8	101	70	45	0	0	6	0	0	0
TOTAL	78	14	18	42	14	1	53	3017	1972	1386	128	2	219	15	100	50

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STATISTICAL SUMMARY	<u> </u>						J	anuary 1 -	Decembe	er 31, 2010)					
REGION I	<u> </u>								1							ı
Northwestern	37	22	9	25	28	1	14	2907	1961	1435	177	44	683	50	544	9
Queens-sunbury	9	11	20	34	11	3	-8	2945	1884	1345	275	18	450	140	619	57
York	46	53	19	41	48	16	13	4653	3442	2124	289	48	540	120	965	128
REGION I TOTALS	92	86	48	100	87	20	19	10,505	7,287	4,904	741	110	1,673	310	2,128	194
REGION II																
Annapolis	41	40	33	32	29	4	49	2747	1760	824	98	0	196	20	133	32
Eastern Valley	38	63	21	68	39	3	12	6317	4596	2480	323	94	623	63	885	80
REGION II TOTALS	79	103	54	100	68	7	61	9,064	6,356	3,304	421	94	819	83	1,018	112
REGION III	<u> </u>															
Albert	21	21	11	25	13	0	15	2322	1606	941	222	39	490	120	384	28
Miramichi-north Shore	1	3	0	5	4	1	-6	980	581	440	23	0	122	0	118	3
Prince Edward Island	24	33	4	19	24	0	18	2159	1608	1171	250	101	379	65	573	78
Westmorland-kent	71	51	49	66	33	4	68	6369	4708	2993	500	59	990	93	1159	122
REGION III TOTALS	117	108	64	115	74	5	95	11,830	8,503	5,545	995	199	1,981	278	2,234	231
REGION IV																
Antigonish-guysborough	2	0	0	3	0	1	-2	173	129	134	0	0	18	0	25	0
Cape Breton	2	2	0	4	2	0	-2	399	228	133	8	0	22	0	0	0
Colchester-pictou	15	5	5	11	5	4	5	1421	1038	471	104	15	112	69	223	0
Cumberland	1	1	0	11	9	0	-18	1571	902	300	73	0	40	0	0	0
Halifax	28	61	13	36	36	4	26	5332	3645	1685	274	95	373	73	623	51
Newfoundland And Labrador	0	0	5	1	3	1	0	314	242	236	67	7	120	25	63	45
REGION IV TOTALS	48	69	23	66	55	10	9	9,210	6,184	2,959	526	117	685	167	934	96
REGION V																
Digby	3	6	0	13	11	1	-16	1500	1106	398	26	5	127	0	138	0
Lunenburg-queens	20	17	7	47	29	0	-32	3346	2301	995	41	5	345	20	273	24
Shelburne	5	6	5	11	2	1	2	1042	821	336	72	19	269	14	211	25
Yarmouth	8	8	4	22	5	0	-7	1227	904	558	77	0	280	12	251	16
REGION V TOTALS	36	37	16	93	47	2	-53	7,115	5,132	2,287	216	29	1,021	46	873	65
REGION VI																
Saint John-kings	55	45	9	57	46	3	3	5735	4027	2654	561	132	843	281	1222	124
Southwestern	8	7	7	26	8	0	-12	2448	1698	582	80	1	141	35	375	4
REGION VI TOTALS	63	52	16	83	54	3	-9	8,183	5,725	3,236	641	133	984	316	1,597	128
REGION VIII	<u>.</u>															
African	78	14	18	42	14	1	53	3017	1972	1386	128	2	219	15	100	50
REGION VIII TOTALS	78	14	18	42	14	1	53	3017	1972	1386	128	2	219	15	100	50
GRAND TOTAL 2010	513	469	239	599	399	48		58,924	41,159	23,621	3,668	684	7,382	1,215	8,884	876
Grand Total 2009	527	491	137	646	409	106	-6	59,105	41,668	23,535	3,282	702	6,721	1,392	8,840	502
Grand Total 2008	676	487	334	616	432	200	249	60,499	42,886	23,887	3,198	552	8,279	1,319	9,051	713
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Grand Total 2007	708	526	187	693	420	295	13	60,252	43,187	27,046	3,749	603	9,893	1,571	9,512	803
Grand Total 2006	778	603	237	636	504	223	255	62,070	44,727	27,369	3,536	936	9,878	1,725	10,786	730
Grand Total 2005	878	653	245	722	510	90	454	63,223	46,118	28,013	4,108	799	10,570	1,592	10,563	908
Grand Total 2004	886	627	267	803	521	189	267	63,352	44,831	31,625	3,942	895	11,349	1,540	11,402	
Grand Total 2003	810	711	157	692	572	250	166	62,766	46,339	27,427	3,702	762	11,387	1,536	11,247	
Grand Total 2002	924	681	216	741	657	257	166	63,236	46,965	28,172	3,956	1,266	12,518	1,568	11,551	
Grand Total 2001	831	729	207	774	644	164	183	63,476	47,208	27,961	3,676	891	13,391	1,722	12,945	
Grand Total 2000	849	766	185	762	725	345	-28	62,276	46,858	26,812			13,453			

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REGION I	1			NORTHWES	TERN ASSOCIA	TION	1		
Aroostook	5,992.00	3.41	191.00	6,183.00	175,763.00	14,356.00	2,854.00	178,617.00	
Bath	5,000.00	0.00	200.00	5,200.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
Beechwood	6,000.00	4.80	2,450.00	8,450.00	124,928.44	17,421.42	4,373.00	129,301.44	
Centreville	3,500.00	2.05	2,200.00	5,700.00	170,832.00	9,629.00	1,468.00	172,300.00	
Coldstream	8,000.00	5.25	0.00	8,000.00	152,404.08	34,661.08	8,177.35	160,581.43	
de StLeonard, Inc	1,300.00	0.00	0.00	1,300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
de Ste-Anne de Madawaska	500.00	1.17	0.00	500.00	42,811.94	806.50	3,300.00	46,111.94	
Dow Settlement #	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
Florenceville	10,000.00	3.24	100.00	10,100.00	308,235.00	21,031.00	2,276.00	310,511.00	
Forest Glen #	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
Grafton	4,960.00	0.00	355.00	5,315.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
Grand Falls	500.00	0.00	400.00	900.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
Hartland	5,260.00	3.13	300.00	5,560.00	168,235.00	7,010.00	7,074.00	175,309.00	
Jacksonville	15,350.00	1.62	2,242.60	17,592.60	946,985.11	76,508.77	9,564.72	956,549.83	
Knowlesville	0.00	0.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	36,320.00	0.00	0.00	36,320.00	
Lakeville Good Corner Bloomfield	425.00	0.78	0.00	425.00	54,616.48	2,454.60	0.00	54,616.48	
Lindsay	3,693.50	0.00	0.00	3,693.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
Marne	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
McKenzie Corner	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
MEDUCTIC	8,500.00	9.72	500.00	9,000.00	87,440.49	22,950.80	8,301.08	95,741.57	
Mount Pleasant	3,200.00	4.50	0.00	3,200.00	71,165.96	1,000.00	3,092.67	74,258.63	
Ortonville	300.00	0.00	216.28	516.28	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
Peel	1,400.00	4.84	0.00	1,400.00	28,921.03	12,905.00	0.00	28,921.03	
Pembroke	1,840.00	2.96	0.00	1,840.00	62,169.60	6,207.10	0.00	62,169.60	
Perth-Andover	6,158.00	4.54	250.00	6,408.00	135,746.58	26,549.56	0.00	135,746.58	
Plaster Rock	3,000.00	3.51	3,124.00	6,124.00	85,572.68	2,876.54	5,526.00	91,098.68	
Riley Brook	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,853.70	0.00	0.00	1,853.70	
Sisson Ridge	2,000.00	5.50	0.00	2,000.00	36,366.11	0.00	0.00	36,366.11	
Tracey Mills	5,500.00	0.00	0.00	5,500.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
Upper Knoxford	250.00	0.00	0.00	250.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
Victoria *	470.00	3.80	380.00	850.00	12,372.00	3,240.00	1,430.00	13,802.00	
Waterville	2,000.00	0.00	0.00	2,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
Wicklow	1,000.00	2.93	100.00	1,100.00	34,099.00	5,078.00		34,099.00	
Woodstock	60,000.00	8.91	16,404.47	76,404.47	673,524.00	140,537.00	11,831.00	685,355.00	
TOTAL	\$166,098.50	4.87	\$30,413.35	\$196,511.85	\$3,410,362.20	\$405,222.37	\$69,267.82	\$3,479,630.02	

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		%	Sı	Tota		Mi	PO	Tot		
REGION I			Ç	UEENS-SUNI	BURY ASSOCI	IATION				
Blissville	200.00	0.70	100.00	300.00	28,466.37	0.00	0.00	28,466.37		
Central Wickham	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00		
Codys	0.00	0.00	50.00	50.00	14,000.00	2,000.00	0.00	14,000.00		
Cole's Island	3,685.00	7.28	1,200.00	4,885.00	50,593.53	0.00	0.00	50,593.53		
Cumberland Bay	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	57,136.51	8,891.45	4,308.48	61,444.99		
First Cambridge	6,000.00	0.00	100.00	6,100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00		
First Chipman	2,000.00	0.00	25.00	2,025.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00		
First Grand Lake	600.00	0.00	0.00	600.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00		
First Hampstead	400.00	6.30	0.00	400.00	6,350.00	0.00	0.00	6,350.00		
Fredericton Junction	14,560.00	14.97	1,482.00	16,042.00	97,231.53	34,107.00	5,878.16	103,109.69		
French Lake	600.00	0.70	0.00	600.00	85,242.74	7,232.05	1,348.64	86,591.38		
Geary	6,400.00	1.91	2,140.00	8,540.00	334,229.00	32,654.00	599.00	334,828.00		
Hoyt Inc.	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	58,344.42	1,986.09	864.38	59,208.80		
Jemseg	4,200.00	4.61	0.00	4,200.00	91,034.82	14,317.24	1,788.40	92,823.22		
Lakeville Corner Inc	2,000.00	0.00	370.00	2,370.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00		
Lincoln Inc.	5,730.00	4.28	1,746.00	7,476.00	134,002.50	8,206.62	0.00	134,002.50		
Maugerville	5,862.34	6.72	1,865.00	7,727.34	87,210.97	8,405.28	6,491.16	93,702.13		
Nasonworth (formerly New Maryland)	3,000.00	1.98	0.00	3,000.00	151,425.00	20,612.00	0.00	151,425.00		
Newcastle Creek	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00		
Of Minto	17,050.00	9.23	155.00	17,205.00	184,761.13	27,538.50	18,324.28	203,085.41		
Oromocto	14,595.75	6.96	2,254.25	16,850.00	209,629.75	8,327.49	3,209.33	212,839.08		
Queenstown	500.00	5.09	200.00	700.00	9,821.14	1,150.00	0.00	9,821.14		
Rusagonis	5,200.00	2.67	0.00	5,200.00	194,946.23	26,328.76	1,430.05	196,376.28		
Salmon Creek	500.00	0.00	0.00	500.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00		
Second Chipman	12,894.00	8.88	1,600.00	14,494.00	145,228.32	21,352.60	2,363.00	147,591.32		
Shannon #	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00		0.00	0.00	0.00		
Tracy	14,500.00	12.19	866.57	15,366.57	118,917.90	54,998.71	12,978.44	131,896.34		
Upper Gagetown	1,069.00	7.92	100.00	1,169.00	13,491.85	1,439.00	0.00	13,491.85		
Waterborough	253.04	1.15	332.56	585.60		2,233.38	0.00	22,090.40		
Waterville	105.00	0.71	35.00	140.00	14,846.18	1,652.39	0.00	14,846.18		
Wickham #	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00		
Wirral	1,131.00	5.93	390.00	1,521.00		5,166.42	0.00	19,062.57		
TOTAL	\$123,035.13	5.78	\$15,011.38	\$138,046.51	\$2,128,062.86	\$288,598.98	\$59,583.32	\$2,187,646.18		

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REGION I				VORK	ASSOCIATION			
Bear Island #	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Brunswick Street Inc.	63,200.00	5.29	9,836.00	73,036.00	1,194,597.00	156,689.00	32,471.00	1,227,068.00
Burtts Corner Inc.	8,000.00	6.32	0.00	8,000.00	126,523.35	14,934.64	11,178.45	137,701.80
Devon Park	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Douglas	29,000.00	7.77	13,787.00	42,787.00	373,293.00	14,312.00		373,293.00
Eel River Lake #	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Faith	7,200.00	2.27	350.00	7,550.00	317,348.00	49,281.00	0.00	317,348.00
Forest City #	0.00	0.00	100.00	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Fosterville	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Grace Memorial Inc.	38,594.00	7.47	12,499.82	51,093.82	516,965.25	119,200.25	22,454.25	539,419.50
Greenwood Drive Inc.	12,499.92	3.58	3,991.00	16,490.92	349,346.00	27,199.00	1,489.12	350,835.12
Hanwell Community Church	5,000.00	3.50	0.00	5,000.00	142,841.75	9,474.66	4,388.92	147,230.67
Harvey	3,164.00	9.41	90.00	3,254.00	33,620.00	7,263.20	0.00	33,620.00
Island View (Formerly First Kingsclear)	1,500.00	3.57	600.00	2,100.00	41,960.74	3,545.91	0.00	41,960.74
Keswick	6,000.00	4.05	4,400.00	10,400.00	148,000.00	11,100.00	0.00	148,000.00
Kingsley W	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Mactaquac	8,250.00	7.33	950.00	9,200.00	112,550.00	15,741.00	1,892.00	114,442.00
Marysville	6,788.00	2.37	2,512.42	9,300.42	286,445.00	23,400.00	0.00	286,445.00
Middle Southampton	350.00	0.00	0.00	350.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Millville	5,517.20	0.00	3,517.50	9,034.70	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Nackawic	4,750.00	5.43	69.25	4,819.25	87,512.61	8,230.00	0.00	87,512.61
Nashwaak Village	1,377.27	5.66	0.00	1,377.27	24,324.79	7,384.65	160.00	24,484.79
Nashwaaksis	13,640.00	5.31	7,504.87	21,144.87	256,759.02	19,773.90	11,147.00	267,906.02
Prince William *	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Scotch Settlement Union Church	3,251.00	15.74	1,320.00	4,571.00	20,650.70	7,671.00	0.00	20,650.70
Second Kingsclear	8,800.00	6.80	0.00	8,800.00	129,418.00			129,418.00
Skyline Acres	6,000.00	4.14	0.00	6,000.00		5,844.00		159,081.00
Springfield #	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Staples Settlement	200.00	0.45	0.00	200.00	44,568.84	5,710.00	0.00	44,568.84
Temperance Vale	544.84	0.95	0.00	544.84	57,440.89	6,179.34	1,554.87	58,995.76
Upper Hainesville	923.00	0.00	0.00	923.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
TOTAL	\$234,549.23	5.32	\$61,527.86	\$296,077.09	\$4,409,252.94	\$537,029.55	\$100,728.61	\$4,509,981.55

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REGION II		I		ANNA	POLIS COUNTY			
Bear River East	500.00	0.00	0.00	500.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Bridgetown	26,753.00	16.02	5,519.33	32,272.33	167,030.67	33,626.00	6,150.00	173,180.67
Centrelea	1,450.32	0.00	506.75	1,957.07	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Clarence	1,224.00	0.00	280.00	1,504.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Clementsport	720.00	3.51	520.00	1,240.00	20,489.20	2,143.00	0.00	20,489.20
Clementsvale	2,600.00	0.00	1,000.00	3,600.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Deep Brook	2,775.00	8.72	2,280.00	5,055.00	31,815.56	3,927.00	0.00	31,815.56
First Of Annapolis Royal	3,500.00	5.58	1,955.00	5,455.00	62,752.97	3,633.38	2,190.94	64,943.91
Granville Beach	410.00	3.09	120.00	530.00	13,260.91	530.00	0.00	13,260.91
Granville Centre	2,400.00	14.19	200.00	2,600.00	16,908.36	3,609.26	2,056.39	18,964.75
Granville Ferry	100.00	0.26	1,000.00	1,100.00	37,773.67	24,115.00	0.00	37,773.67
Hampton	600.00	3.98	400.00	1,000.00	15,068.49	1,000.00	0.00	15,068.49
Hillsburn	0.00	0.00	400.00	400.00	59,170.00	2,209.00	0.00	59,170.00
Inglisville	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Lawrencetown	5,450.00	7.24	400.00	5,850.00	75,284.30	5,505.00	1,050.01	76,334.31
Litchfield Union Church *	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Lower Granville Field	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Margaretsville	1,000.00	2.56	500.00	1,500.00	39,038.29	6,844.44	1,733.00	40,771.29
Melvern Square	4,936.70	9.59	0.00	4,936.70	51,497.07	4,666.40	0.00	51,497.07
Middleton	15,352.50	0.00	7,149.00	22,501.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Milford-Graywood *	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Mount Hanley	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Nictaux	7,260.00	8.06	3,644.00	10,904.00	90,083.71	7,942.32	13,205.74	103,289.45
Paradise	5,000.00	5.11	906.10	5,906.10	97,904.50	13,728.32	2,812.21	100,716.71
Parker's Cove	1,500.00	1.58	250.00	1,750.00	95,077.49	5,565.00	0.00	95,077.49
Port Royal	214.00	1.61	194.00	408.00	13,322.00	300.00	0.00	13,322.00
Port Wade	308.71	2.79	60.50	369.21	11,060.64	369.21	0.00	11,060.64
Torbrook	2,200.00	0.00	170.00	2,370.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Victoria Beach	410.67	2.00	93.50	504.17	20,528.02	539.92	2,186.23	22,714.25
Victoria Vale	3,000.00	0.00	500.00	3,500.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
West Dalhousie	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,888.13	0.00	0.00	1,888.13
Wilmot	4,727.00	5.67	158.00	4,885.00	83,418.85	8,041.00	1,310.67	84,729.52
Wilmot Mountain (Port Lorne)	662.50	3.91	468.05	1,130.55	16,945.67	1,590.55	244.75	17,190.42
TOTAL	\$95,054.40	9.32	\$28,674.23	\$123,728.63	\$1,020,318.50	\$129,884.80	\$32,939.94	\$1,053,258.44

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Alton	6,945.09	6.37	2,943.70	9,888.79	108,954.21	14,235.00	5,022.49	113,976.70
Arlington	350.00	2.54	205.00	555.00	13,778.00	1,506.00	0.00	13,778.00
Avlorford	1,000.00 7,000.00	2.20 3.25	885.00 2,000.00	1,885.00 9,000.00	45,513.64 215,630.30	1,733.00 22,457.36	3,782.59 4,850.54	49,296.23 220,480.84
Aylesford Berwick	8,000.00	0.00	100.00	8,100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Bethany Memorial	9,847.85	6.18	5,311.06	15,158.91	159,306.00	15,805.00	5,637.00	164,943.00
Billtown	2,000.00	2.47	0.00	2,000.00	80,953.88	6,445.00	14,512.71	95,466.59
Black River	1,537.00	0.00	100.00	1,637.00	0.00	0.00	14,512.71	0.00
Black Rock	500.00	1.51	0.00	500.00	33,044.68	2,655.39	1,550.25	34,594.93
Burlington	140.00	0.91	140.00	280.00	15,426.32	1,919.00	716.00	16,142.32
Cambridge	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	79,420.19	1,285.00	3,768.98	83,189.17
Cambridge *	685.00	0.00	0.00	685.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Canning	2,000.00	2.67	242.86	2,242.86	75,046.55	0.00	0.00	75,046.55
Centreville	7,502.50	0.32	4,086.42	11,588.92	2,340,170.54	13,387.13	5,002.96	2,345,173.50
Coldbrook	470.00	0.71	0.00	470.00	66,264.34	7,542.88	0.00	66,264.34
Falmouth	5,520.00	0.00	2,237.00	7,757.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
First Cornwallis	3,000.00	2.93	1,443.00	4,443.00	102,250.00	0.00	3,185.00	105,435.00
Forest Hill	200.00	1.58	0.00	200.00	12,666.20	0.00	0.00	12,666.20
Gaspereau	1,120.00	0.00	190.00	1,310.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Hall's Harbour	1,100.00	4.63	608.00	1,708.00	23,783.00	2,467.50	0.00	23,783.00
Hantsport	4,508.75	3.53	2,455.00	6,963.75	127,739.21	10,575.00	2,183.00	129,922.21
Harmony	1,510.50	3.38	0.00	1,510.50	44,723.73	2,783.50	0.00	44,723.73
Kempt (Summerville and Bramber)	0.00	0.00	50.00	50.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Kentville	21,267.00	6.43	1,952.00	23,219.00	330,577.14	55,817.19	31,213.69	361,790.83
Kingston	13,143.75	9.08	3,269.50	16,413.25	144,828.32	18,137.25	8,136.42	152,964.74
Morristown	2,088.50	0.00	597.00	2,685.50	0.00	0.00		0.00
Mount Denson	490.00	1.87	0.00	490.00	26,212.65	490.00	0.00	26,212.65
New Beginnings Christian Ministries	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
New Minas Newport (Scotch Village)	71,050.00 1,908.70	8.36 3.12	14,815.81	85,865.81 1,908.70	849,952.00	17,013.00 9,308.00	311,621.00 670.00	1,161,573.00
Pereaux	2,036.00	2.58	0.00	2,036.00	61,189.00 78,847.00	5,500.00	7,691.00	61,859.00 86,538.00
Port Williams	8,480.00	4.21	0.00	8,480.00	201,323.00	24,605.00	7,358.81	208,681.81
South Rawdon	1,339.40	0.00	100.00	1,439.40	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Stoney Hill (Lockhartville)	1,150.00	3.12	200.00	1,350.00	36,804.98	0.00	440.90	37,245.88
Third Horton (Canaan)	2,250.00	5.11	130.00	2,380.00	44,036.73	0.00	0.00	44,036.73
Union Church Of Scott's Bay	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Upper Vaughan	585.00	0.00	300.00	885.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Wallbrook	438.08	0.00	700.00	1,138.08	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Waterville	605.00	1.09	150.00	755.00	55,459.00	555.00	4,106.00	59,565.00
West Brooklyn	621.00	1.77	0.00	621.00	34,995.75	2,109.59	1,625.92	36,621.67
White Rock	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	19,256.70	1,175.25	0.00	19,256.70
Windsor	8,085.70	3.86	3,800.00	11,885.70	209,574.77	21,181.85	10,593.34	220,168.11
Wolfville	23,367.84	7.81	6,871.98	30,239.82	299,122.00	48,366.00	6,333.00	305,455.00
Wolfville Ridge	1,500.00	3.18	0.00	1,500.00	47,221.00	1,875.00	0.00	47,221.00
Woodville	710.00	2.21	0.00	710.00	32,081.00	2,585.00	2,315.00	34,396.00
TOTAL	\$226,052.66	3.76	\$55,883.33	\$281,935.99	\$6,016,151.83	\$313,514.89	\$442,316.60	\$6,458,468.43

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REGION III			-	ALBER	T ASSOCIATION			1
Albert Mines	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	14,913.64	40.00	8,005.96	22,919.60
Alma	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Baltimore #	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Berryton *	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Dawson Settlement	3,972.00	6.60	655.00	4,627.00	60,185.47	15,999.37	1,864.35	62,049.82
Elgin Third (Hillside) #	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
First Elgin	10,000.00	8.14	765.00	10,765.00	122,826.76	25,826.62	17,796.64	140,623.40
First Harvey	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
First Hillsborough	25,500.00	4.41	10,279.94	35,779.94	578,434.52	109,117.79	0.00	578,434.52
Five Points	4,012.00	4.91	785.00	4,797.00	81,702.00	2,675.00	4,943.00	86,645.00
Gunningsville	16,662.75	7.95	3,887.25	20,550.00	209,568.33	41,464.48	4,804.74	214,373.07
Hopewell Hill	1,300.00	1.92	0.00	1,300.00	67,600.00	104,200.00	1,932.93	69,532.93
Lower Cape	700.00	0.00	0.00	700.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Lower Coverdale	10,000.00	4.22	0.00	10,000.00	236,764.00	34,975.00	2,577.00	239,341.00
Lower Turtle Creek	250.00	1.82	0.00	250.00	13,758.23	1,446.00	0.00	13,758.23
New Horton	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Nixon (3rd Coverdale)	600.00	2.03	0.00	600.00	29,617.66	4,614.14	0.00	29,617.66
Riverside-Albert	2,000.00	7.93	1,000.00	3,000.00	25,218.89	4,709.14	0.00	25,218.89
Riverview	20,000.00	8.90	1,500.00	21,500.00	224,701.76	75,322.08	13,206.92	237,908.68
Salem	2,125.00	4.57	100.00	2,225.00	46,488.72	0.00	5,929.36	52,418.08
Second Elgin	601.50	0.00	0.00	601.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Stoney Creek	3,053.00	10.28	0.00	3,053.00	29,686.00	5,282.00	0.00	29,686.00
Valley	2,000.00	1.68	0.00	2,000.00	119,259.64	29,218.61	0.00	119,259.64
Weldon	1,500.30	4.13	1,743.73	3,244.03	36,334.21	11,080.06	1,745.36	38,079.57
Whitepine	2,453.04	1.62	1,709.91	4,162.95	151,149.93	16,337.00	105.00	151,254.93
TOTAL	\$106,729.59	5.21	\$22,425.83	\$129,155.42	\$2,048,209.76	\$482,307.29	\$62,911.26	\$2,111,121.02

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	United in Mission	% of Church Revenue	Supplemental Revenue	Total Convention Revenue	Church Revenue	Mission & Benevolences	Other Church Groups	Total Church Revenue
REGION III			N	IIRAMICHI-N	NORTH SHORE	ASSOCIATION		
Bayview (Bathurst)	5,295.00	0.00	3,480.00	8,775.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Carroll's Crossing	600.00	1.29	0.00	600.00	46,668.09	2,735.00	0.00	46,668.09
Doaktown	3,500.00	3.90	700.00	4,200.00	89,712.00	11,265.33	0.00	89,712.00
Eglise Baptiste Chaleur	375.00	0.00	0.00	375.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
First (Campbellton)	7,360.00	6.92	5,992.50	13,352.50	106,313.39	22,220.53	9,267.94	115,581.33
Lower Derby	500.00	0.00	0.00	500.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Ludlow	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,171.19	1,293.20	250.00	3,421.19
Newcastle	41,226.00	8.29	600.00	41,826.00	497,170.08	132,353.26	0.00	497,170.08
Restigouche	3,000.00	0.00	0.00	3,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Upper Blackville (Bethel/New Zion)	140.50	0.16	976.41	1,116.91	90,156.67	4,758.37	3,188.50	93,345.17
Wellington Street	0.00	0.00	2,400.00	2,400.00	135,674.00	3,200.00	0.00	135,674.00
TOTAL	\$61,996.50	6.4	\$14,148.91	\$76,145.41	\$968,865.42	\$177,825.69	\$12,706.44	\$106,729.59

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	United in Mission	% of Church Revenue	Supplemental Revenue	Total Convention Revenue	Church Revenue	Mission & Benevolences	Other Church Groups	Total Church Revenue
REGION III	*		l	PRINCE EDWA	ARD ISLAND ASS	OCIATION		
Alberton (Formerly Alma-Alberton)	1,000.00	0.73	0.00	1,000.00	137,361.19	4,630.00	0.00	137,361.19
Alexandra	7,000.00	13.23	0.00	7,000.00	52,907.15	10,069.15	1,987.00	54,894.15
Annandale #	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Bedeque	5,520.00	6.34	500.00	6,020.00	87,097.88	8,655.00	4,316.59	91,414.47
Belmont	2,130.00	6.78	640.00	2,770.00	31,428.14	8,221.95	0.00	31,428.14
Bonshaw	500.00	6.58	0.00	500.00	7,603.18	600.00	0.00	7,603.18
Cavendish #	500.00	0.00	0.00	500.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Central Kings (Dundas)	750.00	0.00	600.00	1,350.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Clyde River	1,148.00	0.00	1,000.00	2,148.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Cornerstone	5,020.00	0.00	4,000.00	9,020.00	764,383.78	68,215.66	0.00	764,383.78
First (Charlottetown)	38,050.00	8.73	1,010.00	39,060.00	435,688.00	67,097.00	5,333.00	441,021.00
Kingsboro (formerly East Point)	10,906.75	7.13	6,946.90	17,853.65	152,930.31	21,302.50	10,520.30	163,450.61
Long Creek	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Montague	1,200.00	0.00	300.00	1,500.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Murray Harbour	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	105,946.00	12,129.00	0.00	105,946.00
Murray River	16,765.50	18.61	1,850.00	18,615.50	90,098.33	26,320.96	10,350.88	100,449.21
Springfield West-O'Leary	1,012.00	0.62	0.00	1,012.00	162,305.00	10,592.54	8,976.53	171,281.53
Sturgeon	241.25	0.00	50.00	291.25	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Summerside	10,992.00	5.72	2,808.00	13,800.00	192,214.00	22,282.00	1,655.00	193,869.00
Tryon-Westmoreland Inc.	3,710.00	8.79	0.00	3,710.00	42,216.52	5,238.47	590.87	42,807.39
TOTAL	\$106,445.50	4.71	\$19,704.90	\$126,150.40	\$2,262,179.48	\$265,354.23	\$43,730.17	\$2,305,909.65

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	United in Mission	% of Church Revenue	Supplemental Revenue	Total Convention Revenue	Church Revenue	Mission & Benevolences	Other Church Groups	Total Church Revenue
REGION III				WESTMORLAN	ND-KENT ASSO	CIATION	l	
Atlantic Community Church	16,000.00	0.00	0.00	16,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Browns Flat	600.00	0.77	1,300.00	1,900.00	78,073.00	11,352.00	1,183.00	79,256.00
Central Norton	9,160.00	4.77	1,300.00	10,460.00	192,178.01	10,825.00	551.07	192,729.08
Chance Harbour	600.00	3.06	1,470.00	2,070.00	19,631.00	3,275.00	320.00	19,951.00
Collina	830.00	4.14	455.00	1,285.00	20,061.90	4,097.00	2,187.78	22,249.68
Cornerstone Inc.	3,373.50	0.98	1,085.00	4,458.50	345,617.00	9,726.00	0.00	345,617.00
Dipper Harbour	6,000.00	12.11	9,680.00	15,680.00	49,564.00	7,241.00	770.00	50,334.00
Edith Avenue	8,619.00	8.25	1,605.00	10,224.00	104,416.01	10,989.00	531.80	104,947.81
Erb's Cove	4.000.00	0.00	1,770.00	5,770.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Fairfield	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Forest Hills	15,000.03	3.25	20,531.36	35,531.39	461,209.00	78,850.00	54,965.00	516,174.00
Germain Street Inc *	1,320.00	0.00	2,221.16	3,541.16	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Grand Bay	35,395.00	9.91	15,563.50	50,958.50	357,025.55	26,901.05	0.00	357,025.55
Hampton	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Head Of Millstream	200.00	0.00	0.00	200.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Hillcrest Inc.	12,773.30	2.92	4,402.92	17,176.22	437,242.00	80,096.00	25,518.00	462,760.00
Kennebecasis	23,605.00	5.53	18,374.80	41,979.80	427,084.00	87,728.00	0.00	427,084.00
Kierstead Mountain	605.00	4.47	680.00	1,285.00	13,529.62	1,515.00	3,624.18	17,153.80
Kiersteadville	2,525.00	5.30	500.00	3,025.00	47,664.12	5,688.00	0.00	47,664.12
Kingston	7,215.38	8.01	3,186.10	10,401.48	90,121.62	16,030.01	7,668.05	97,789.67
Lancaster	15,171.34	7.26	2,672.68	17,844.02	208,869.00	31,720.23	12,269.91	221,138.91
Loch Lomond	0.00	0.00	500.00	500.00	11,062.75	4,300.00	0.00	11,062.75
Lower Millstream	250.00	1.24	300.00	550.00	20,152.16	0.00	0.00	20,152.16
Maces Bay	2,350.00	0.00	3,519.00	5,869.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Main Street	48,328.53	9.76	5,962.57	54,291.10	495,322.00	112,896.00	4,686.00	500,008.00
Midland	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	127,617.29	8,005.39	0.00	127,617.29
Nerepis	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Norton	2,700.00	1.69	0.00	2,700.00	160,219.13	17,587.26	2,752.18	162,971.31
Penobsquis	7,500.00	4.87	2,004.00	9,504.00	153,892.03	47,536.77	1,004.20	154,896.23
Portage Vale	3,273.57	9.77	0.00	3,273.57	33,505.35	7,383.57	0.00	33,505.35
Salt Springs	0.00	0.00	300.00	300.00	22,216.62	2,691.00	248.20	22,464.82
Smithtown	2,427.50	3.47	8,347.50	10,775.00	69,940.59	0.00	0.00	69,940.59
Snider Mountain	200.00	0.00	0.00	200.00	0.00	575.00	0.00	0.00
St. Martins	900.00	0.92	100.00	1,000.00	97,615.20	20,164.08	2,097.26	99,712.46
Sussex	7,835.00	4.24	0.00	7,835.00	184,976.00	16,650.00	21,391.00	206,367.00
Tabernacle	4,325.05	2.04	2,181.40	6,506.45	212,023.20	123,230.30	5,627.77	217,650.97
TOTAL	\$243,082.20	5.47	\$110,011.99	\$353,094.19	\$4,440,828.15	\$747,052.66	\$147,395.40	\$4,588,223.55

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REGION IV			ANT	IGONISH-G	UYSBOROUGH	ASSOCIATIO	N	
Canso	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	38,725.00	1,206.00	0.00	38,725.00
Goldboro	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	8,478.94	100.00	0.00	8,478.94
Guysborough	1,036.00	5.01	297.00	1,333.00	20,669.57	342.14	0.00	20,669.57
Half Island Cove #	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Isaacs Harbour	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2,015.00	36.00	0.00	2,015.00
New Harbour	505.00	1.76	1,824.00	2,329.00	28,639.18	8,184.51	1,489.96	30,129.14
Port Bickerton	715.00	3.79	0.00	715.00	18,889.00	2,067.00	0.00	18,889.00
Port Hillford	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	17,278.00	0.00	0.00	17,278.00
Seal Harbour	20.00	0.14	120.00	140.00	14,276.67	140.00	0.00	14,276.67
Sonora	915.00	4.56	50.00	965.00	20,060.41	1,165.00	3,395.98	23,456.39
TOTAL	\$3,191.00	1.89	\$2,291.00	\$5,482.00	\$169,031.77	\$13,240.65	\$4,885.94	\$173,917.71

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	United in Mission	% of Church Revenue	Supplemental Revenue	Total Convention Revenue	Church Revenue	Mission & Benevolences	Other Church Groups	Total Church Revenue
REGION IV				CAPE I	BRETON ASSO	CIATION		
Calvary (North Sydney)	5,250.00	4.08	0.00	5,250.00	128,779.30	9,118.80	3,000.00	131,779.30
Clyde Avenue	4,119.00	3.98	525.00	4,644.00	103,447.48	9,070.12	4,301.58	107,749.06
Glace Bay	2,929.00	5.77	240.00	3,169.00	50,731.36	3,169.00	1,281.40	52,012.76
Port Hawkesbury	943.00	0.00	0.00	943.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Sydney	1,766.00	0.00	0.00	1,766.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Sydney New Life	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
TOTAL	\$15,007.00	5.30	\$765.00	\$15,772.00	\$282,958.14	\$21,357.92	\$8,582.98	\$291,541.12

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	United in Mission	% of Church Revenue	Supplemental Revenue	Total Convention Revenue	Church Revenue	Mission & Benevolences	Other Church Groups	Total Church Revenue
REGION IV				COLCHESTE	R-PICTOU ASSOC	CIATION		
Bass River	350.00	0.00	0.00	350.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Belmont	2,409.00	6.64	100.00	2,509.00	36,289.25	96.21	3,032.91	39,322.16
Brookfield	7,392.00	0.00	1,700.00	9,092.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Central New Annan	1,430.00	8.09	200.00	1,630.00	17,669.29	0.00	929.50	18,598.79
Debert	5,634.50	2.71	2,157.75	7,792.25	207,970.02	193.25	1,529.48	209,499.50
First (Truro)	9,550.00	5.13	3,250.00	12,800.00	186,028.00	1,263.00	5,603.00	191,631.00
First New Glasgow	14,200.00	0.00	6,436.75	20,636.75	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Immanuel (Truro)	37,583.00	3.64	17,058.73	54,641.73	1,032,632.00	134,623.00	8,268.00	1,040,900.00
Nuttby	800.00	5.76	50.00	850.00	13,898.00	2,687.00	0.00	13,898.00
Portaupique (Montrose) #	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Stewiacke	4,088.00	0.59	1,751.46	5,839.46	692,569.00	4,127.00	2,296.00	694,865.00
Truro Heights	5,106.95	5.16	980.00	6,086.95	99,065.22	0.00	36,634.80	135,700.02
Wittenburg	5,000.00	0.00	300.00	5,300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
TOTAL	\$93,543.45	4.09	\$33,984.69	\$127,528.14	\$2,286,120.78	\$142,989.46	\$58,293.69	\$2,344,414.47

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REGION IV				CUMBERL	AND ASSOCIAT	ΓΙΟΝ		
Advocate	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Amherst First	6,251.99	0.80	1,753.27	8,005.26	780,672.00	23,000.00	0.00	780,672.00
Apple River	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	14,546.25	0.00	0.00	14,546.25
Diligent River	600.00	0.00	0.00	600.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Little River	215.00	0.80	550.00	765.00	26,766.62	568.00	2,324.53	29,091.15
Maccan	116.00	1.44	50.00	166.00	8,059.47	322.00	0.00	8,059.47
Millvale	1,400.00	10.79	0.00	1,400.00	12,975.32	1,400.00	2,721.73	15,697.05
Oxford	1,514.00	3.84	583.79	2,097.79	39,398.11	4,569.15	2,809.80	42,207.91
Parrsboro	6,500.00	0.00	300.00	6,800.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Port Greville	200.00	0.72	0.00	200.00	27,921.00	4,521.00	0.00	27,921.00
Pugwash Memorial	2,000.00	2.75	550.00	2,550.00	72,714.00	7,842.00	0.00	72,714.00
River Hebert	1,221.00	0.00	1,247.00	2,468.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Southampton	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Springhill	9,000.00	0.00	1,689.73	10,689.73	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Wallace River	2,578.00	0.00	0.00	2,578.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Wentworth	1,352.50	0.00	100.00	1,452.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Westchester	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	9,827.45	720.00	701.00	10,528.45
TOTAL	\$32,948.49	3.32	\$6,823.79	\$39,772.28	\$992,880.22	\$42,942.15	\$8,557.06	\$1,001,437.28

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REGION IV				HALIF	AX ASSOCIAT	ION		
Bayers Road	15,401.12	0.00	5,300.08	20,701.20	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Bayside	100.00	0.00	200.00	300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Bedford	24,000.00	6.03	3,775.00	27,775.00	398,291.00	43,474.00	11,461.00	409,752.00
Bethel	1,955.00	1.77	1,298.75	3,253.75	110,296.63	5,079.67	872.64	111,169.27
Birch Cove Inc	26,763.00	5.50	15,152.62	41,915.62	486,531.00	97,616.90	6,425.00	492,956.00
Birchy Head (Formerly Mill Cove)	600.00	3.28	0.00	600.00	18,278.62	0.00	0.00	18,278.62
Calvary (Spryfield)	2,010.00	3.44	215.00	2,225.00	58,348.35	8,631.30	1,188.99	59,537.34
Eastern Passage	2,000.00	0.00	0.00	2,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Elmsdale	3,128.25	0.00	680.00	3,808.25	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Faith (Lower Sackville)	7,102.00	4.32	500.00	7,602.00	164,304.94	17,727.29	3,263.40	167,568.34
First Dartmouth	31,480.00	7.07	8,835.68	40,315.68	444,967.00	95,129.00	16,351.00	461,318.00
First Halifax W	15,825.04	1.37	8,696.00	24,521.04	1,157,754.00	58,517.00	37,375.00	1,195,129.00
First New Beginnings Church Ministries	0.00	0.00	475.00	475.00	281,444.70	0.00	0.00	281,444.70
Foundation	3,164.00	77.55	29.71	3,193.71	4,080.11	1,320.00	0.00	4,080.11
Hammonds Plains First	550.00	0.00	300.00	850.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Head of St. Margaret's Bay	1,750.00	3.23	1,200.00	2,950.00	54,115.00	3,500.00	0.00	54,115.00
Immanuel	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Indian Harbour	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Jeddore	4,000.00	4.37	600.00	4,600.00	91,474.03	0.00	0.00	91,474.03
Mulgrave Park	9,000.00	6.77	500.00	9,500.00	132,919.14	16,743.06	3,787.84	136,706.98
New Life	2,750.00	4.07	1,156.00	3,906.00	67,546.17	1,265.00	3,000.00	70,546.17
Regal Road	3,055.57	0.00	0.00	3,055.57	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Sackville	1,435.00	1.65	272.25	1,707.25	87,078.45	1,890.00	2,522.34	89,600.79
Sackville Christian Fellowship	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
South End	20.00	0.02	0.00	20.00	107,000.00	805.26	0.00	107,000.00
Stevens Road	12,100.00	4.63	6,375.00	18,475.00	261,487.00	29,319.52	4,733.39	266,220.39
Timberlea	1,500.00	1.49	1,030.00	2,530.00	100,792.00	11,924.00	3,305.00	104,097.00
Today's Family Church	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Uniacke	1,398.66	1.96	283.34	1,682.00	71,355.27	4,791.20	4,987.65	76,342.92
West End	18,000.00	4.91	10,623.05	28,623.05	366,791.66	57,899.00	8,770.76	375,562.42
TOTAL	\$189,087.64	4.24	\$67,497.48	\$256,585.12	\$4,464,855.07	\$455,632.20	\$108,044.01	\$4,572,899.08

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	United in Mission	% of Church Revenue	Supplemental Revenue	Total Convention Revenue	Church Revenue	Mission & Benevolences	Other Church Groups	Total Church Revenue
REGION IV]	NEWFOU	NDLAND/LA	BRADOR AS	SOCIATION	N	
CALVARY	10,750.00	8.64	0.00	10,750.00	124,407.62	14,905.00	0.00	124,407.62
CLARENVILLE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
CORNER BROOK	3,019.00	0.00	0.00	3,019.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
GANDER	3,000.00	0.00	400.00	3,400.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
LEWISPORTE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
NORTHERN CROSS COMMUNITY CHURCH	3,500.00	0.00	0.00	3,500.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
WEST END (ST. JOHN'S)	10,500.00	2.86	0.00	10,500.00	366,635.00	74,358.00	2,185.63	368,820.63
TOTAL	\$30,769.00	6.27	\$400.00	\$31,169.00	\$491,042.62	\$89,263.00	\$2,185.63	\$493,228.25

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NAME OF CHURCH	CON	VENT	ION REVE	NUE	L	OCAL CHUR	CH REVENU	Е
	United in Mission	% of Church Revenue	Supplemental Revenue	Total Convention Revenue	Church Revenue	Mission & Benevolences	Other Church Groups	Total Church Revenue
REGION V				DIG	BY COUNTY			
ASHMORE BETHEL	808.00	0.00	0.00	808.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
BEAR RIVER	4,278.00	8.44	200.00	4,478.00	50,666.59	7,355.50	4,284.45	54,951.04
CENTREVILLE (DIGBY NECK FIRST)	500.00	5.03	0.00	500.00	9,941.94	0.00	0.00	9,941.94
CULLODEN	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
DIGBY	5,815.50	5.94	4,416.00	10,231.50	97,938.37	14,125.50	5,460.04	103,398.41
DIGBY NECK SECOND	400.00	0.77	0.00	400.00	51,723.54	610.00	32.20	51,755.74
EAST FERRY *	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
FREEPORT	1,083.00	2.15	0.00	1,083.00	50,450.61	83.00	800.00	51,250.61
HILL GROVE	530.50	0.82	536.00	1,066.50	64,337.67	4,580.03	3,007.74	67,345.41
NEW TUSKET	4,125.00	5.53	740.00	4,865.00	74,526.11	16,078.24	10,146.02	84,672.13
NORTH RANGE	243.00	2.50	0.00	243.00	9,712.00	243.00	0.00	9,712.00
PLYMPTON	0.00	0.00	200.00	200.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
RIVERSIDE	0.00	0.00	50.00	50.00	15,969.36	0.00	0.00	15,969.36
ROSSWAY	500.00	0.00	0.00	500.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
SANDY COVE *	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,539.94	0.00	0.00	1,539.94
SMITH'S COVE	4,975.10	8.43	300.00	5,275.10	59,000.00	4,750.00	5,900.00	64,900.00
ST. MARY'S BAY	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
TIVERTON	2,243.80	7.07	558.00	2,801.80	31,737.58	3,438.50	7,526.06	39,263.64
WESTPORT	2,175.00	2.72	0.00	2,175.00	79,900.00	6,400.00	0.00	79,900.00
TOTAL	\$27,676,90	4.63	\$7,000.00	\$34,676.90	\$597,443.71	\$57,663.77	\$37,156.51	\$634,600.22

NAME OF CHURCH	CC	ONVEN	TION REVE	NUE		LOCAL CHURO	CH REVENUE	3
	United in Mission	% of Church Revenue	Supplemental Revenue	Total Convention Revenue	Church Revenue	Mission & Benevolences	Other Church Groups	Total Church Revenue
REGION V			,	LUNENBURG	-QUEENS ASS	SOCIATION		
AENON	6,000.00	5.37	175.00	6,175.00	111,693.00	10,136.34	2,720.61	114,413.61
BARSS CORNER	3,000.00	4.79	0.00	3,000.00	62,652.29	1,960.00	0.00	62,652.29
BEECH HILL *	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
BIG TANCOOK *	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
BRIDGEWATER	32,303.02	3.69	15,650.00	47,953.02	876,396.00	74,482.00	2,982.00	879,378.00
BROOKLYN	3,750.00	6.27	1,850.00	5,600.00	59,766.62	8,894.27	78.95	59,845.57
CALEDONIA	2,341.20	0.00	602.50	2,943.70	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
CANAAN	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,174.75	600.00	0.00	3,174.75
CHARLESTON	153.00	2.68	0.00	153.00	5,711.69	82.00	0.00	5,711.69
CHELSEA	2,000.00	5.77	550.00	2,550.00	34,636.17	6,315.58	1,924.94	36,561.11
CHESTER	6,298.75	3.38	1,000.00	7,298.75	186,528.00	16,413.00	0.00	186,528.00
DALHOUSIE EAST *	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
EMMANUEL PARKDALE-MAPLEWOOD	2,000.00	0.00	0.00	2,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
FALKLAND RIDGE *	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
GREENFIELD	5,000.00	9.35	2,761.00	7,761.00	53,456.60	5,050.00	0.00	53,456.60
KEMPT	816.00	3.52	560.00	1,376.00	23,166.23	2,199.98	5,158.44	28,324.67
LAPLAND	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,322.46	512.25	0.00	3,322.46
LIVERPOOL	3,500.00	2.92	3,000.00	6,500.00	120,054.40	8,500.00	4,674.72	124,729.12
MAHONE BAY	3,858.66	6.89	65.00	3,923.66	56,031.41	3,683.10	921.81	56,953.22
MAITLAND BRIDGE *	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
MILTON	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	66,223.07	987.00	12,640.87	78,863.94
NEW CANADA	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	10,569.96	0.00	0.00	10,569.96
NEW CORNWALL	1,250.00	4.19	200.00	1,450.00	29,855.59	1,768.48	248.15	30,103.74
NEW ROSS	2,003.50	0.00	78.00	2,081.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
NORTH BROOKFIELD	373.11	2.45	0.00	373.11	15,214.00	867.30	1,126.69	16,340.69
NORTHWEST	4,839.00	9.46	0.00	4,839.00	51,170.26	10,232.44	6,300.95	57,471.21
PLEASANTVILLE	3,000.00	2.97	1,925.00	4,925.00	101,077.00	7,625.00	4,145.00	105,222.00
PORT MEDWAY	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
PORT MOUTON	675.00	0.00	200.00	875.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
SOUTH BROOKFIELD (ZION)	1,180.00	6.73	0.00	1,180.00	17,529.69	1,301.00	0.00	17,529.69
SPRINGFIELD	1,500.00	2.24	200.00	1,700.00	67,000.00	4,355.00	0.00	67,000.00
WESTERN SHORE	2,982.10	12.78	750.00	3,732.10	23,336.92	9,895.45	6,715.92	30,052.84
WESTFIELD	275.00	1.51	300.00	575.00	18,234.83	1,675.00	0.00	18,234.83
TOTAL	\$89,098.34	4.46	\$29,866.50	\$118,964.84	\$1,996,800.94	\$177,535.19	\$49,639.05	\$2,046,439.99

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	United in Mission	% of Church Revenue	Supplemental Revenue	Total Convention Revenue	Church Revenue	Mission & Benevolences	Other Church Groups	Total Church Revenue		
REGION V				SHELBUR	NE ASSOCIA	TION				
BARRINGTON TEMPLE	3,270.00	6.15	1,100.00	4,370.00	53,205.93	12,312.31	2,714.15	55,920.08		
BEAR POINT	1,612.47	9.97	0.00	1,612.47	16,175.25	1,751.72	3,444.10	19,619.35		
CENTRAL WOODS HARBOUR	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	14,652.61	4,290.00	0.00	14,652.61		
CENTREVILLE	0.00	0.00	288.00	288.00	30,281.22	5,076.44	1,412.40	31,693.62		
CLARK'S HARBOUR ""STONE""	3,992.00	4.13	1,572.00	5,564.00	96,650.81	7,994.50	4,195.87	100,846.68		
DOCTOR'S COVE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00		
FIRST RAGGED ISLAND	1,350.00	8.26	0.00	1,350.00	16,341.98	1,758.00	600.00	16,941.98		
FIRST SABLE RIVER	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	9,293.92	548.00	0.00	9,293.92		
JORDAN FALLS	1,757.00	2.02	1,050.04	2,807.04	87,064.82	5,475.20	1,635.48	88,700.30		
LOCKEPORT	618.00	1.46	105.00	723.00	42,254.22	3,299.50	0.00	42,254.22		
LOWER WOODS HARBOUR	2,035.00	0.00	4,796.45	6,831.45	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00		
NEWELLTON	100.00	0.29	350.00	450.00	34,374.00	0.00	0.00	34,374.00		
PORT LA TOUR	1,440.00	0.00	0.00	1,440.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00		
SHAG HARBOUR	4,501.00	0.00	5,061.00	9,562.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00		
SHELBURNE	6,000.00	5.60	1,150.00	7,150.00	107,151.00	14,569.00	1,506.34	108,657.34		
SOUTH SIDE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00		
STONEY ISLAND	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00		
TOTAL	\$26,675.47	5.26	\$15,472.49	\$42,147.96	\$507,445.76	\$57,074.67	\$15,508.34	\$522,954.10		

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	United in Mission	% of Church Revenue	Supplemental Revenue	Total Convention Revenue	Church Revenue	Mission & Benevolences	Other Church Groups	Total Church Revenue
REGION V				YARMOUT	TH ASSOCIA	TION		
ARGYLE-PUBNICO	1,423.00	0.84	0.00	1,423.00	168,776.04	11,651.38	0.00	168,776.04
BAYVIEW (PORT MAITLAND)	1,105.25	2.20	796.00	1,901.25	50,339.27	6,442.44	1,574.43	51,913.70
BEAVER RIVER	1,000.00	0.00	1,000.00	2,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
BROOKLYN	3,581.00	11.56	500.00	4,081.00	30,982.50	6,433.00	0.00	30,982.50
CARLETON	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
CEDAR LAKE *	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
CENTRAL CHEBOGUE &	200.00	0.00	0.00	200.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
HEBRON	4,500.00	3.35	250.00	4,750.00	134,302.71	7,909.25	2,945.94	137,248.65
KEMPTVILLE	2,200.00	2.91	0.00	2,200.00	75,720.85	5,551.54	2,625.46	78,346.31
LAKE GEORGE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
NEW HEIGHTS	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
PLEASANT LAKE	1,600.00	4.16	60.00	1,660.00	38,477.36	0.00	0.00	38,477.36
PLEASANT VALLEY	3,447.00	5.00	200.00	3,647.00	69,007.84	2,515.94	3,347.43	72,355.27
SANDFORD	1,800.00	0.00	0.00	1,800.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
TEMPLE	2,000.25	0.00	0.00	2,000.25	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
YARMOUTH NORTH	9,495.00	6.93	7,478.00	16,973.00	137,096.04	43,344.48	7,354.26	144,450.30
ZION	12,055.02	9.82	623.10	12,678.12	122,753.00	3,443.00	4,086.00	126,839.00
TOTAL	\$44,406.52	5.37	\$10,907.10	\$55,313.62	\$827,455.61	\$87,291.03	\$21,933.52	\$849,389.13

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REGION VI				SAINT JO	OHN-KINGS ASS	SOCIATION					
Atlantic Community Church	16000.00	0.00	0.00	16,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
Browns Flat	600.00	0.77	1,300.00	1,900.00	78,073.00	11,352.00	1,183.00	79,256.00			
Central Norton	9160.00	4.77	1,300.00	10,460.00	192,178.01	10,825.00	551.07	192,729.08			
Chance Harbour	600.00	3.06	1,470.00	2,070.00	19,631.00	3,275.00	320.00	19,951.00			
Collina	830.00	4.14	455.00	1,285.00	20,061.90	4,097.00	2,187.78	22,249.68			
Cornerstone Inc.	3373.50	0.98	1,085.00	4,458.50	345,617.00	9,726.00	0.00	345,617.00			
Dipper Harbour	6000.00	12.11	9,680.00	15,680.00	49,564.00	7,241.00	770.00	50,334.00			
Edith Avenue	8619.00	8.25	1,605.00	10,224.00	104,416.01	10,989.00	531.80	104,947.81			
Erb's Cove	4000.00	0.00	1,770.00	5,770.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
Fairfield	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
Forest Hills	15000.03	3.25	20,531.36	35,531.39	461,209.00	78,850.00	54,965.00	516,174.00			
Germain Street Inc *	1320.00	0.00	2,221.16	3,541.16	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
Grand Bay	35395.00	9.91	15,563.50	50,958.50	357,025.55	26,901.05	0.00	357,025.55			
Hampton	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
Head Of Millstream	200.00	0.00	0.00	200.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
Hillcrest Inc.	12773.30	2.92	4,402.92	17,176.22	437,242.00	80,096.00	25,518.00	462,760.00			
Kennebecasis	23605.00	5.53	18,374.80	41,979.80	427,084.00	87,728.00	0.00	427,084.00			
Kierstead Mountain	605.00	4.47	680.00	1,285.00	13,529.62	1,515.00	3,624.18	17,153.80			
Kiersteadville	2525.00	5.30	500.00	3,025.00	47,664.12	5,688.00	0.00	47,664.12			
Kingston	7215.38	8.01	3,186.10	10,401.48	90,121.62	16,030.01	7,668.05	97,789.67			
Lancaster	15171.34	7.26	2,672.68	17,844.02	208,869.00	31,720.23	12,269.91	221,138.91			
Loch Lomond	0.00	0.00	500.00	500.00	11,062.75	4,300.00	0.00	11,062.75			
Lower Millstream	250.00	1.24	300.00	550.00	20,152.16	0.00	0.00	20,152.16			
Maces Bay	2350.00	0.00	3,519.00	5,869.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
Main Street	48328.53	9.76	5,962.57	54,291.10	495,322.00	112,896.00	4,686.00	500,008.00			
Midland	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	127,617.29	8,005.39	0.00	127,617.29			
Nerepis	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
Norton	2700.00	1.69	0.00	2,700.00	160,219.13	17,587.26	2,752.18	162,971.31			
Penobsquis	7500.00	4.87	2,004.00	9,504.00	153,892.03	47,536.77	1,004.20	154,896.23			
Portage Vale	3273.57	9.77	0.00	3,273.57	33,505.35	7,383.57	0.00	33,505.35			
Salt Springs	0.00	0.00	300.00	300.00	22,216.62	2,691.00	248.20	22,464.82			
Smithtown	2427.50	3.47	8,347.50	10,775.00	69,940.59	0.00	0.00	69,940.59			
Snider Mountain	200.00	0.00	0.00	200.00	0.00	575.00	0.00	0.00			
St. Martins	900.00	0.92	100.00	1,000.00	97,615.20	20,164.08	2,097.26	99,712.46			
Sussex	7835.00	4.24	0.00	7,835.00	184,976.00	16,650.00	21,391.00	206,367.00			
Tabernacle	4325.05	2.04	2,181.40	6,506.45	212,023.20	123,230.30	5,627.77	217,650.97			
TOTAL	\$243,082.20	5.47	\$110,011.99	\$353,094.19	\$4,440,828.15	\$747,052.66	\$147,395.40	\$4,588,223.55			

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	United in Mission	% of Church Revenue	Supplemental Revenue	Total Convention Revenue	Church Revenue	Mission & Benevolences	Other Church Groups	Total Church Revenue
REGION VI			,	SOUTHWE	STERN ASSOC	CIATION		
Andersonville	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Bayside *	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Beaver Harbour	250.00	0.60	350.00	600.00	42,000.00	4,700.00	0.00	42,000.00
Calvary (Black's Harbour) Atlantic	600.00	1.65	50.00	650.00	36,313.28	0.00	0.00	36,313.28
Castalia	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Community Life Church of Grand Manan	1,929.50	1.19	2,766.20	4,695.70	162,316.40	12,165.21	0.00	162,316.40
Fairhaven	608.00	1.97	0.00	608.00	30,813.80	1,014.00	0.00	30,813.80
Lambert's Cove	5,158.50	0.00	0.00	5,158.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
North Head	3,131.00	4.21	1,604.50	4,735.50	74,326.15	1,314.00	5,052.27	79,378.42
Oak Bay	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Pennfield	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Pocologan	1,000.00	0.00	328.00	1,328.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Rockland Drive (McAdam)	10,000.00	0.00	1,720.00	11,720.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Rollingdam	2,000.00	0.00	300.00	2,300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Seal Cove	189.00	0.23	0.00	189.00	80,450.00	7,571.00	3,837.00	84,287.00
Second Falls	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	52,482.42	1,498.85	2,389.66	54,872.08
St. Andrews	7,235.00	5.46	7,377.25	14,612.25	132,570.03	17,519.49	0.00	132,570.03
St. George	9,940.00	0.00	1,819.00	11,759.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Union Street Atlantic	28,000.00	11.74	1,734.69	29,734.69	238,425.00	5,194.00	7,597.00	246,022.00
Wilson's Beach	1,200.00	1.05	1,000.00	2,200.00	113,904.28	22,965.00	1,100.00	115,004.28
TOTAL	\$71,241.00	7.39	\$19,049.64	\$90,290.64	\$963,601.36	\$73,941.55	\$19,975.93	\$983,577.29

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REGION VII				AFR	RICAN ASSOCIAT	ΓΙΟΝ			
ACACIAVILLE	55.00	0.00	0.00	55.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
BEECHVILLE	400.00	0.64	0.00	400.00	62,132.98	1,150.00	1,873.00	64,005.98	
CHERRY BROOK	1,563.75	0.00	0.00	1,563.75	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
COBEQUID ROAD	1,350.00	2.29	350.00	1,700.00	58,886.24	5,500.00	1,195.83	60,082.07	
CORNWALLIS ST. (HALIFAX)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	251,094.00	1,347.00	0.00	251,094.00	
EAST PRESTON	4,117.50	2.36	0.00	4,117.50	174,342.14	4,117.50	0.00	174,342.14	
EMMANUEL	2,916.71	0.61	50.00	2,966.71	480,294.00	15,792.00	2,144.00	482,438.00	
GIBSON WOODS	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	17,253.16	0.00	1,018.34	18,271.50	
GREENVILLE	200.00	0.00	0.00	200.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
GUYSBOROUGH ROAD *	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
INGLEWOOD	750.00	4.21	100.00	850.00	17,831.09	1,980.00	193.00	18,024.09	
LUCASVILLE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	43,594.51	1,289.63	3,719.08	47,313.59	
MOUNT BEULAH	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
SAINT THOMAS	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	88,516.85	0.00	0.00	88,516.85	
SECOND NEW GLASGOW	3,787.50	4.46	200.00	3,987.50	84,866.00	5,203.00	627.43	85,493.43	
SUNNYVILLE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,342.98	0.00	0.00	3,342.98	
TRACADIE	1,200.00	0.00	0.00	1,200.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
VICTORIA ROAD (DARTMOUTH)	2,000.00	0.00	50.00	2,050.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
WINDSOR PLAINS	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	38,389.96	0.00	0.00	38,389.96	
ZION (TRURO)	2,479.10	4.54	0.00	2,479.10	54,633.80	4,071.35	2,000.00	56,633.80	
TOTAL	\$20,819.56	1.51	\$750.00	\$21,569.56	\$1,375,177.71	\$40,450.48	\$12,770.68	\$1,387,948.39	

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NAME OF CHURCH	CO	NVENT	TION REVEN	UE		LOCAL CHURO	CH REVENUE	
	United in Mission	% of Church Revenue	Supplemental Revenue	Total Convention Revenue	Church Revenue	Mission & Benevolences	Other Church Groups	Total Church Revenue
Statistical Summary				January 1	- December 31, 20	010		
REGION I								
Northwestern	\$166,098.50	4.87	\$30,413.35	\$196,511.85	\$3,410,362.20	\$405,222.37	\$69,267.82	\$3,479,630.02
Queens-Sunbury	\$123,035.13	5.78	\$15,011.38	\$138,046.51	\$2,128,062.86	\$288,598.98	\$59,583.32	\$2,187,646.18
York	\$234,549.23	5.32	\$61,527.86	\$296,077.09	\$4,409,252.94	\$537,029.55	\$100,728.61	\$4,509,981.55
REGION I TOTALS	\$523,682.86	5.26	\$106,952.59	\$630,635.45	\$9,947,678.00	\$1,230,850.90	\$229,579.75	\$10,177,257.75
REGION II								
Annapolis	\$95,054.40	9.32	\$28,674.23	\$123,728.63	\$1,020,318.50	\$129,884.80	\$32,939.94	\$1,053,258.44
Eastern Valley	\$226,052.66	3.76	\$55,883.33	\$281,935.99	\$6,016,151.83	\$313,514.89	\$442,316.60	\$6,458,468.43
REGION II TOTALS	\$321,107.06	4.56	\$84,557.56	\$405,664.62	\$7,036,470.33	\$443,399.69	\$475,256.54	\$7,511,726.87
REGION III								
Albert	\$106,729.59	5.21	\$22,425.83	\$129,155.42	\$2,048,209.76	\$482,307.29	\$62,911.26	\$2,111,121.02
Miramichi-North Shore	\$61,996.50	6.4	\$14,148.91	\$76,145.41	\$968,865.42	\$177,825.69	\$12,706.44	\$106,729.59
Prince Edward Island	\$106,445.50	4.71	\$19,704.90	\$126,150.40	\$2,262,179.48	\$265,354.23	\$43,730.17	\$2,305,909.65
Westmorland-Kent	\$243,082.20	5.47	\$110,011.99	\$353,094.19	\$4,440,828.15	\$747,052.66	\$147,395.40	\$4,588,223.55
REGION III TOTALS	\$518,253.79	5.33	\$166,291.63	\$684,545.42	\$9,720,082.81	\$1,672,539.87	\$266,743.27	\$9,111,983.81
REGION IV								
Antigonish-Guysborough	\$3,191.00	1.89	\$2,291.00	\$5,482.00	\$169,031.77	\$13,240.65	\$4,885.94	\$173,917.71
Cape Breton	\$15,007.00	5.30	\$765.00	\$15,772.00	\$282,958.14	\$21,357.92	\$8,582.98	\$291,541.12
Colchester-Pictou	\$93,543.45	4.09	\$33,984.69	\$127,528.14	\$2,286,120.78	\$142,989.46	\$58,293.69	\$2,344,414.47
Cumberland	\$32,948.49	3.32	\$6,823.79	\$39,772.28	\$992,880.22	\$42,942.15	\$8,557.06	\$1,001,437.28
Halifax	\$189,087.64	4.24	\$67,497.48	\$256,585.12	\$4,464,855.07	\$455,632.20	\$108,044.01	\$4,572,899.08
Newfoundland and Labrador	\$30,769.00	6.27	\$400.00	\$31,169.00	\$491,042.62	\$89,263.00	\$2,185.63	\$493,228.25
REGION IV TOTALS	\$364,546.58	4.20		\$476,308.54	\$8,686,888.60	\$765,425.38	\$190,549.31	\$8,877,437.91
REGION V		<u>"</u>					,	
Digby	\$27,676.90	4.63	\$7,000.00	\$34,676.90	\$597,443.71	\$57,663.77	\$37,156.51	\$634,600.22
Lunenburg-Queens	\$89,098.34	4.46	\$29,866.50	\$118,964.84	\$1,996,800.94	\$177,535.19	\$49,639.05	\$2,046,439.99
Shelburne	\$26,675.47	5.26	\$15,472.49	\$42,147.96	\$507,445.76	\$57,074.67	\$15,508.34	\$522,954.10
Yarmouth	\$44,406.52	5.37	\$10,907.10	\$55,313.62	\$827,455.61	\$87,291.03	\$21,933.52	\$849,389.13
REGION V TOTALS	\$187,857.23	4.78	\$63,246.09	\$251,103.32	\$3,929,146.02	\$379,564.66	\$124,237.42	\$4,053,383.44
REGION VI								
Saint John-Kings	\$243,082.20	5.47	\$110,011.99	\$353,094.19	\$4,440,828.15	\$747,052.66	\$147,395.40	\$4,588,223.55
Southwestern	\$71,241.00	7.39	\$19,049.64	\$90,290.64	\$963,601.36	\$73,941.55	\$19,975.93	\$983,577.29
REGION VI TOTALS	\$314,323.20	5.82	\$129,061.63	\$443,384.83	\$5,404,429.51	\$820,994.21	\$167,371.33	\$5,571,800.84
REGION VIII								
African	\$20,819.56	1.51	\$750.00	\$21,569.56	\$1,375,177.71	\$40,450.48	\$12,770.68	\$1,387,948.39
REGION VIII TOTALS	\$20,819.56	1.51	\$750.00	\$21,569.56	\$1,375,177.71	\$40,450.48	\$12,770.68	\$1,387,948.39
GRAND TOTAL 2010	\$2,250,590.28	4.88	\$662,621.46	\$2,913,211.74	\$46,099,872.98	\$5,353,225.19	\$1,466,508.30	\$46,691,539.01
Grand Total 2009	\$2,403,146.98	5.89	\$578,585.78	\$2,981,732.76	\$40,774,777.25	\$4,462,458.99	\$1,831,584.24	\$42,606,361.49
Grand Total 2008	\$2,485,227.35	6.08	\$568,502.87	\$3,053,730.22	\$40,894,676.13	\$5,171,588.33	\$1,324,496.68	\$42,219,172.81
Grand Total 2007	\$2,592,983.17	6.21	\$539,897.37	\$3,132,880.54	\$41,763,244.69	\$5,045,186.99	\$1,504,302.61	\$43,267,547.30

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Grand Total 2006	\$2,579,970.57	6.32	\$568,256.57	\$3,148,227.14	\$40,832,609.49	\$4,763,067.91	\$1,556,841.92	\$42,389,451.41
Grand Total 2005	\$2,462,001.31	6.38	\$682,213.05	\$3,144,214.36	\$38,615,183.43	\$5,002,572.83	\$1,537,448.33	\$40,152,631.76
Grand Total 2004	\$2,533,266.37	6.71	\$619,609.94	\$3,152,876.31	\$37,727,113.83	\$4,694,644.58	\$1,637,950.32	\$39,365,064.15
Grand Total 2003	\$2,396,360.55	6.90	\$566,528.36	\$2,962,888.91	\$34,715,363.86	\$4,579,741.89	\$1,742,296.43	\$36,457,660.29
Grand Total 2002	\$2,497,563.56	6.92	\$606,479.96	\$3,104,043.52	\$36,099,746.26	\$4,825,058.40	\$1,899,132.59	\$38,007,920.85
Grand Total 2001	\$2,529,749.10	7.27	\$626,080.43	\$3,155,829.53	\$34,813,244.48	\$4,659,391.23	\$1,506,358.05	\$36,319,602.53
Grand Total 2000	\$2,410,131.59	7.12	\$560,119.33	\$2,970,250.95	\$33,867,337.94	\$4,737,156.73	\$1,739,433.48	\$35,606,771.42







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