



## Action Outline #2 Renewal of Candidacy

**Action:** The dCOM must annually renew the certified candidacy status of each candidate. “The dCOM must annually renew the certification status of each candidate (§ 313).

**Suggested Motion:** Move that the certified candidacy status of \_\_\_\_\_  
be renewed for the upcoming conference year.

**Date of Vote:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Vote:**       \_\_\_ Candidacy Continued                               \_\_\_ Candidacy Discontinued

**Conference:** \_\_\_\_\_

**District:** \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\* Majority vote required to continue candidacy.**

### Requirements:

1. Annual recommendation of the candidate’s church charge conference or equivalent.
2. Evidence that the candidate’s gifts, graces, and fruits continue to be satisfactory (dCOM interview, mentor’s report, letter from pastor, etc.).
3. Evidence that the candidate is making satisfactory progress for the required education:
  - a. A student preparing for provisional membership shall present annually to the dCOM and official transcript from their University Senate-approved college/university or theological school.
  - b. A non-student shall complete school for local pastor’s license and be considered by the district committee for approval for the license for pastoral ministry.
4. Submit Form 117 (Church Support of Candidate) to the dCOM.