

CHECKLIST FOR RECEPTION OF A CHURCH FROM ANOTHER DENOMINATION
See BCO 13-8

Name: _____

Commission Recommendation: _____

- _____ Presbytery receives a communication/petition from a congregation.
- _____ Presbytery appoints a commission to meet with the church's ruling elders to make certain that the elders understand and sincerely adopt the doctrines and polity of the Presbyterian Church of American as contained in the Constitution.
- _____ Ruling elders affirm the ordination vows required of officers at their ordination in the presence of the commission.
- _____ Commission reports to presbytery.
- _____ Presbytery approves the minutes of the commission and records the reception of the congregation into Presbytery and the PCA.
- _____ Presbytery reports the church's reception to records@pcanet.org.