**Sessional Certification**

**Of an Applicant for Candidacy**

**For the Gospel Ministry**

##### Presbyterian Church in America

#### IN THE PRESBYTERY OF \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

The session should invite the applicant to meet with the session (or session's committee first, then with session).  **IN NO CASE SHOULD THIS COMPLETED FORM BE SEEN BY THE APPLICANT.**

1. How does the session evaluate the applicant's Christian character?

Strengths:

Weaknesses:

Other comments:

2. Does the session recommend this applicant for candidacy? Would this recommendation be with any qualifications? If so, what?

STATEMENT OF CERTIFICATION: We, the session of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Presbyterian Church, certify that the above applicant has been a member of the church since \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and we commend this member to the Committee on Candidates as an applicant for candidacy for the Gospel Ministry.

Signature of Moderator of the Session \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_