

To the Bishop and the Committee on Priesthood (COP) of the Diocese of New Jersey,

We, whose names are written here, testify to our belief, based on personal knowledge or on evidence that is satisfactory to us, that

_____ (applicant's name)

who is a confirmed adult communicant of this Church in good standing, is sober, honest, and godly. We do also declare that in our opinion he/she possesses such qualifications as fit him/her to be admitted as a Candidate for Holy Orders. We further certify that we would be glad to have such a person minister in our parish.

Church _____ Date _____

Signature (Rector) _____

Vestry Signatures (at least two-thirds of the members):

ATTESTATION OF CLERK OF THE VESTRY

I hereby certify that the foregoing certificate was signed at a meeting of the Vestry of

_____ Parish, duly convened on the _____ day of

_____, _____, and that the names attached are those of all

(or two-thirds of all) the members of the vestry.

Signature (Clerk of the Vestry) _____