



54th Annual World Service Business Conference
The Miracle of Abstinence!
April 27 – May 2, 2015

Agenda Questionnaire Instructions

January 9, 2015

To: Intergroups and Service Boards

This set of e-documents includes proposed new business motions and proposed bylaw amendments for consideration at the 2015 World Service Business Conference (WSBC). Each intergroup and service board is asked to review each proposed new business motion and proposed bylaw amendment, and to vote to determine if it should be included on the agenda at the 2015 WSBC. An agenda questionnaire is included for your intergroup's or service board's vote on each item. Space is also provided for your comments. *NOTE: The agenda questionnaire is an interactive PDF, which should allow you to type your selections directly into the document, print and sign it and mail/email it to the WSO. If you are unable to do this, please print the form, complete and sign it, and mail it to the WSO by the postmarked deadline date.*

A summary of these motions has also been included. **This document is simply a reference piece and should NOT be returned to the WSO.** Please return the agenda questionnaire **ONLY**.

Please carefully consider each proposed new business motion and bylaw amendment in order to decide if the delegates should discuss and vote on it at WSBC 2015. Does its debate benefit OA at this time? Your “yes” or “no” vote is **NOT** a vote to approve or disapprove the content of the business motion or bylaw amendment. Those agenda items discussed and voted on by the 2015 Conference delegates will affect OA as a whole for years to come; therefore they should be important to the Fellowship *as a whole*.

Only those new business motions and bylaw amendments receiving a “yes” vote from at least 50 percent of the responding intergroups and service boards will be considered at WSBC 2015. **Your intergroup or service board is urged to vote on the items listed on the agenda questionnaire whether or not you are represented by a delegate at Conference 2015.**

The chair or secretary of your intergroup or service board **must** sign the agenda questionnaire. The completed questionnaire must be returned to the World Service Office and postmarked by **February 26, 2015**. **This is a firm deadline established by OA's Bylaws.** Questionnaires postmarked after that date and unsigned questionnaires will not be counted. **Only registered intergroups and service boards may vote and complete the agenda questionnaire.**

Return the agenda questionnaire postmarked by February 26, 2015 with the signature of the chair or the secretary of the intergroup or service board.

Please submit agenda questionnaire to:
OA World Service Office
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**Agenda Questionnaire
World Service Business Conference 2015**

Deadline for Return – February 26, 2015 (postmarked)

The questionnaire must be mailed to the WSO and postmarked by February 26, 2015.

All intergroups and service boards are entitled and urged to vote on this questionnaire whether or not they will be represented by delegates at Conference.

To assist in determining which proposals may require referral to the Reference Subcommittee, please type or write concerns or questions in the space provided. An additional sheet of paper may be used if necessary. If used, please indicate which proposal you are addressing.

A non-vote on a proposal will **NOT** be counted in the total number of votes. It will be considered an abstention.

This questionnaire must be returned by the intergroup or service board to the WSO by the postmarked **deadline of February 26, 2015**. The WSO will strictly adhere to this deadline.

To: Intergroup or Service Board Chair/Secretary

Does your intergroup or service board wish the following **New Business Proposals** placed on the agenda for the 2015 Business Conference? Please check your preference and fill in comments if your intergroup or service board has support, opposition, concerns or questions at this time. These comments are to give direction on which proposed new business motions will be referred to the Reference Subcommittee.

Proposal Item A

Submitted by Board of Trustees

Yes No

A. Comments

Proposal Item B

Yes No

Submitted by Board of Trustees

B. Comments

Proposal Item C

Yes No

Submitted by Baton Rouge IG, Region Eight

C. Comments

Proposal Item D

Submitted by St. Louis Bi-State IG, Region Four

This motion has been ruled out of order by the chair. See WSBC Motions Review Comments on attached motion.

Proposal Item E

Submitted by St. Louis Bi-State IG, Region Four

This motion has been ruled out of order by the chair. See WSBC Motions Review Comments on attached motion.

Proposal Item F

Submitted by OA South & East England IG, Region Nine

This motion has been ruled out of order by the chair. See WSBC Motions Review Comments on attached motion.

Proposal Item G

Yes No

Submitted by Los Angeles IG, Region Two

G. Comments

Proposal Item H

Yes No

Submitted by Board of Trustees

H. Comments

Proposal Item I

Yes No

Submitted by Board of Trustees

I. Comments

Proposal Item J

Yes No

Submitted by San Diego County IG, Region Two

J. Comments

Proposal Item K

Submitted by Oregon OA IG, Region One

This motion has been ruled out of order by the chair. See WSBC Motions Review Comments on attached motion.

Proposal Item L

Submitted by Greater Kansas City Area IG, Region Four

This motion has been ruled out of order by the chair. See WSBC Motions Review Comments on attached motion.

Does your intergroup or service board wish the following **Bylaw Amendment Proposals** placed on the agenda for the 2015 Business Conference? Please check your preference and fill in comments if your intergroup or service board has support, opposition, concerns or questions at this time. These comments are to give direction on which proposed bylaw amendments will be referred to the Reference Subcommittee.

Proposal Item No. 1

Yes No

Submitted by Board of Trustees

1. Comments

Proposal Item No. 2

Yes No

Submitted by Board of Trustees

2. Comments

Proposal Item No. 3

Yes No

Submitted by Board of Trustees

3. Comments

Proposal Item No. 4

Yes No

Submitted by Board of Trustees

4. Comments

Proposal Item No. 5
Submitted by Board of Trustees

Yes No

5. Comments

Proposal Item No. 6
Submitted by Board of Trustees

Yes No

6. Comments

Proposal Item No. 7
Submitted by Oregon OA IG, Region One

Yes No

7. Comments

Date of voting _____

Number of intergroup or service board representatives and delegates at voting _____ (*required*)

Intergroup/Service Board Name

Intergroup/Service Board No.

State/Province/Country

Intergroup/Service Board Chair Signature

Intergroup/Service Board Secretary Signature

This form will not be accepted if it is not signed by the intergroup or service board chair and/or the intergroup or service board secretary.

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DELEGATES: Please do not return this questionnaire. The questionnaire should be returned by the intergroup or service board only.

This information is available to you to study and give input to your intergroup or service board. We would very much appreciate your follow up to see that your intergroup or service board chair or secretary completes the results to the questionnaire for the intergroup or service board.