

Appendix 2A: Exhibit 1: Validation of Ministry Application

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Name:			
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Ministry Seeking Validation:			

Please describe how this ministry meets the criteria in the *Book of Order*, G-2.0503a (use additional paper as needed):

A validated ministry shall:

1. Demonstrate conformity with the mission of God's people in the world as set forth in Holy Scripture, *The Book of Confessions*, and the *Book of Order* of this church.
2. Serve and aid others, and enable the ministries of others.
3. Give evidence of theologically informed fidelity to God's Word.

4. Be carried on in accountability for its character and conduct to the presbytery in addition to any organizations, agencies, and institutions served.

5. Include responsible participation in the deliberations, worship, and work of the presbytery and in the life of a congregation of this church or a church in correspondence with the PC(USA) [G-5.0201].