Southern California Conference – 63rd Constituency Session

SESSION TIMELINE (per Bylaws)

(The following dates are proposed for the Southern California Conference 63^{rd} Constituency Session in compliance with the current Bylaws, and have been approved by the Executive Committee.)

October 14, 2010	Request Churches elect Regular Delegates according to their membership ("Regular delegates shall consist of the delegates from the churches, each church being entitled to a minimum of one (1) delegate, plus one (1) additional delegate for each fifty (50) members or major fraction thereof. BL 2.2
January 10, 2011	Delegates Selection submitted by each organized church to the Secretary ("Each church shall elect its delegates in compliance with the Church Manual at a business meeting of the church not later than sixteen (16) weeks prior to the session.") BL 2.2.1
February 20, 2011	Pre-Session Committee, consists of one delegate (Regular or At-Large) from each organized church, completes its work of selecting the Nominating Committee ("The pre-session committee shall complete its work not later than eight (8) weeks prior to the Session and the secretary shall mail the minutes of its meeting to all delegates within seven (7) days of such completion.") BL 3.1
March 6, 2011	Nominating Committee commences its work ("The nominating committee shall commence its work not later than six (6) weeks prior to the session") BL 3.2
April 17, 2011	Nominating Committee renders its report to the Secretary (" and complete its work not later than two (2) weeks prior to the session, at which time it shall report to the secretary.") BL 3.2
April 20, 2011	Conference Secretary distributes Nominating Committee report to all delegates ("Upon completion of its deliberations, the nominating committee shall issue a report of its nominations to the secretary who shall immediately distribute a copy to all delegates.") BL 3.2.4
May 1 & 9, 2011	Special Meetings of the Nominating Committee with those who request to meet ("This report shall include the time and place of a special meeting of the nominating committee, which shall occur not more than seven (7) days prior to the session. BL 3.2.4
	At this meeting delegates may appear to present comments to the report for the nominating committee's further consideration. BL 3.2.4
May 15, 2011	SCC 63 rd Constituency Session If the nominating committee shall elect to make any changes to its report prior to formal presentation at the session, any changes, together with the reason(s) for such change(s), shall be reported to the delegates.") BL 3.2.4

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Bylaws Committee

January 30, 2011

Bylaws Committee ask delegates to submit their proposals for changes

("At least three (3) months prior to a regular session, the committee shall announce a time and place for submitting written proposals for amendments to the committee for consideration and

review. BL 8.1.2

Such announcement shall be by written notice to (i.) the pastors, (ii.) the delegates, or (iii.) the

first elders. BL 8.1.2.

February 17, 2011

BC receives written proposals for Bylaws amendments

March 29, 2011

BC submits its report to the Executive Committee

("The bylaws committee shall submit its report to the executive committee not later than four (4) weeks prior to the session.") B 3.3.2

April 4, 2011

Conference Secretary distributes the Report to all delegates

("The secretary shall include any proposed amendments in the session booklet.") BL 3.3.2

("The secretary shall publish a session booklet, which shall include... bylaws and distribute the same to all delegates.") BL 3.3.3

May 15, 2011

BC reports to delegates at Constituency Session

("The bylaws committee shall submit a report to the delegates at the regular sessions.") BL 8.1.1

Proposed Agenda Items

March 29, 2011

Submission of Agenda Items for the Session

("No later than eight (8) weeks prior to the session, a church may submit to the executive committee proposed agenda items which have been approved by either a majority of its (i.) delegates, (ii.) church board, or (iii.) the church in business meeting.") BL 3.3.1

("The president, with the advice and consent of the executive committee, shall establish the agenda for the session.") BL 3.3.1

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