



# PLENARY MOTION FORM

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Name: Odell Horne, Jr. 1/4

Annual Conference: North Georgia

GCID #: 85443 Section: D Row: 4 Seat: 4

Date: May 2, 2024 Time: 4:26

Item Under Consideration: 8/22 21039, ADCA - 1283  
21040, ADCA - 1303

(Calendar item, petition number, DCA page number, etc.)

Motion: I move that General Conference, as authorized in the 2014 Book of Discipline, ¶2609.1 and 2609.2, request of Judicial Council that determine the constitutionality of ¶543.7 as amended by Petition 21040 found on ADCA page 1303 and following and adopted with the approval of Calendar AOI on which that petition was Item Number 8. As amended this paragraph now reads, in relevant part, the following: A regional conference may delegate to an annual conference within its boundaries the power to make changes

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Action of Plenary:

Request Declaratory Decision  
(adopt, reject, refer, etc.)

Vote: 238, 361  
39.70% for/against



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Motion: and adaptations, upon the request of such annual conference.

The power to make changes and adaptations to the Book of Discipline has given regional conferences in FP 31.5 as proposed for amendment in petition # 21039 as found on ADCA page 1283. The petition was designated as Calendar Item 22 and approved the General Conference for submission to the members of the annual conferences for ratification. In the relevant part this paragraph says the following: The regional conferences shall have the following

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Motion: power and duties as the special conditions and the mission of the church in the area require, subject to the limits fixed by the Constitution, and such others as may be conferred by the General Conference. 5. To legislate rules and regulations for the administration of the work within their boundaries including such changes and adaptations of the general Discipline as follows, while upholding the constitution and the decisions of General Conference in accordance with IP 16.17. The power to make changes in church law is a

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Motion: legislative function, and the Judicial Council has repeatedly held that such and authority legislative responsibility and authority may not be delegated. This is legislation critical to how the United Methodist Church will move into its future, and if this provision is unconstitutional, then the general conference ought to be made aware to have the opportunity to fix it.

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