



CHRIST HOLY SANCTIFIED CHURCH

WRITTEN EXAMINATION ANSWER SHEET for ORDAINED MINISTERS JUDICIAL & POLITY

The purpose of this section is for the candidate to read the current Bylaws of the Christ Holy Sanctified Church and Polity of the Christ Holy Sanctified Church. Both the publication of the current Bylaws of the CHSC and the CHSC organizational structure can be found on the CHSC website (www.chschurch.org).

Name: _____

CHSC Administration and Judicial

(According to the current Bylaws of Christ Holy Sanctified Church and Polity of Christ Holy Sanctified Church)

- 1) What is the name of the ruling body or Board of Directors of CHSC? **"Board of Presbytery", also known as "Board One" and "The Board" (CHSC Bylaws Article III; Section 3.1)**
- 2) What is the highest "ecclesiastical" official of CHSC? **Presiding Bishop or Presiding Prelate**
- 3) The highest authority in the local church is: **Pastor**
- 4) According to CHSC Bylaws, Article VIII "Assemblies and Boundaries", name the four levels (hierarchy of assemblies) within CHSC:
 1. **Diocese**
 2. **Jurisdiction**
 3. **District**
 4. **Local Assembly**
- 5) The six (6) major boundaries which comprise the 50 states of the United States are called **Diocese (Article VIII; Section 8)**
- 6) According to Article V, Section 5.6, who succeeds the presiding bishop in the event of a vacancy? **1st Assistant Presiding Bishop**
- 7) What are the two conditions by which a "call for an election" may occur?

(1.) If the 1st Assistant Presiding Bishop or the 2nd Assistant Presiding Bishop chooses not to succeed to their respective offices as presiding Bishop; (2.) 1st and 2nd Vice President serve out their respective term.
- 8) As of the date of this examination, who are the following national CHSC officials: Presiding Bishop (Presiding Prelate, Chief Apostle) and President **Craig E. Brown**, 1st Assistant Presiding Bishop (1st Vice President) **Vernon James**
- 9) As of the date of this examination, name at least eight (8) current CHSC Board One (Board of Presbytery) members:

- a) _____
- b) _____
- c) _____
- d) _____
- e) _____
- f) _____
- g) _____
- h) _____

- 10) Although there are unlimited terms, how many years is a term of office for the presiding bishop?
_____ **6** _____
- 11) How many individuals (maximum) are presented by the pastors as candidates for presiding bishop or 1st Assistant President Bishop during an election year? ___ **4** ___ (Article VI, Section 6)
- 12) In order for an individual to be a member of Board One, one must at least be a level of **Pastor** and must be in good standing. (Article VI, Section 6)
- 13) As an “ordained minister”, what is the annual amount to be paid for Credential fees and the amount given in the presiding bishop’s honorarium **\$100**?
- 14) As an “ordained minister”, who are you to report to in terms of hierarchy of the local church?
Pastor