Nomination Policy and Procedures

The positions of President, Vice President/Executive Director of International Ministries and Vice President/Executive Director of National Ministries are elected positions. It is the responsibility of the Board of Overseers to nominate candidates for these positions, and present these nominations to the annual assembly of the Conference for election. Written notice of the board's nominees will be delivered to all member churches at least 60 days prior to the annual assembly, as well as posted on the BGC web-site.

Other nominations for these positions may be made from the floor of the annual assembly provided that a candidate has filed an appropriate nominating petition with the Board of Overseers at least 30 days prior to the annual assembly. The nomination must be in writing and substantially in the following form:

NOMINATING PETITION

We, each members in good standing of a member church of the Baptist General Conference, nominate (name of candidate) for (description of position) for the term beginning at the 200___ annual meeting.

(Brief biographical description of candidate)

The nominating petition shall be signed by at least twenty such members. Only original petitions will be accepted. The board of overseers will deliver written notice of any additional candidates to member churches, and post the information on the BGC web-site, at least 25 days prior to the annual assembly.