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**THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF QUEENSLAND**

 **COMMITTEE ON MINISTRY RESOURCING**

 **Application for Accredited Ministry Worker (Home Missionary Service)**

**PART A**

**1. Name in Full (use capitals): Surname:** **Other Names:**

**2. Home Address:**

**3. Date of Birth:**

**4. Marital Status:**

**5. If married, state (a) Spouse’s Christian Names:**

 **(b) Names and Dates of Birth of Children:**

**6. Educational Qualifications:**

**7. Occupation:**  **Duration of present employment:**

**8. Are you a communicant member of the Presbyterian Church?**

**If so, where?** **How long?**

**9. Do you intend to study for the ministry?**

**10. Have you at any time made application for reception as a Home Missionary, unordained ministry worker or student with the Presbyterian Church in any other state or country? State where, when and the result of the application.**

**PART B**

**THIS IS NOT AN EXAMINATION**

**1. What do you understand by the term “Gospel”?**

**2. How does the gospel relate to your life?**

**3. What do you understand by the word “Sin”?**

**4. Who is Jesus Christ? What is His relationship to God?**

**5. What do we mean when we say the Bible is the “word of God”?**

**6. What do you believe to be the most distinctive feature of the Presbyterian Church?**

**7. What do you believe about:**

**(a) Baptism?**

**(b) The Lord’s Supper?**

***PLEASE NOTE: You will need to forward references from your Minister, Session and Presbytery, either with this application or in conjunction with it. A medical certificate is also required.***

*Applicant's Statement*

*In the event of my Application being successful, I agree to abide by the Constitution, by-laws and policies of the Presbyterian Church of Queensland. In signing this Application for Employment I declare that the above information is correct and I authorise investigation of all statements made in the Application. I understand that any false, misleading or incomplete information stated by me in this Application may lead to instant dismissal if I am employed by the Presbyterian Church of Queensland.*

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

MOBILE PHONE NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Return to: **Director or Associate Director of Ministry Resourcing,**

**The Presbyterian Church of Queensland**

 **PO Box 510**

 **SPRING HILL QLD 4004**

**PART C**

As a basis for discussion with the Committee on Ministry Resourcing or its interviewing agency, please provide brief answers to the following questions:

**1. What has been your experience of ministry up to now?**

**2. Looking back over your ministry experiences, what has been the biggest highlight for you?**

**3. Ministry Workers need to have a servant spirit. Can you give an example of a situation where you exhibited a servant spirit?**

**4. All roles have their frustrations and problems. Describe some specific tasks that have been frustrating to you:**

**5. Can you give an example of a situation with a church member that was difficult? How did you resolve it?**