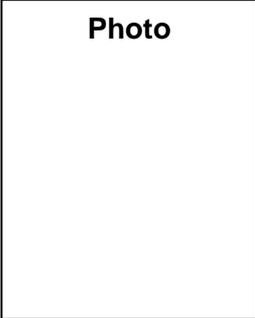




(VICE) PROVINCE of _____



ADMISSION TO FINAL PROFESSION

- N.B.:*
- 1. Please print everything in block letters.*
 - 2. Please print the family name, first name, and other names as they appear in the Directory of Religious.*
 - 3. On all documents, please print them in the same order.*

FAMILY NAME: _____

FIRST NAME (OR OTHER NAMES): _____

Born on _____ at _____ Diocese of _____

1. The Community's opinion: _____
2. The Formation Commission's opinion (with the result of the secret vote): _____
3. The Provincial Formation Director's opinion: _____
4. The Provincial Council's opinion (with the result of the secret vote): _____
5. The Provincial Superior's opinion: _____

Completed at _____ on _____ The Provincial Superior

DECISION

The Superior General, with the consent of his Council, accepts (or does not accept) to FINAL PROFESSION
Brother _____

Completed at _____ on _____

The Secretary General

The Superior General

THE TEN ELEMENTS OF THE DOSSIER

(see *RL 154, Ratio 99* and *CR 197*)

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|--------------------------|-----------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1 | The candidate's personal form (form <i>B1</i>) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 2 | The motivated, dated, and signed request of the candidate addressed to the Provincial Superior (<i>RL 154</i>) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 3 | The candidate's evaluation of his religious life covering the whole period of his temporary profession (<i>RL 154, Ratio 99</i>) in which he pays particular attention to essential elements of Assumptionist life (<i>Ratio # 100-115</i> and pp. 69-71) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 4 | The Community's report (<i>Capitular Rules 200</i>) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 5 | The Local Superior's opinion (<i>Capitular Rules 200</i>) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 6 | The opinion of the religious responsible for the accompaniment of the candidate, if he is not the Superior (<i>CR 200</i>) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 7 | The Formation Commission's opinion (with the result of the secret vote) (<i>CR 200</i>) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 8 | The evaluation of the years of formation of the candidate by the Formation Director for the Province (<i>CR 200</i>) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 9 | Has the candidate submitted a last will to the Provincial Superior? (<i>RL #169</i> and <i>CR #215</i>) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 | The opinion of the Provincial Council (with the result of the secret vote) (<i>RL 155</i>) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 11 | The personal opinion of the Provincial Superior (<i>RL 155</i>) and his reflections on the apostolic orientation of the candidate, followed by his personal opinion and recommendation on the matter (see p. 4 of this form) |

CONTENT OF REPORTS AND OPINIONS

The reports and opinions requested for 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 10 will focus mainly on:

- The candidate's life of faith
- His life within the apostolic community
- His practice of the vows
- and the apostolic orientation which seems the most appropriate for the candidate (in terms of mission and not of studies). Provide the reasons for this opinion.

Spirit of opinions

- As for opinions, it does not consist in the repetition of one by another. They underline elements that emerge from the dossier and on which one bases his position in favour of or against the request of the candidate.

CANONICAL QUESTIONS

- Is he at least 21 years old? (*Canon 658*)
- Has he sent his valid written last will to the Provincial according to the laws of his country? (*RL 169* and *CR 207*)

SEVERAL GUIDELINES FOR THE SELF-EVALUATION

The self-evaluation of the candidate should include the following elements :

- account of his vocational journey
- the important areas of Assumptionist religious life, especially one's faith life, the vowed life, community life, and apostolic life.

In order to assist a candidate in completing the self-evaluation, the *Ratio* provides some guidelines in the form of questions (*Ratio*, 69-71). A candidate doesn't necessarily have to follow the guidelines question by question. They are guidelines meant to help the candidate reflect and give the most accurate evaluation of his personality, his life with the Assumptionists, and what gives meaning to his life, what drives him.

NOTE: DEADLINE FOR SUBMITTING THE DOSSIER

The dossier should be submitted to the Superior General fifteen days before the beginning of the General Council session. No dossier will be considered if it is incomplete or if it reaches Rome after the first day of the General Council session. The precise dates of these sessions are printed in AA-News.

First Apostolic Assignment

Perpetual profession

In view of the first apostolic assignment

Keeping in mind the wishes of the candidate, his abilities and the needs of the Province and/or of the entire Congregation, describe the future apostolic responsibilities that the candidate might get involved in:

1. Summarize suggestions made in this regard by
 - a. The candidate
 - b. The Formation Committee or the one in charge of formation in the Province
 - c. His community
 - d. The Provincial.

2. Suggest two possible apostolic orientations and explain why they seem the most advisable.

3. In those cases where the candidate chooses not to pursue ordained ministry, present the apostolic mission which the Provincial Superior recommends that the Superior General entrust to the candidate as his first apostolic assignment.
 - Summarize in the life of the candidate (apostolic experiences, other experiences such as internships, academic training, personality traits, etc.) what leads one to think that the recommended mission is appropriate for the candidate.

4. Describe the type of formation that the candidate could or should pursue in order to undertake the apostolic responsibilities envisaged.