

Resolution 17

GENERAL TREASURER’S SEMIANNUAL REPORT

1 WHEREAS, Historically, the general treasurer’s office provided semiannual reports of ministers’
2 contributions for the support of Headquarters to district offices for review; and

3 WHEREAS, The Division of the Treasury no longer submits semiannual reports of ministers’
4 contributions for the support of Headquarters to district offices; and

5 WHEREAS, Notification of ministers’ contributions for the support of Headquarters is now
6 provided to ministers and districts at the end of the year by means of the credential
7 renewal process; therefore, be it

8 RESOLVED, That General Council Bylaws, Article VII. MINISTRY, Section 10. Credential
9 Renewals and Reinstatements, f. Support of Headquarters, page 118, which reads:

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11 Assemblies of God, in its program of developing the spirit of cooperation and
12 fellowship in U.S. and world missions fields, incurs considerable expense,
13 including the financial support of the executive officers and offices.

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15 month (\$240 per year) from their tithes, or as an offering. Licensed ministers
16 should contribute \$15 per month (\$180 per year), and certified ministers should
17 contribute \$7.50 per month (\$90 per year). All who can are strongly urged to give
18 more than the suggested amount, either personally or through the assemblies they
19 pastor.

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21 of credentials of all active ministers. If their contributions are in arrears, they
22 shall be given opportunity to meet this deficit with their renewal.

23 The general treasurer’s office shall submit to the respective district offices a
24 semiannual report of ministers’ contributions for the support of Headquarters.
25 Each district shall make this information available to its ministers by any of the
26 following methods:

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- 28 (b) Individually, through personal letters.
- 29 (c) Through any other media selected by the district.

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Sponsor: Executive Presbytery

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