

## Appendix 10 Personal Profile for a Minister

NB This document is to be completed and controlled by the writer. This should not be seen as a pro forma to be completed and the writer is free to vary the order in which information is presented. It may be useful to a Synod Moderator and/or the Interim Moderator, Church Officers and Elders of a pastorate under consideration. It is NOT for general circulation and should be destroyed at the end of a candidature, whether, or not, an accepted call results.

### 1. About you

Surname Christian names

Address (please include postcode and telephone number)

Date of Birth Date of Ordination

Spouse: Name Occupation

Child(ren) Name(s) Date(s) of birth

Any other relevant family information.

Medical: If there are any medical factors that might affect your work, ensure that your present Synod Moderator knows.

Education: Please give dates and qualifications.

Secondary Education

General Higher Education (pre- or post- ordination)

Please list other training courses, other professional qualifications, language or similar skills etc.

Pre-ordination/commissioning Theological Training

Education for Ministry 3 (in-service training undertaken)

### **2. Please give details of your life and faith journey, in a chronological form, including ministries and other posts, (paid or unpaid) academic achievements, in-service experiences.**

For each post give:

- its location
- details of the main duties, responsibilities etc.
- a description of the particular skills, techniques or experience relevant to this post.

### **3. Description of Ministry:**

Please give a description of the following

- Your priorities in ministry
- Your view of community development
- Your preferred way of leading worship
- Your working style, including the approach you take to leadership
- Your theological approach
- Your views on baptism
- What areas of ministry do you most enjoy?
- How would you describe your strengths and weaknesses?

#### **4. Expectations:**

Please describe any experience or special skills not already mentioned which you feel may be relevant to your future ministry.

In which areas of ministerial work are you particularly interested and/or experienced (e.g. pastoral care, youth work, evangelism, community development, administration, leading worship, preaching, training, etc.) Please give your reasons for your choice.

Please outline your immediate objectives in ministry.

#### **5. Please outline your vision for the church.**

6. If you are considering a move, please complete the following:

Do you presently own a car? yes/no

Do you prefer to run your own car? yes/no

Would you prefer a housing allowance to the provision of a manse? yes/no/no preference

When would you be free to leave your present post?

Are there any factors which would affect your ability to move or determine where you would consider going (e.g. Educational, family, occupation)?

Signed

Date

***As well as a full Personal Profile, ministers seeking a move will be asked to prepare a summary version, which is parallel to the summary Pastorate Profile. There is a pro forma for this, which should be obtained from your Synod Office. Ministers' summary Personal Profiles are confidential to the Synod Moderators' meeting and not shared anywhere else.***