## The Grand Pork Rite of Freemasonry of the Philippines

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To: All Constituent Chapters, Councils and Commanderies

Announcement: Conferrals by and within Individual York Rite Bodies

In lieu of the Joint Conferrals slated each year, individual York Rite Bodies shall confer the degrees and orders during their stated meetings on their respective candidates.



All Constituent York Rite Bodies, however, must submit to the Grand York Rite Office, the names of their prospective candidates for circulation at least one month before conferral.

Further, a certification/attestation from the Worshipful Master and the Lodge Secretary of the Blue Lodge that the candidate is:

- 1. In good standing
- 2. Active in the lodge
- 3. Has passed the proficiency of the third degree of freemasonry



Should accompany each petition.

Further, strict adherence to the restriction by regional jurisdiction must be observed always. If exceptions are deemed to be warranted, a dispensation and approval of the three Grand Presiding Officers must be secured prior to the conferring of the degrees and orders on such candidates.

Furthermore, the conferral should be Minuted stating the degree, the time and the members of the conferring team. This must be submitted immediately on the month following the conferral.

For your guidance and strict compliance.

MEC JUANITO P. ABERGAS Most Excellent Grand High Priest Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of the Philippines

MIC EMMANUEL R. BRAVO Most Illustrious Grand Master Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of the Philippines

SK EDGAR D. LIM Right Eminent Grand Commander Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of the Philippines