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ANALYSIS OF RESPONSE SHEETS

Canada-wide Response

Participation:	Lay 964	Clergy	253	Unidentified 184
1401	ELCC 318	LCA-CS 398	LC-C 505	Unidentified 180

I. Selection of Delegates to National Conventions

	Congregational Clusters	Regional Conventions	Combination
Favour	520	294	771
Not Favour	319	349	201
Oppose	78	205	74

II. Nomenclature

	Bishop (N) Bishop (R)	President (N) Bishop (R)	President (N) President (R)
Favour	323	467	698
Not Favour	319	317	226
Oppose	176	107	69

III. Number and Size of Regions

10	Regions	8 Regions	6 Regions	3 Regions
Favour	185	241	924	183
Not Favour	361	383	121	278
Oppose	183	91	47	288

IV. Flow of Funds

Con	g. to National	Cong. to Regional	Cong. to Both
Favour	567	601	343
Not Favour	234	281	332
Oppose	166	81	160

V. Eligibility for office

Bishop or President

Both	470	(339 Lay; 74 Clergy; 57 Unidentified)
Lay	38	(27 Lay; 3 Clergy; 8 Unidentified)
Clergy	791	(543 Lay; 164 Clergy; 84 Unidentified)
No Opinion	102	(57 Lay; 12 Clergy; 33 Unidentified)

Vice-President

Both	766	(542 Lay; 140 Clergy; 84 Unidentified)
Lay	65	(49 Lay; 9 Clergy; 7 Unidentified)
Clergy	445	(303 Lay; 94 Clergy; 48 Unidentified)
No Opinion	125	(62 Lay; 17 Clergy; 46 Unidentified)

Secretary

Both	1008	(726 Lay; 191 Clergy; 91 Unidentified)
Lay	207	(142 Lay; 38 Clergy; 27 Unidentified)
Clergy	49	(20 Lay; 12 Clergy; 17 Unidentified)
No Opinion	137	(76 Lay; 12 Clergy; 49 Unidentified)

Treasurer

Both	852	(628 Lay; 143 Clergy; 81 Unidentified)
Lay	394	(253 Lay; 92 Clergy; 49 Unidentified)
Clergy	21	(10 Lay; 1 Clergy; 10 Unidentified)
No Opinion	134	(73 Lay; 12 Clergy; 49 Unidentified)