



**FULL  
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# ORDAINED MINISTER'S CREDENTIAL APPLICATION FORM

## OFFICE USE ONLY

Application Received	Date _____	Grant Forms Returned	Date _____
Reference Received	Yes / No	Attorney General Notified	Date _____
Application Fee Paid	Yes / No	Credential No Issued	Date _____
Executive Approval	Yes / No	Credential Card Issued	Date _____
Letter of Grant sent	Date _____	Database Updated	Yes / No

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

## PERSONAL DETAILS

NAME IN FULL: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

RESIDENTIAL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

POSTAL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CONTACT: Home Ph: \_\_\_\_\_ Church Ph: \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile: \_\_\_\_\_

Fax: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

MARITAL STATUS: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF SPOUSE: \_\_\_\_\_

PREVIOUSLY MARRIED? Yes / No

## CHARACTER DETAILS

Have you ever been bankrupt? Yes / No

Have you ever been charged or convicted of an offence in Australia or a foreign country? Yes / No

Are you currently subject to an unresolved complaint, investigation or charge? Yes / No

Are you currently subject to or ever have been subject to any disciplinary action as a minister of religion or in any other profession, trade or employment? Yes / No

Have you ever been refused credentials or ordination by any other denomination? Yes / No

If you have answered Yes to any of these questions please provide full details \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

## MINISTRY EDUCATION

Have you completed any formal ministry education eg. Bible School / College?

Name of Institution \_\_\_\_\_ Date Completed \_\_\_\_\_

Qualification Awarded \_\_\_\_\_

## OTHER QUALIFICATIONS

Have you completed any post-secondary education eg. TAFE, University?

Name of Institution \_\_\_\_\_ Date Completed \_\_\_\_\_

Qualification Awarded \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Institution \_\_\_\_\_ Date Completed \_\_\_\_\_

Qualification Awarded \_\_\_\_\_

## WORK HISTORY

Are you currently employed? Yes / No

Employer \_\_\_\_\_ Position \_\_\_\_\_

Duties \_\_\_\_\_

Details of previous employment

Employer \_\_\_\_\_ Position \_\_\_\_\_

Duties \_\_\_\_\_

Employer \_\_\_\_\_ Position \_\_\_\_\_

Duties \_\_\_\_\_

## MINISTRY EXPERIENCE

When did you become a Christian? \_\_\_\_\_ Briefly detail your conversion experience \_\_\_\_\_

Have you been baptised in water? Yes / No When? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you been baptised in the Holy Spirit? Yes / No When? \_\_\_\_\_

In what capacity have you served your local church? \_\_\_\_\_

Please detail any leadership responsibilities \_\_\_\_\_

Please provide details of previous credentials with any other denomination \_\_\_\_\_

## CHURCH DETAILS

Name of your church: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Church Attendance (ie. how many people currently attend the following services):

Sunday Morning \_\_\_\_\_ Sunday Evening \_\_\_\_\_

Prayer Meeting \_\_\_\_\_ Youth Meeting \_\_\_\_\_

Current Responsibility (eg. Pastor / Elder / Youth Leader) \_\_\_\_\_

Details of your present ministry and responsibility in the church \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

All ministries will have contact with children at sometime. It is essential that ministers hold the appropriate approval with their State Government to work with children. Please supply your current registration number.

\_\_\_\_\_ Exp: \_\_\_\_\_

## STATEMENT OF APPLICANT

I hereby apply for an Ordained Minister's Credential with the Full Gospel Churches of Australia.

I have fully read and accept the Statement of Faith of the Full Gospel Churches of Australia, and will uphold its principles of doctrine and conduct to the best of my ability.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

## SUPPORTING REFERENCE

Each application for an Ordained Credential must be accompanied by two supporting references from currently Ordained Ministers of Religion. These ministers do not need to hold credentials with the Full Gospel Churches of Australia.

As the employment of a Minister of Religion rests with the local church and not the Full Gospel Churches of Australia, we require that your church board (or applicable entity) provide a character reference and verifies that the details stated in the application form are true and correct. This reference should be signed by at least three board members.

Please forward this application with an accompanying application fee of \$20 to:

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