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R9 ASSEMBLY REGISTRATION FORM: DATE : October 26 – 28, 2016

PLEASE BE AWARE THAT THE ASSEMBLY WILL START FROM 5:00 PM, WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 26 THROUGH TO 5:00 PM, FRIDAY OCTOBER 28, 2016. ENSURE THAT THE REPRESENTATIVE IS AWARE THAT HE/SHE SHOULD BE ATTENDING THROUGHOUT.

Please note; new procedure: A **registration fee of 50€ / £33** for the Assembly will be charged for each Representative. Rather than bringing this payment to the assembly: Registration fee will be payable via money transfer to R9. As soon as you have registered you will receive a payment number and directions as how to proceed from the R9 secretary.

PLEASE SEND THIS REGISTRATION FORM BY EMAIL, TO BE RECEIVED BY REGION 9 SECRETARY **BY AUGUST 11, 2016** TO: Region 9 Secretary. Email: secretary@oaregion9.org

NOTE:Not valid without a SB Chair/Secretary signature.

Type of Service Board (Ring around selection):	Intergroup National/Language Service Board	Name of Service Body/ Board.	
Total number of representatives :			
Name of Service Board Chair/Secretary			
Signature			
Date			
	FIRST REPRESENTATIVE	SECOND REPRESENTATIVE	THIRD REPRESENTATIVE
Name:			
Full address including zip code:			
Telephone:			
Email: (if available)			
Please indicate if the rep you are sending has been to Region 9 Assembly before and if so is willing to mentor a person who is new to the Assembly.			
OFFICERS COMMITTEE CHAIRS	Who <u>do not</u> also represent a SB		
R9 Position			
Name:			
Telephone			
Full address including zip code:			

How many Representatives can be sent to the Assembly?

For service bodies that are not sure exactly how many representatives they are entitled to, the following is taken from our bylaws and defines membership of the Assembly:

Article IV - Section 2

The voting membership of this Assembly shall consist of

- a) Representatives from Intergroups who are registered with the World Service Office and who are within the geographical boundaries of Region 9.
- b) Representatives from National /Language Service Boards, who are registered with the World Service Office and who are within the geographical boundaries of Region 9. National/Language Service Boards shall not represent Intergroups which have sent representatives to the Assembly, however if all Intergroups are represented the National/Language Service Boards will still be entitled to one representative.
- c) Region 9 Board Members.
- d) The Chair shall not have a vote at the Assembly, except to break a tie and for elections.
- e) Committee Chairs, who are not Intergroup or National Service Board representatives.
- f) In the event of a Region 9 representative from a registered unaffiliated group receiving a voice as per Article IV Section 2 (II) c) of these bylaws, they may also be given a vote, subject to majority approval of the voting body. The proposed delegate should submit a written statement on why they are unaffiliated, if they plan to be affiliated in the future and if they meet the delegate requirements.

Article IV - Section 4 - Representatives

- a) Each member Intergroup/National/Language Service Board shall be entitled to one representative at the Region 9 Assembly. Intergroups/National/Language Service Boards serving more than 10 groups shall be entitled to two representatives. Intergroups/National Service Boards serving more than 50 groups shall be entitled to three representatives.

As you know, it is important for the planning of the Assembly to know how many representatives will be able to attend, so please, do send the Region 9 Secretary (Isabella) your registration form as soon as possible. Isabella's email is on the form.