

that notice shall have been given to the congregation of which the person called is minister, at least *ten* days before the meeting of Presbytery for adjudicating on the case, that said congregation may have opportunity of objecting and showing to the Presbytery, satisfactory reasons why the said minister should not be loosed from his present charge.

IV. If no sufficient objection is made to the translation of the minister called, the Presbytery shall accordingly concur in releasing him, the same to take effect from the day of his admission as minister of the congregation calling him, and shall appoint him to wait for and obey the orders of the Presbytery within whose bounds he is to be admitted, as to the time of his Induction to his new charge. Extracts of these proceedings shall be forthwith sent to the latter Presbytery aforesaid, by whom the necessary steps for Induction shall be taken, the forms of which shall be, in all respects, the same as in the Ordination of Probationers, excepting the imposition of hands and the requirement of trials.

#### CONGREGATIONS APPLYING TO OTHER CHURCHES FOR MINISTERS.

I. That in the event of any Congregation of this Church applying, through means of their Elders, Trustees, or Committee appointed for that purpose, for a Probationer or Minister from any other church in communion with this Church, the said application shall first be presented to the Presbytery of the bounds where the vacant congregation lies, by which Presbytery the same shall be adjudged and, if sustained, transmitted to the proper quarter,—parties being allowed to be heard in case of a difference amongst the members of the congregation.

II. On the arrival of said Probationer or Minister, the nomination of whom by said other church in communion with this Church, proceeding upon the faith of said congregation determining and pledging themselves to adhere to the choice made for them, no new call shall be necessary, but, previous to his becoming a member of the Presbytery or of the Synod of this Church, he shall be required to be inducted by the Presbytery of the bounds as Minister of the said Congregation, according to the rules for the Ordination and Induction of Ministers.

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