

## **Interprovincial Agreement Between Provinces for the Ongoing Education/Formation of Vincentian Confreres**

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*This agreement emphasises the hospitality, support and care given by the host province to the confrere of a sending province. It can be adapted for confreres on pastoral assignments or on pastoral experience*

- The Agreement is between the Visitor of the host province, the Visitor of the sending province and the confrere on interprovincial assignment.
- The host province provides accommodation, food, health care, monthly allowance and holiday allowance.
- The payment of college or course fees to be agreed upon between the Visitors.
- Full college entry requirements to be secured before travel.
- Arrangements for language training to be agreed upon between the Visitors.
- External travel is the responsibility of the sending province
- Internal travel in connection with studies/work is the responsibility of the host province.
- Money received for Chaplaincies etc, belongs to the local community.
- Masses are offered for the intentions of the local superior in accordance with the Norms of the host province
- The confrere on international assignment joins the local community at spiritual exercises and meetings, according to the Constitutions and the Local Community Plan.

- Host community will help with computer/laptop where necessary.
- Use of telephone – the local community will pay for national calls. The confrere on interprovincial assignment will pay for international calls.
- The host community will advise the confrere on interprovincial assignment on social security, registration and immigration requirements.
- The Visitors concerned will decide on the active/passive voice of the confrere on assignment.
- The host province should name a confrere other than the Visitor or local superior as a liaison person with the confrere on interprovincial assignment.
- This agreement ends when academic studies finish
- Evaluation with Visitor, Local Superior and Confrere on assignment will take place after 2 months / 6 months / 1 year.

This Agreement was accepted by the CEVIM Assembly in Beirut 2009