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MEMORANDUM

To: Trustees' General Service Conference Committee and
Conference Committee on Policy/Admission

From: Bob W., General Manager

Date: November 2023

Re: GSO General Manager's memo regarding 2027 General Service
Conference site selection and dates

At the 73rd General Service Conference (GSC), the Conference Committee on Policy/Admission reviewed the dates for the 2027 General Service Conference. In order to provide additional flexibility to the General Service Office management in contracting the most cost-effective and appropriate venues for the General Service Conference, the committee agreed to select three proposed dates for the 77th General Service Conference, as follows (in order of preference): May 2-8, 2027; April 11-17, 2027; May 23-29, 2027.

The committee also brought forth the consideration that it will not be requesting a site selection report from the GSO General Manager in 2024, recognizing that contracts have been executed with hotels in the New York area for 2024, 2025, and 2026, and that site selection for the 2027 GSC could be impacted by the results of the Location Plus Committee and possible relocation of the General Service Office.

The Location Plus Committee has not yet completed its work, therefore the impact of the results of their work on the dates and location of the 2027 GSC are not known. As soon as the results are known, the process to select the dates and location of the 2027 GSC will begin and will be communicated as soon as the process is complete.