

44 of the Connecticut Conference of the United Church of Christ urge the Associations of
45 the Conference and their Committees on Ministry to adopt a policy requiring all
46 Authorized Ministers (including Ordained, Limited Standing, Licensed, and
47 Commissioned) to participate in, at minimum, a one-day workshop on racism and racial
48 justice within three years of adoption of the policy or within three years of being granted
49 standing by the Association, and repeat training within each subsequent three to five year
50 period; and

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52 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that we call upon the Associations of the Conference and their
53 Committees on Ministry to adopt a policy requiring Members In-Discernment to
54 participate in, at minimum, a one-day workshop on racism and racial justice as a
55 prerequisite for ordination; and

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57 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that we call upon the Connecticut Conference to make its
58 Racial Justice Training available for Members-in-Discernment and Authorized Ministers
59 at least twice during each calendar year; and

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61 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that we call upon the Connecticut Conference, working with
62 the Racial Justice Ministries, Regional Ministers, Regional Ministry Teams, and local
63 churches to expand its Racial Justice Training for Christian Educators, Youth Leaders,
64 Sunday School Teachers, Music Directors, Organists, Choir Directors, and other Lay
65 Leaders; and

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67 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Connecticut Conference make available resources to
68 help congregations build allies and better support, encourage, and nurture clergy of color
69 and lay leaders of color; and

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71 **BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED** that the Connecticut Conference make available resources for
72 clergy to connect their congregations with active anti-racist movements locally,
73 nationally, and globally.