

*Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge
Washington and Jurisdiction*

Proclamation No. 4

To: All Worshipful Masters, Past Masters, Wardens, Officers and Members of All Constituent Lodges Belonging to The Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge, F & A M of Washington and Jurisdiction

WHEREAS, pursuant to Part I, Article 12, Section 12.01:09 of the Masonic Code of the Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge, Free and Accepted Masons of Washington and Jurisdiction; and

WHEREAS, by the authority and power in me vested as Most Worshipful Grand Master of Prince Hall Masons in and for the said jurisdiction, I, Gardner M Torrence, Sr, herewith proclaim that all constituent lodges of this grand jurisdiction shall waive all assessments to include reinstatement fees relevant to any member suspended or dropped for non-payment of dues, and

WHEREAS, this edict shall be enforced from the period of January 1, 2012 to June 20, 2012 unless terminated or suspended by this office earlier; and

WHEREAS, this edict in no fashion or form shall conflict with the established process of a member restored to regular membership of a constituent lodge according to the general procedure of our masonic code; and

WHEREAS, it is my order that should any constituent lodge for any reason fail to conform to the above edict, the matter shall be referred directly to my office for resolution; and

WHEREAS, the above named officers will be held jointly responsible to see that the above proclamation is implicitly obeyed;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Gardner M. Torrence Sr., direct that you take due and timely notice and govern yourselves accordingly.

Given under my hand, the seal of this Grand Lodge and attested by the Grand Secretary this 1st day of January, A.D. 2012, A.L. 6012.



GARDNER M. TORRENCE, SR.
Grand Master of Masons



ATTEST



JAMES F. TROUTT II
Grand Secretary

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