

Specimen form for a person being appointed to an office, duty or responsibility (See page 26)

Name of church

Office, duty or responsibility

Your name has been put forward for the position stated above. Having regard to the Safeguarding policy of the Methodist Church you are asked to sign the declaration below.

I am aware of the Church's policy to safeguard the welfare of children and young people and the terms of Standing Order 010. I know of no reason why I cannot fulfil the office, duty or responsibility named above.

Signed

Date

**Standing Order 010.
Qualification for appointment**

(2(ii))

no person who has been convicted of or has received a formal caution from the police concerning sexual offences against children shall be appointed to any office, post or responsibility or engaged under any contract to which this sub-clause applies.

This form may be photocopied

A copy of this agreement should be retained by the person and by the local church