2015 Permanent Resolution 1

Permanent Resolution of Invitation to Bishop of Manchester to the Annual Supreme Convention

WHEREAS, the Bishop of Manchester of New Hampshire is the Spiritual Leader of the Church and all of it's members,

and **WHEREAS**, he is also the Spiritual leader of all Catholic Organizations in the Diocese of Manchester,

and **WHEREAS**, the Knights of Columbus is a spiritual organization founded by Venerable Michael McGivney in 1882,

and **WHEREAS**, all Bishops from all jurisdictions with respect are invited to the Annual Supreme Convention in August of each year,

and **WHEREAS**, the Supreme Council covers the hotel and registration charges and meal expenses, the State Council is expected to pay for travel expenses and out of pocket expenses for the bishop they have asked to be invited. These arrangements should be made directly between the State Council and the Bishop,

and **THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the New Hampshire State Council of the Knights of Columbus present to the Bishop of Manchester airfare and other travel expenses and a stipend for out of pocket expenses,

and **FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED**, that this is being presented as a Permanent Resolution to be added to the State By-Laws.

Submitted: by the State Officers