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Report for Midwinter _2011_____

Report for Annual Conference _______

Name of Committee: ALA Nominating Committee for the 2012 ALA Election

Committee Chair: Vivian R. Wynn

Committee Members Present: Allison Kaplan, Patricia Smith, Carol Diedrichs, Kent Oliver, Marcellus Turner, Mary Elizabeth Wendt, Sha Li Zhang

Committee Members Absent: Carol Brey-Casiano

Others Present: JoAnne Kempf, Staff Liaison and Robert Newlen, Chair of the ALA Nominating Committee for the 2011 ALA Election

Accomplishments [at this meeting], a concise account: The committee meeting began with introductions of those present. A review of the Nominating Committee Manual prepared by JoAnne Kempf was conducted. Included was a review of the guidelines and responsibilities of the committee as well as the timeline to be followed. Robert Newlen presented some information on the process and was helpful in answering questions from committee members.

Other comments/information you believe will help the Association in its work: The committee will continue to work through monthly conference calls.

Submitted by: Vivian R. Wynn______________________

Date Submitted: February 23, 2011______________________________

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