

CALLERLAB COMMITTEE BRIEF

COMMITTEE NAME: Research and Development Committee

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FUNCTION: To perform research and development on topics important to CALLERLAB and

square dancing at the request of other bodies in CALLERLAB (e.g. the

Executive Committee, the Board Of Governors, a committee, or a member).

ACCOMPLISHMENTS: The Research and Development Committee grew out of a "Think Tank" which

operated at two CALLERLAB conventions in the early 1980s in a somewhat

unstructured fashion.

The Committee has commissioned several studies on square dancing to try to

understand the trend in dancer population.

The Committee has provided research assistance to the Home Office, the

Executive Committee, the Board Of Governors and various other Committee

Chairs on a variety of topics.

FUTURE

ACTIVITIES: This is generally a reactive committee and will continue to provide assistance to

other bodies within CALLERLAB as requested.

MEMBERSHIP

PREREQUISITES: Active Member, Associate Member, Active Youth Member, Associate Youth

Member, Life Member or Partner of any of the above listed categories.

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CREATED BY: Board Of Governors (1992)