

Resolution Number: 2015-A094

Title: Support the Reduction of Economic Disparities by Progressive

Taxation

Legislative Action Taken: Concurred as Amended

Final Text:

Resolved, That the 78th General Convention of The Episcopal Church support efforts to reduce economic disparities in the United States by:

Calling for a reversal of federal and state tax cuts that have increased the wealth gap and reduced budget revenue for domestic needs; and

Calling for a reversal of the recent erosion of progressivity in federal and state tax rates, as progressive tax rates are a means of building a strong middle class, and an important means of reducing severe inequalities of income and wealth.

Citation: General Convention, Journal of the General Convention of...The Episcopal Church,

Salt Lake City, 2015 (New York: General Convention, 2015), p. 302.