## **FIRST NOTICE OF CONTESTS**

September 29, 2016

**TO:** Pioneer District Quartets, Pioneer District Chapter Presidents, Pioneer District Committee Chairmen, and Pioneer District Board of Directors

RE: 2016 Pioneer District Quartet Contest, International Seniors Quartet Preliminary Contest, and the International Preliminary Chorus Contest

On Friday, October 14, 2016, at 7:00 p.m., the Pioneer District Quartet Preliminary Contest and the International Seniors Quartet Preliminary Contest will be held together.

On Saturday, October 15, 2016, at 10:30 a.m. the International Preliminary Chorus Contest will be held.

On Saturday, October 15, 2016, at 7:00 p.m., the Pioneer District Quartet Finals Contest will be held.

All contests will be held in the Arcadia Ballroom of the Radisson Plaza Hotel in Kalamazoo, MI.

Registration for the International Chorus Preliminary Contest, the Pioneer District Quartet Contest, and the International Seniors Quartet Preliminary Contest must be completed prior to midnight, September 30 by accessing the on-line registration web pages and completing required entry forms at this site: <a href="https://secure.spebsqsa.org/members/login.asp">https://secure.spebsqsa.org/members/login.asp</a>. The actual drawing for order of performance will be done on October 1, 2016.

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