

Eastern Asia Division (1918–1919)

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The term Eastern Asia Division was temporarily used for the Far Eastern Division, from 1918 when the India Union Mission and the Australasian Union Conference were separated from the Asiatic Division. On March 2, 1919, at the council of the Far Eastern section in Shanghai, China, the term “Far Eastern Division of the General Conference of Seventh-day Adventists” was adopted, and the term “Eastern Asia Division” was completely replaced by “Far Eastern Division.”¹ For more details, see “Asiatic Division” and “Far Eastern Division.”

Source

“Notes from the Spring Council.” *Supplemental News Sheet, Asiatic Division Outlook*, March 1, 1919.

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1. “Notes from the Spring Council,” *Supplemental News Sheet, Asiatic Division Outlook*, March 1, 1919.

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