# Sydney Diocesan Secretariat and Glebe Administration Board Miscellaneous Amendments Ordinance 2012

No 34, 2012

## Long Title

An Ordinance to make a number of miscellaneous amendments to the Sydney Diocesan Secretariat Ordinance 1973 and the Glebe Administration Ordinance 1930.

The Standing Committee of the Synod of the Diocese of Sydney Ordains as follows.

#### 1. Name

This Ordinance is the Sydney Diocesan Secretariat and Glebe Administration Board Miscellaneous Amendments Ordinance 2012.

## 2. Amendment of the Sydney Diocesan Secretariat Ordinance 1973

The Sydney Diocesan Secretariat Ordinance 1973 is amended as follows -

(a) delete the word "Membership" in the heading to clause 2 and insert the following after clause 2 (with consequential renumbering of the existing provisions in the Ordinance) –

### 'Object

- 3. The object of the Secretariat is to advance the purposes of the Anglican Church of Australia in the Diocese of Sydney (hereinafter called the "Diocese") through the regulation of the central administration of the affairs of the Diocese.', and
- (b) insert the heading "Membership" before renumbered clause 4, and
- (c) delete the words "or Sydney Anglican Church Investment Trust" in renumbered clauses 4(6)(f) and 6(5), and
- (d) delete the word "any" in renumbered clause 4(6)(g) and insert instead the word "either", and
- (e) delete the matter "subclause 4(8)" in renumbered clause 5(9) and insert instead the matter "subclause (8)", and
- (f) insert as a new subclause (10) in renumbered clause 5 the following
  - "(10) A meeting of the Secretariat may be called or held using any technology consented to by all the members of the Secretariat provided that all members taking part in such a meeting can hear and be heard by one another. Any member of the Secretariat who is absent from the place assigned for a meeting of the Secretariat may attend that meeting by using any technology consented to by all members of the Secretariat provided that absent members can hear and be heard by, not only one another, but also the other members present at the place of meeting. All proceedings conducted with the aid of technology under this subclause are as valid and effective as if they had been conducted at a meeting at which all of those members were physically present.", and
  - (g) delete the words "Anglican Church of Australia in the Diocese of Sydney" in renumbered clause 7(a) and insert instead the word "Diocese".

#### 3. Amendment of the Glebe Administration Ordinance 1930

The Glebe Administration Ordinance 1930 is amended as follows -

- (a) delete the word "act" in clause 2 and insert instead the words "advance the purposes of the Anglican Church of Australia in the Diocese of Sydney by acting", and
- (b) insert a new clause 4(5) as follows -
  - "(5) A meeting of the Board may be called or held using any technology consented to by all the members of the Board provided that all members taking part in such a meeting can hear and be heard

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by one another. Any member of the Board who is absent from the place assigned for a meeting of the Board may attend that meeting by using any technology consented to by all members of the Board provided that absent members can hear and be heard by, not only one another, but also the other members present at the place of meeting. All proceedings conducted with the aid of technology under this subclause are as valid and effective as if they had been conducted at a meeting at which all of those members were physically present.", and

- (c) delete the words "or the Sydney Anglican Church Investment Trust" in clause 9(5), and
- (d) delete the word "bank" in clause 14(e) and insert instead the words "authorised deposit taking institution".

I Certify that the Ordinance as printed is in accordance with the Ordinance as reported.

PG KELL Chairman of Committees

I Certify that this Ordinance was passed by the Standing Committee of the Synod of the Diocese of Sydney on 17 September 2012.

R WICKS Secretary

I Assent to this Ordinance.

PETER F JENSEN Archbishop of Sydney 18/09/2012