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*Sydney Diocesan Superannuation Fund Ordinance  
Amendment Ordinance, 1962*

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No. 34, 1962.

AN ORDINANCE to amend the Sydney Diocesan Superannuation Fund Ordinance, 1961.

WHEREAS it is expedient to provide for the effective superannuation of Deaconesses in the Diocese of Sydney on a more definite basis than that now provided for in the Sydney Diocesan Superannuation Fund Ordinance 1961 and for such purpose to amend the said Ordinance NOW the Synod of the Diocese of Sydney in pursuance of the powers in that behalf contained in the Constitutions for the management and good government of the Church of England in Australia within the State of New South Wales Ordains and Rules as follows:-

1. This Ordinance may be cited as "Sydney Diocesan Superannuation Fund Amendment Ordinance 1962."

2. The "Sydney Diocesan Superannuation Fund Ordinance 1961" is in this Ordinance referred to as "the Principal Ordinance."

3. The Principal Ordinance as amended by this Ordinance may be cited as "Sydney Diocesan Superannuation Fund Ordinance 1961-1962."

4. Clause 2 of the Principal Ordinance is amended by inserting therein after the definition of the word "Dependent" the following words:-

"'Deaconess' means a deaconess licensed to a parish or appointed to serve in a full-time capacity in any department or organisation under the control of Synod other than schools."

5. Clause 18 of the Principal Ordinance is amended as follows:-

(a) By inserting after the word "secondly" the following words:-  
"other than in respect of deaconesses unless a request in writing so to do has been made to the Board."

(b) By adding at the end of sub-paragraph (1) of sub-clause (a) the following words:-

"Provided further that in the case of the member being a Deaconess the proviso hereinbefore contained shall not apply but should the Board have effected any insurance policy on the life of such Deaconess at her request the proceeds of any such Policy shall be paid in addition to the amount held in the Fund for her credit."

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6. The following new sub-clause is inserted after Sub-clause (2) in Clause 19 of the Principal Ordinance:-

"(2A) All Deaconesses who are under the age of sixty years on 1st April 1963 shall become members on that date and every Deaconess subsequently licensed or appointed as aforesaid shall within three months become a member."

7. Sub-clause (3) of Clause 19 of the Principal Ordinance is amended by inserting after the word "Deaconesses" the words "other than Deaconesses within the meaning of this Ordinance."

8. Clause 20 of the Principal Ordinance is amended as follows:-

(i) By inserting in Sub-clause (1) the words "or Deaconess as the case may be" after the word "Rector."

(ii) By adding at the end of Sub-clause (3) the following words:-  
"Provided that this Sub-clause shall not apply in the case of Deaconesses and a Parish shall only be liable for payment of a contribution on her behalf for the time of her service therein."

9. The following new clause shall be inserted after clause 23 of the Principal Ordinance:-

"23A Notwithstanding the provisions of Clauses 18, 20(2) and 23 of the Principal Ordinance the figures "65" wherever occurring in such Clauses shall be read and construed as "60" in all cases applicable to female members."

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

H. G. S. BEGBIE,  
Deputy Chairman of Committees.

We certify that this Ordinance was passed by the Synod of the Diocese of Sydney on the 11th day of October, 1962.

K. N. SHELLEY }  
W. L. J. HUTCHISON } Secretaries of Synod.

I assent to this Ordinance.

HUGH SYDNEY,  
Archbishop of Sydney.

11/10/1962

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