

## Resolutions of the 1958 Special Session of the 31<sup>st</sup> Synod

*(Resolutions 1 to 4 were passed at the Special Session of Synod to elect an Archbishop in November 1958.)*

### 1. Archbishop's Superannuation

That this Synod requests the Standing Committee to review the Archbishop's Superannuation Ordinance, 1918, and to submit, if necessary, an amending Ordinance to the next Ordinary Session of the Synod.

This Synod also requests the Administrator to advise the Archbishop-elect of this resolution when supplying him with details of the See.

(Mr L. M. Abbott)

### 2. Archbishop of Sydney Appointment Ordinance 1931, as amended

That the Standing Committee of this Synod be requested to consider –

- (1) The operation of the Archbishop of Sydney Appointment Ordinance 1931, as amended.
- (2) Other methods of voting and in particular the following related matters –
  - (a) The desirability or otherwise of adopting the preferential system in Clause 7 of the Ordinance.
  - (b) The desirability or otherwise of limiting a secret ballot to voting for the election of an Archbishop from the Final List.

and to report back to the next Ordinary Session of this Synod.

(Mr Justice A. R. Richardson)

### 3. Vote of Thanks

Votes of thanks were recorded to the Rt Rev the President, the Rt Rev the Commissary, the Returning Officer and the Deputy Returning Officer and their assistants, the Secretaries of Synod and the Registry Staff.

### 4. Minutes

That on the production of a certificate of the Secretaries that the minutes not already certified to are a correct record of proceedings, the President be authorised to sign them as correct.