

Arundel House Council Amendment Ordinance 2006

No 8, 2006

Long Title

An Ordinance to provide for the election of members of the Arundel House Council by the parish council of the parish of Broadway and for certain other purposes.

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

1. Name

This Ordinance is the Arundel House Council Amendment Ordinance 2006.

2. Amendment

The Arundel House Council Ordinance 1977 (the "Principal Ordinance") is amended as follows –

- (a) insert a new clause 2(e) as follows (with consequential relettering of existing clauses 2(e), (f), and (g)) –

“(e) ‘the Parish’ means the parish of Broadway or any parish in which Arundel House is subsequently situated;”, and

- (b) insert a new clause 5A immediately before clause 6 as follows –

“President

5A. The minister of the Parish is the President of the Council.”, and

- (c) delete clause 6 and insert the following instead –

“Membership of the Council

6. The Council shall consist of 7, 8 or 9 persons elected by the parish council of the Parish.”, and

- (d) delete clause 7 and insert the following instead –

“Term of office of members of the Council

7. (1) At the first meeting of the parish council of the Parish held after each annual vestry meeting of the principal or only church of the Parish, one third of the members of the Council for the time being or, if their number is not a multiple of 3, then the number nearest one third shall retire from office.

(2) The members of the Council to retire under subclause (1) are those who have held office the longest since last being elected but, in the case of competition, is to be determined by the members concerned. If those members cannot agree, the order of retirement is to be determined by lot.

(3) Retiring members shall be eligible for re-election.”, and

- (e) delete the words “the Archbishop or” in clause 8(b), and

- (f) insert a new clause 9A immediately after clause 9 as follows –

“Attendance of other persons at meetings of the Council

9A. (1) The President may attend any meeting of the members of the Council and may –

- (a) put before the members any question or proposal for their consideration; or
(b) express his views on any question or proposal being considered by the members of the Council.

(2) The Council may invite any person who is not a member of the Council to be present for the whole or part of any meeting of the Council.”

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3. Transitional provisions concerning membership of the Council

A member of the Arundel House Council (the "Council") who, immediately prior to the date of assent to this ordinance was a member of the Council elected by the Synod or the Standing Committee, continues in office on and from that date as a member of the Council elected by the parish council of the parish of Broadway (the "Parish").

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

P G KELL
Chairman of Committees

I Certify that this Ordinance was passed by the Standing Committee of the Synod of the Diocese of Sydney on 1 May 2006.

R WICKS
Secretary

I Assent to this Ordinance.

PETER F JENSEN
Archbishop of Sydney
3/5/2006