Cost Recoveries Framework Ordinance 2008 Amendment Ordinance 2015

No 15, 2015

Long Title

An Ordinance to provide that money received from the national long service leave fund does not form part of gross operating receipts and to exclude from net operating receipts certain rental income to the extent a parish provides a housing allowance to its minister and/or any assistant minister.

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

1. Name

This Ordinance is the Cost Recoveries Framework Ordinance 2008 Amendment Ordinance 2015.

2. Amendment

The Cost Recoveries Framework Ordinance 2008 is amended as follows -

- (a) insert a new definition in clause 2(1) as follows
 - "assistant minister means an assistant minister or a senior assistant minister under the Assistant Ministers Ordinance 1990.",
- (b) insert a new clause 12(h) as follows -
 - "(h) receipts representing the parish portion of money from the Long Service Leave Fund established under the Long Service Leave Canon 2010.".
- (c) insert a new clause 13(f) as follows -
 - "(f) where -
 - (i) the rector and/or any assistant minister in a parish is, for any reason approved by the parish council, unable to occupy a ministry residence or residences held for the purposes of the parish, and
 - (ii) the parish leases one or more ministry residences and an exclusion is not claimed under clause 13(c),

any amount of rental income received from the leasing of such ministry residences up to the aggregate amount paid or provided as a housing allowance or benefit to the rector and/or any assistant minister who is unable to occupy the ministry residence or residences."

3. Application

The amendment in clause 2 applies to a financial year summary on or after 1 January 2015.

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

R TONG Chair of Committees

I Certify that this Ordinance was passed by the Standing Committee of the Synod of the Diocese of Sydney on 27 July 2015.

R WICKS Secretary

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I Assent to this Ordinance.

GN DAVIES Archbishop of Sydney 28/07/2015