The Council for the Promotion of Sydney Church of England Diocesan Schools Ordinance 1947 Amending Ordinance 1957.

No. 22, 1957.

An Ordinance to amend The Council for the Promotion of Sydney Church of England Diocesan Schools Ordinance 1947 by reducing the number of members of the said Council and for other purposes.

WHEREAS since the passing of The Council for the Promotion of Sydney Church of England Diocesan Schools Ordinance 1947 (hereingster called the Principal Ordinance) it has become expedient to reduce the number of members of the Council established by the said Ordinance (hereinaster called the Council) to be elected by the Synod.

AND WHEREAS it has become expedient to provide for the retirement of members of the said Council appointed by the Archbishop and for other matters connected with the said Council.

Now therefore the Standing Committee of the Synod of the Diocese of Sydney in the name and place of the said Synod ordains and declares as follows:—

- 1. Section 3 of the Principal Ordinance is amended by the omission of the words "sixteen" and "eight" where they appear and by the insertion in lieu thereof of the words "twelve' and "six" respectively.
- 2. The said Section 3 of the Principal Ordinance is further amended by the omission of the word "layman" at the end of the first sentence, and by the insertion in lieu thereof of the words "lay person who shall hold office for three years but shall be eligible for re-appointment."
- 3. Section 4 of the Principal Ordinance is repealed, and the following new Section is inserted in lieu thereof:—
- 4. On and after the 1st day of August 1957 the members of the Council appointed by Synod or by the Standing Committee, ad interim, other than the Archbishop of Sydney shall be The Rev. Canon M. C. Newth, the Revs. S. C. S. Begbie, R. A. Johnson, J. R. L. Johnstone, A. A. Langdon and D. E. Langshaw, Miss B Chisholm, Dr. N. Campbell and Messrs. R. J. Cashman, J. H. Foxton, N. Heslop and J. Spence.

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- 4. Section 6 of the Principal Ordinance is repealed and the following new Section is inserted in life thereof:—
 - "6. At meetings of the Council four members shall form a quorum. The President or in his absence the Acting President or the Chairman or Chairman of the day shall have a deliberate vote and in case of an equality of votes a casting vote in addition to a deliberate vote."
- 5. The Principal Ordinance is amended by the insertion of the following new Section 15A.
 - "15A. The provisions of The School Chapels and Chaplains Ordinance 1954 shall apply to all schools controlled managed and carried on by the said Council or established by it."
- 6. This Ordinance may be cited as "The Council for the Promotion of Sydney Church of England Diocesan Schools Ordinance 1947 Amending Ordinance 1957."

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

H. GORDON S. BEGBIE,

Acting Chairman of Committees.

I certify that this Ordinance was passed by the Standing Committee of the Synod of the Diocese of Sydney on the 29th day of July, 1957.

W. L. J. HUTCHISON,

Secretary.

I assent to this Ordinance.

W. G. HILLIARD, Bishop,

Commissary.

29/7/1957.