
*The Presentation and Exchange Ordinance 1933, Further
Amending Ordinance 1947*

No. 11, 1947.

AN ORDINANCE to repeal Clause 8 of "The Presentation and Exchange Ordinance 1933" and to substitute a new Clause in lieu thereof and for purposes incidental thereto.

The Synod of the Diocese of Sydney ordains and rules as follows:—

1. The Presentation and Exchange Ordinance 1933 as amended (hereinafter referred to as the Principal Ordinance) is hereby further amended as follows:—

By omitting Clause 8 and inserting in lieu thereof the following Clause:—

8. In any financial year a Parish shall have the right to elect representatives under this Ordinance only if the following conditions have been fulfilled.

1. (a) Provision made for:—

- (1) A stipend of at least £350 per annum from local sources.
- (2) A residence or full rent in lieu thereof approved by the Archbishop; and
- (3) An adequate allowance for travelling expenses.

(b) Payment made to the Rector of the said Stipend, rent (if no residence) and allowance during the preceding financial year.

(c) The payment of the amounts, including any arrears, required to be paid by the Parish under the provisions of Section 52A of the Sydney Church Ordinance 1912 or any ordinance amending or taking the place of the same within the time limits provided by such ordinance, namely, half-yearly within two months after the 30th day of June and the 31st day of December in the preceding financial year.

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- (d) The payment to the Standing Committee of Synod of the amounts, including any arrears, required to be paid by the Parish for Registry and Synod Assessments under the provisions of the Registry and Synod Assessments Ordinance of 1895 as amended or any Ordinance amending or taking the place of the same on or before the 30th day of September in the preceding financial year.
 - (e) The payment to the Archbishop of the amounts including any arrears, required to be paid by the Parish for the special assessment for "The Clergy Widows and Children's Fund" as provided by the "Glebe Administration Further Amending Ordinance 1937" or any ordinance amending or taking the place of the same on or before the 31st day of March in the preceding financial year.
2. (a) A Parish which has elected or become entitled to elect representatives under this Ordinance shall in the event of a vacancy occurring in the incumbency thereof have such rights as are conferred by this Ordinance in connection with the presentation of a clergyman to the Archbishop only if it has since the commencement of the financial year in which the vacancy occurs fulfilled the conditions set out in Sub-Clause 1 (a) of this clause, has made payment under Sub-clause 1 (b) of this clause so far as valid discharges can be obtained and has paid such amounts as have become payable under Sub-clauses 1 (c) and 1 (d) of this clause before the date of the said vacancy.
- (b) The Archbishop shall certify in writing to the Presentation Board before it proceeds to make a nomination that the conditions of this sub-clause have been fulfilled.
 - (c) In the event of the Archbishop not being satisfied that the conditions of this sub-clause have been fulfilled the matter shall be referred to the Archbishop-in-Council whose decision shall be final.
3. The Archdeacon of the Archdeaconry in which the Parish is situated shall upon a vacancy occurring in the incumbency of the Parish concerned interview the church-

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wardens of such Parish respecting the allowance to be made for travelling expenses and shall forthwith report in writing to the Archbishop setting out the particulars thereof together with his opinion thereon.

4. "Local Sources" includes income from Glebe lands or from any other stipend endowment for the purposes of the stipend of the Minister but does not include grants from Diocesan funds.

"Financial Year" means the period beginning with the 1st day of April and ending with the 31st day of March next following.

2. (a) This Ordinance shall come into force on the first day of April, 1948, but shall not affect the right of a parish to elect representatives under the Principal Ordinance for the financial year commencing on the 1st day of April, 1948, which it would have had if this Ordinance had not been passed.

(b) In the event of a vacancy occurring during the financial year commencing on the 1st day of April, 1948, in the incumbency of a parish which has become entitled as aforesaid to elect representatives under the Principal Ordinance the said parish shall have such rights as are conferred by the Principal Ordinance in connection with the presentation of a clergyman to the Archbishop only if it has since the commencement of the said financial year fulfilled the conditions set out in sub-clause 1 (a) of clause 8 as inserted by clause 1 of this ordinance has made payment under sub-clause 1 (b) of the said clause 8 so far as valid discharges can be obtained and has paid such amounts as have become payable under sub-clauses 1 (c) and (d) of the said clause 8 before the date of the said vacancy.

3. This Ordinance may be cited as "The Presentation and Exchange Ordinance 1933 Further Amending Ordinance 1947."

4. The Principal Ordinance together with the amendments made by this Ordinance may be cited as "The Presentation and Exchange Ordinance 1933-47."

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

R. C. ATKINSON,

Chairman of Committees.

We certify that this Ordinance was passed by the Synod of
the Diocese of Sydney this Fourth day of December, 1947.

S. H. DENMAN } Secretaries
A. L. BLYTHE } of Synod

I assent to this Ordinance.

HOWARD SYDNEY.

5th December, 1947.