Presentation and Exchange Ordinance Further Amendment Ordinance 1971

No. 30, 1971

An Ordinance to amend Clauses 3 and 9 of the Presentation and Exchange Ordinance 1933-1970.

WHEREAS the Presentation and Exchange Ordinance 1933-1971 (hereinafter called the "Principal Ordinance") regulates the appointment of clergymen to the incumbency of parishes within the Diocese of Sydney and makes provisions for the exchange of clergymen between parishes AND WHEREAS the Principal Ordinance makes provision for parishes having the right of nomination to elect five "lay persons being males and communicants of the age of twenty-one years or upwards and being parishioners" to represent such parishes on a Presentation Board when required AND WHEREAS by resolution No. 30 of 1970 the Synod requested the Standing Committee to take such steps as may be necessary to permit women to be elected to the positions of parochial nominators NOW the Synod of the Diocese of Sydney HEREBY ORDAINS DECLARES DIRECTS AND RULES as follows:—

(a) This Ordinance may be cited as the "Presentation and Exchange Ordinance Further Amendment Ordinance 1971".

(b) The Principal Ordinance as amended by this Ordinance may be cited as the "Presentation and Exchange Ordinance 1933-1971".

2. The Principal Ordinance is amended by deleting the words "males and" where appearing in paragraph (b) of Clause 3 and

paragraph (a) of Clause 9.

The Principal Ordinance is further amended by adding the following words at the end of paragraph (a) of Clause 9. "Provided that at any given time husband and wife shall not both be elected parish representatives."

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

> ATHOL RICHARDSON. Chairman of Committees.

We certify that this Ordinance was passed by the Synod of the Diocese of Sydney on this 14th day of October, 1971.

> W. L. J. HUTCHISON, K. N. SHELLEY, Secretaries of Synod.

I assent to this Ordinance.

MARCUS LOANE. Archbishop of Sydney.

14/10/1971.