Presentation and Exchange (Prohibited Persons) Amendment Ordinance 2005

No 51, 2005

Long Title

An Ordinance to provide for the disqualification of a person who is a prohibited person from holding the office of parish representative under the Presentation and Exchange Ordinance 1988.

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

1. Name

This Ordinance is the Presentation and Exchange (Prohibited Persons) Amendment Ordinance 2005.

2. Amendment of the Presentation and Exchange Ordinance 1988

The Presentation and Exchange Ordinance 1988 is amended as follows -

- (a) insert a new clause 9(3) (with consequential renumbering of existing clauses 9(3) and (4)) as follows
 - "(3) A person who is a prohibited person within the meaning of the Child Protection (Prohibited Employment) Act 1998 is not eligible for election."; and
- (b) insert a new clause 11A as follows -

"Parish Representatives - Declaration

- 11A. (1) A person who is nominated for election as a parish representative must within 7 days before or after election as a parish representative make the following declaration
 - 'I declare that I am not a prohibited person within the meaning of the Child Protection (Prohibited Employment) Act 1998'.
- (2) The office to which a person is elected as a parish representative becomes vacant if that person fails to make the declaration required by this clause."; and
- (c) delete the word "or" at the end of clause 13(1)(c); and
- (d) delete the matter "." at the end of clause 13(1)(d) and insert instead the following "; or
 - (e) becomes a prohibited person within the meaning of the Child Protection (Prohibited Employment) Act 1998.".

3. Commencement

- (1) Subject to subclause (2), this ordinance commences on the date of assent.
- (2) Clause 2 commences on 1 February 2006.

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

PG KELL Chairman of Committees

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I Certify that this Ordinance was passed by the Standing Committee of the Synod of the Diocese of Sydney on 12 December 2005.

R WICKS Secretary

I Assent to this Ordinance.

PETER F JENSEN Archbishop of Sydney 13/12/2005