

Regions Ordinance 1995 Amendment Ordinance 2017

No 13, 2017

Long Title

An Ordinance to amend the Regions Ordinance 1995.

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

1. Name

This Ordinance is the Regions Ordinance 1995 Amendment Ordinance 2017.

2. Amendment to the Regions Ordinance 1995

The Regions Ordinance 1995 is amended as follows –

- (a) insert the word “Purpose” before the word “Functions” in the heading preceding clause 6,
- (b) insert a new clause 5A below the heading “Regional Councils – Purpose, Functions, Powers and Duties” as follows –
 - “5A. The purpose of a Regional Council is to advance the purposes of the Anglican Church in the Diocese of Sydney by –
 - (a) conceiving, planning, implementing and resourcing regional ministry strategies,
 - (b) supporting the regional bishop in the leadership of the region,
 - (c) undertaking the governance tasks delegated to it by Synod and Standing Committee, and
 - (d) receiving and considering grant applications and distributing grant funding as available from time-to-time.”
- (c) Deleting clause 10(5) and inserting instead the following –
 - “(5) A Regional Council must meet at least once in each calendar year and within 28 days of the Regional Bishop receiving any business assigned to it under ordinance.”

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

P COLGAN
Deputy Chair of Committees

I Certify that this Ordinance was passed by the Standing Committee of the Synod of the Diocese of Sydney on 1 May 2017.

R WICKS
Secretary

I Assent to this Ordinance.

GN DAVIES
Archbishop of Sydney
02/05/2017