No. 41, 1972

An Ordinance to amend the Rural Deanery Conference Ordinance 1965-1970.

WHFREAS it is expedient to restore the voluntary nature of rural dear ery conferences NOW the Synod of the Diocese of Sydney Hureby Ordains Declares Directs and Rules as follows:

1. (a) This Ordinance may be cited as "Rural Deanery Conference Amendment Ordinance 1972."

(b) The Rural Deanery Conference Ordinance 1965-1970 is in this Ordinance referred to as the "Principal Ordinance."
(c) The Principal Ordinance as amended by this Ordinance may

be cited as "Rural Deanery Conference Ordinance 1965-1972."

2. Clause 1 of the Principal Ordinance is amended by deleting after the word "church" the words "shall be called at least once a year" and by substituting in their place "may be called from time to time by the rural dean or by a majority of the rural deaner's chapter or ten lay members of the conference."

3. Paragraph (viii) of sub-clause (a) of clause 2 of the Principal Ordinance is amended by deleting all the words after "provisional district" and by substituting in their place "appointed by the parish

Paragraph (ix) of sub-clause (a) of clause 2 of the Principal Ordinance is amended by deleting all the words after "new housing district" and by substituting in their place "appointed by the local committee"

5. The Principal Ordinance is further amended by deleting the whole of paragraph (x) of sub-clause (a) of clause 2.
6. The Principal Ordinance is further amended by deleting the

whole of sub-clause (b) of clause 4.

The Principal Ordinance is further amended by inserting new clause 5:

"5. It shall be competent for the conference to forward a resolution to the Diocesan Synod."

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 this 16th day of October, 1972.

R. J. BOMFORD, W. L. J. HUTCHISON, Secretaries of Synod.

I assent to this Ordinance.

MARCUS LOANE. Archbishop of Sydney.

16/10/72.