

*Superannuation of Archbishops of Sydney.*

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AN ORDINANCE to provide for the Superannuation of Archbishops of Sydney in certain cases.

(Assented to 15th October, 1918.)

The Synod of the Diocese of Sydney in pursuance of the powers in that behalf conferred upon it by the Constitutions for the management and good government of the Church of England in the State of New South Wales ordains and rules as follows:—

1. When an Archbishop of Sydney shall attain the age of 70 years or shall before attaining that age produce to the Standing Committee of the Diocese a Certificate of two legally qualified medical practitioners approved by the said Standing Committee that he is permanently incapacitated for duty or shall satisfy the said Standing Committee that for other reasons it is in the best interests of the Diocese that he should resign his office as Archbishop the said Standing Committee shall (at the request of the said Archbishop) declare him to be superannuated on the conditions hereinafter provided. Provided that if the See shall at any time be declared vacant under the provisions of Determination VI. of the General Synod, Session 1891, the Standing Committee shall declare the Archbishop superannuated under the provisions of this Ordinance. Standing Committee in this Ordinance means the members for the time being holding office under the provisions of the Standing Committee Ordinance of 1897 or any Ordinance amending or taking the place of the same.

2. An Archbishop who shall have been so declared to be superannuated and shall have resigned the See shall (subject to the provisions hereinafter contained) be entitled during his life to an allowance at the rate of £750 per annum and such allowance shall be payable from such funds as may by Ordinance of Synod be made or be declared to be available for that purpose.

3. In the event of an Archbishop superannuated under this Ordinance being appointed to any Office or Offices the total emoluments of which shall exceed £200 per annum the amount of his superannuation allowance shall be reduced *pro tanto*.

4. This Ordinance may be cited as the "Archbishop's Superannuation Ordinance, 1918."