



## **Sydney Anglican Home Mission Society Ordinance 1981 Amending Ordinance 1996**

No 24, 1996

### **Long Title**

An Ordinance to vary the arrangements for the election of members to the Council of the Sydney Anglican Home Mission Society and the membership of that Council.

### **Preamble**

Whereas it is expedient that the arrangements for the election of members to the Council of Sydney Anglican Home Mission Society and the membership of the Council be varied.

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

### **Name of Ordinance**

1. This ordinance is the Sydney Anglican Home Mission Society Ordinance 1981 Amending Ordinance 1996.

### **Amendment of Sydney Anglican Home Mission Society Ordinance 1981**

2. Paragraph 5(1)(d) of the Sydney Anglican Home Mission Society Ordinance 1981 is varied by substituting "9" for "8".

3. The following is substituted for clause 6 of the Sydney Anglican Home Mission Society Ordinance 1981 -

"(1) On the first day of the ordinary session of the Synod in 1997 and in each subsequent year, one third of the persons who are members of the Council by virtue of paragraph 5(1)(d) (excluding any of those persons who retire by virtue of the Casual Vacancies Ordinance 1935) must retire.

(2) When the number of persons who are members of the Council by virtue of paragraph 5(1)(d) is not an integral multiple of 3, the number to retire under clause 6(1) is the next whole number above the fraction being the number of those persons divided by 3.

(3) Subject to clause 9, each person who retires is eligible to be re-elected.

(4) Those who retire are the persons who, on the first day of the relevant session, will have held office the longest since they were elected. In the case of competition, those to retire shall be selected by lot."

4. In clause 5(3) of the Sydney Anglican Home Mission Society Ordinance 1981 the number "7" is omitted and the number "8" is inserted instead.

### **Transitional**

5. The vacancy in the office of the additional member of the Board created by clause 2 of this ordinance shall be filled by the Standing Committee. Subject to clause 9 of the Sydney Anglican Home Mission Society Ordinance 1981, that member is -

(a) one of the three members who must retire on the first day of the second ordinary session of the 44th Synod; and

(b) eligible to be re-elected.

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

**K.R. HANDLEY**

*Acting Chairman of Committees*

I Certify that this Ordinance was passed by the Standing Committee of the Synod of the Diocese of Sydney on 23 September 1996.

**W.G.S. GOTLEY**

*Secretary*

I Assent to this Ordinance.

**R.H. GOODHEW**

*Archbishop of Sydney*

23/9/1996