

# Synod Fund Application Ordinance 2018

No 16, 2018

## Long Title

An Ordinance to provide for the application of certain property for the purposes of settling claims and reimbursing the Professional Standards Unit for costs incurred under clause 20(b)(iii) of the Ministry Standards Ordinance 2017.

## Preamble

A. The Sydney Diocesan Secretariat holds certain property on behalf of the Synod on certain trusts for the purposes of the Diocese in a fund known as Synod Fund 131 (the "Fund").

B. By reason of circumstances which have arisen after the creation of the trusts on which the Fund is held it is inexpedient to carry out or observe those trusts and it is expedient to vary those trusts to provide for application of the Fund for the purposes of settling claims and reimbursing the Professional Standards Unit for costs incurred under clause 20(b)(iii) of the Ministry Standards Ordinance 2017.

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

### 1. Name

This Ordinance is the Synod Fund Application Ordinance 2018.

### 2. Declaration

By reason of circumstances which have arisen after the creation of the trusts on which the Fund is held it is inexpedient to carry out or observe those trusts and it is expedient to vary those trusts to the extent necessary to make the payments referred to in clause 3.

### 3. Payments

- (1) The Sydney Diocesan Secretariat is to apply an amount or amounts from the Fund for the purposes of –
  - (a) settling claims, or
  - (b) reimbursing the Professional Standards Unit for extraordinary costs incurred under clause 20(b)(iii) of the Ministry Standards Ordinance 2017in accordance with subclause (2).
- (2) The Standing Committee is to determine by resolution carried by a two-thirds majority of Standing Committee members present –
  - (a) the amount or amounts to be applied from the Fund, and
  - (b) the claims that may be settled or the reimbursements that may be paid using such amount or amounts.

### 4. Repeal of the Synod Fund Application Ordinance 2013

The Synod Fund Application Ordinance 2013 is repealed from the date of assent to this Ordinance without affecting the validity of any action taken under the Synod Fund Application Ordinance 2013 prior to that date.

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

R TONG  
Chair 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 4 June 2018.

D GLYNN  
Secretary

I Assent to this Ordinance.

GN DAVIES  
Archbishop of Sydney  
4/06/2018