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*Church of England Property Trust Diocese of Sydney  
Ordinance 1976*

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No. 39, 1976

AN ORDINANCE to provide for the periodic re-election of members of Church of England Property Trust Diocese of Sydney and for members of that Body Corporate to retire on attaining the age of 70 years.

WHEREAS in 1965 the Synod approved the recommendation of the Archbishop's Commission that half the members of Church of England Property Trust Diocese of Sydney should retire at the beginning of each triennial Synod and be subject to such periodic re-election and requested that the Church of England Trust Property Act 1917 be amended to enable the recommendation to be implemented AND WHEREAS the said Act has been amended AND WHEREAS the President of the said Body Corporate retires on attaining the age of 70 AND WHEREAS it is expedient that other members of the said Body Corporate should retire on attaining that age NOW the Synod of the Diocese of Sydney HEREBY ORDAINS, DECLARES, DIRECTS AND RULES as follows:—

1. (1) This Ordinance may be cited as "Church of England Property Trust Diocese of Sydney Ordinance 1976".

(2) The Church of England Property Trust Diocese of Sydney Ordinance 1965-1973 is hereinafter called the "Principal Ordinance".

(3) The Principal Ordinance as amended by this Ordinance may be cited as the "Church of England Property Trust Diocese of Sydney Ordinance 1965-1976".

2. The Principal Ordinance is hereby amended by the insertion of the following clauses after clause 4:—

"4A. Subject to section 12 of the said Act and to clauses 4B and 4C, each member of the Corporate Trustee shall hold office for a term of six (6) years provided that each member whose term comes to an end under this clause shall continue to hold office until his successor is elected.

4B. The term of office of each member of the Corporate Trustee shall come to an end upon that member attaining the age of 70 years. Any member whose term of office comes to an end under this clause and who is re-elected shall, subject to section 12 of the said Act, hold office for a term of one year. Each member, whose term comes to an end under this clause, shall continue to hold office until his successor is elected.

4C. A member of the Corporate Trustee whose term of office expires is eligible for re-election as a member of the Corporate Trustee."

3. The amendments to the Principal Ordinance made by this Ordinance shall take effect on and from the date on which assent is given to this Ordinance and shall apply to all members of the Corporate Trustee who hold office as members, on the date on which assent is given to this Ordinance.

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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 on the 11th day of October, 1976.

R. J. BOMFORD,  
W. G. S. GOTLEY,  
Secretaries of Synod.

I assent to this Ordinance.

11/10/76.

M. L. LOANE,  
Archbishop of Sydney.