

No. 29, 1951.

AN ORDINANCE to accept and to apply the provisions of Determination V of 1950 intituled "A Determination to provide for further extending the boundaries of the Diocese of New Guinea and of the Province of Queensland and for other purposes," in the order and good government of the Church of England within the Diocese of Sydney.

WHEREAS Determination No. V 1950 intituled "A Determination to provide for further extending the boundaries of the Diocese of New Guinea and of the Province of Queensland and for other purposes" a copy whereof is contained in the Schedule hereto has been made by General Synod.

AND WHEREAS under Article No. 3 in the Schedule to the Church of England Constitutions Act Amendment Act of 1902 the Diocese may make Ordinances upon and in respect of all matters and things concerning the order and good government of the Church of England and the regulation of its affairs within the Diocese.

AND WHEREAS by an Ordinance assented to on 21st June, 1876, regulating the method of accepting Determinations of General Synod it was provided that the mode of acceptance of such Determinations should be by Ordinance.

AND WHEREAS it is expedient to accept and to apply the provisions of the said Determination No. V 1950 as hereinafter expressed.

The Synod of the Diocese of Sydney in pursuance of its powers under the said Act hereby ordains and rules as follows:—

The said Determination No. V 1950 and the provisions therein contained are accepted and shall be applied in the order and good government of the Church of England within this Diocese in like manner as if the same were herein and hereby expressly ordained and ruled.

*General Synod — Diocese of New Guinea Ordinance 1951.*

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

W. G. HILLIARD, Bishop,  
Chairman of Committees.

We certify that this Ordinance was passed this ninth day of October, 1951.

S. H. DENMAN } Secretaries  
A. L. BLYTHE } of Synod

I assent to this Ordinance.

HOWARD SYDNEY.

9th October, 1951.

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GENERAL SYNOD OF THE DIOCESES IN AUSTRALIA  
AND TASMANIA.

DETERMINATION V, SESSION 1950.

(Made 28th November. 1950.)

A DETERMINATION to provide for further extending the boundaries of the Diocese of New Guinea and of the Province of Queensland and for other purposes.

WHEREAS by Determination II Session 1945 it was ordained and determined that the boundaries of the Diocese of New Guinea be extended so as to include all that portion of the Territory of New Guinea which lies on the island of New Guinea and that the boundaries of the Province of Queensland be extended so as to include the said area.

AND WHEREAS a further agreement has been come to between the Bishop of New Guinea and the Bishop of Melanesia (ratified and assented by the General Synod of the Province of New Zealand) that the portion of the Diocese of Melanesia included in the Territory of New Guinea not being part of the island of New Guinea should be transferred to the Diocese of New Guinea and thereafter form portion of such latter Diocese.

AND WHEREAS the Synod of the Province of Queensland at its Session in the year 1949 approved of such transfer and of the extension of the boundaries of the Diocese of New Guinea and of the Province of Queensland and requested that all necessary steps be taken to give effect to such approval.

Now we the Bishops and Clerical and Lay representatives of the Church of England in Australia and Tasmania present at a session of such General Synod do hereby ordain and determine as follows:—

1. That the boundaries of the Diocese of New Guinea be further extended so as to include all that portion of the Diocese of Melanesia included in the Territory of New Guinea not being part of the island of New Guinea and being the remainder of the Territory of New Guinea.

*General Synod — Diocese of New Guinea Ordinance 1951.*

2. That the boundaries of the Province of Queensland be further extended so as to include the area hereby added to the Diocese of New Guinea.
3. For the purpose of this Determination the words "Territory of New Guinea" have the same meaning as they have in the Statute of the Commonwealth of Australia known as New Guinea Act, 1920-1926.
4. That the Metropolitan of the Province of Queensland and the Bishop of New Guinea in their respective spheres shall in respect of the added territory have all the rights powers and authorities of Metropolitan and Bishop respectively as they formerly had in relation to the Province and Diocese respectively as formerly constituted.

I certify that the abovementioned Determination as amended was passed in Committee.

(Signed) R. CLIVE TEECE,  
Chairman of Committees.

We hereby certify that the foregoing Determination was made this 28th Day of November, 1950.

(Signed) C. S. ROBERTSON } Secretaries  
A. L. BLYTHE { of Synod

(Signed) HOWARD SYDNEY,  
Primate

28th November, 1950.