

ORDINANCE. MOORE THEOLOGICAL COLLEGE.  
(As Passed.)

AN ORDINANCE to provide for the management and control of the Moore Theological College.

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 within the State of New South Wales and of all powers vested in the said Synod by the "Church of England Trust Property Act 1917" ordains and rules as follows:—

*Interpretation Clause.*

1. "The College" means the "Moore Theological College" as at present carried on in the City of Sydney in the said State.

*Control by Committee.*

2. A Committee constituted as hereinafter provided shall have the management and control; subject to the right of the Trustees to appoint the principal after consultation with the Com-

mitter and to veto any action of the said Committee which in the opinion of the Trustees or a majority of them is inimical to the interests of the College. Such veto shall be in writing, and shall set out the reasons thereof.

*Committee and mode of Election.*

3. The said Committee shall consist of
  - (a) The Archbishop of Sydney who shall be President:
  - (b) The Trustees who shall be *ex officio* members:
  - (c) The Principal of the College who shall be an *ex officio* member:
  - (d) Five Clergymen and five Laymen who shall be elected by Synod or if the Synod be not in Session by the Standing Committee immediately after the assent of the President has been given to this Ordinance, and hereafter at the first Session of every Synod: and
  - (e) Two members, one Clergyman and one Layman, appointed by the Archbishop within one month of the date of the foregoing elections, who shall hold office for the same period as elected members.

*Duties of Committee.*

4. Subject to the provisions of Clause No. 2 of this Ordinance the duties of the said Committee shall be:
  - (a) To have the general management and control of the affairs of the said College and in particular to promote the training of Candidates for Holy Orders to serve after Ordination in this Diocese for such period as may be determined in every case.
  - (b) To raise funds by:
    - (1) Collecting annual or other subscriptions.
    - (2) Receiving grants from any Trustees or any other sources or legacies.
  - (c) Any other way that may be considered desirable.

*Powers of the Committee in connection with Funds raised.*

5. The Committee shall have power, out of such funds:
  - (a) To make grants to Moore Theological College or any Institution connected therewith, in aid thereof, upon such terms as to the Committee may seem desirable.

- (b) To assist Candidates for the Ministry to pay the fees necessary for their training upon such terms as the Committee may deem desirable at Moore Theological College, with power if the Archbishop approves to assist such Candidates to obtain a University degree.
- (c) To purchase in the name of the Trustees any Real or Personal Estate in such manner and upon such terms as the Committee shall think fit—

And generally to use such funds or invest the same and use the income thereof for the purposes of the said college in such manner as the Committee shall think fit.

*Vacancies in Committee. How caused.*

6. If a member other than the Archbishop and the Trustees shall be absent from the meetings of the Committee for three meetings in succession without the permission of the Committee he shall thereupon cease to hold office and the Committee shall report to the next meeting of the Synod the vacancy so caused. Provided that if the member is one of those appointed by the Archbishop the vacancy shall be filled by his appointing some other person.

*Interim Elections.*

7. Any vacancy by death, resignation, or otherwise occurring among the elected members shall be filled by the Standing Committee if the Synod be not at the time in Session. Any member so elected shall hold office until the first day of the Session of the Synod next ensuing and if such Session be the first of any Synod until the last day thereof.

*Annual Report and Accounts.*

8. The Committee shall present an Annual Report and Statement of all receipts and expenditure together with a Balance Sheet signed by the Treasurer and duly audited Accounts to the Synod at every Ordinary Session.

*Absence of Archbishop.*

9. In the absence of the Archbishop from the State of New South Wales the powers by this Ordinance vested in him shall (subject to such limitations as he may prescribe) be exercised by a Commissary appointed by him and in default of such appointment or if the Archbishop be unable from any cause to act then by the person who if the See were vacant would be the Administrator of the Diocese and if the See be vacant then by such Administrator.

*Short Title.*

10. This Ordinance may be cited as "The Moore Theological College Ordinance of 1919."

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

E. W. MOLESWORTH,  
*Chairman of Committees.*

We certify that this Ordinance was passed this 26th day of September, 1919.

E. CLAYDON | *Secretaries*  
W. R. BEAVER | *of the Synod.*

I assent to this Ordinance.

JOHN CHARLES SYDNEY.

14th October, 1919.