
 Sydney Church Ordinance Amendment Ordinance 1979

No. 43, 1979

AN ORDINANCE to amend the provisions relating to the quorum at adjourned vestry meetings.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Sydney Church Ordinance 1912-1978 (hereinafter called the "Principal Ordinance") NOW the Synod of the Diocese of Sydney HEREBY ORDAINS DECLARES DIRECTS AND RULES as follows:—

1. (1) This Ordinance may be cited as "Sydney Church Ordinance Amendment Ordinance 1979".

(2) The Principal Ordinance as amended by this Ordinance may be cited as "Sydney Church Ordinance 1912-1979" and in any reprint of that Ordinance Section 1 shall be amended accordingly.

2. Section 34(1) of the Principal Ordinance is amended by:—

(a) Deleting "and the parishioners of or above the age of eighteen years present at such adjourned vestry meeting shall constitute a quorum for such meeting"; and

(b) Inserting the following sentence in lieu of the words so deleted:—

"If a quorum is not present within half an hour of the time appointed for the adjourned meeting, the meeting shall be dissolved and the Archbishop or a person or persons appointed by him may deal as he or they shall think fit with any or all of the business that could have been dealt with at that meeting had a quorum been present and may fix a date by which the minister may make such appointments as he would have been entitled to make at or within seven days after the annual vestry meeting."

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

N. M. CAMERON,
Deputy Chairman of Committees.

We certify that the Ordinance was passed by the Synod of the Diocese of Sydney this eighth day of October 1979.

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

I assent to this Ordinance.

M. L. LOANE,
Archbishop of Sydney.

8/10/1979.