
*Church of England (Bodies Corporate) Act 1938
Delegation of Powers Ordinance 1961.*

No. 36, 1961.

AN ORDINANCE to delegate to the Standing Committee of the Synod of the Diocese of Sydney the powers vested in the said Synod by virtue of the Church of England (Bodies Corporate) Act 1938.

WHEREAS by the Act of the Legislature of the State of New South Wales No. 15, 1938 entitled Church of England (Bodies Corporate) Act 1938 it is provided that the Synod of a Diocese may by Ordinance constitute or appoint a board, committee, council or body of persons and provide for the exercise by such board, committee, council or body during the recess of Synod of such of the powers, authorities, duties and functions of the Synod as may be specified in the Ordinance and as relate to any act, matter or thing arising under the said Act and regulate the procedure thereof and that any Ordinance passed by any such Board, committee, council or body so appointed should have and take effect as an Ordinance when the same had been assented to under the Church of England Constitutions Act Amendment Act of 1902 or any Act amending the same AND WHEREAS it is expedient to appoint the Standing Committee of the Synod of the Diocese of Sydney as the Committee from time to time to exercise the powers and functions of the said Synod conferred by the said Act in respect of bodies corporate constituted by such Synod NOW the Synod of the Diocese of Sydney in pursuance of the provisions and powers conferred upon it in pursuance of the Church of England (Bodies Corporate) Act 1938 and of all other powers thereunto it enabling ORDAINS DECLARES DETERMINES DIRECTS AND RULES as follows:-

1. The Standing Committee of the Synod of the Diocese of Sydney is hereby appointed as the Committee to exercise from time to time during the recess of the said Synod the following powers, authorities, duties and functions of the Synod conferred upon it by the said Act namely to make ordinances for or with respect to all or any of the following matters or things arising under the said Act:-

- (i) The constitution of a body corporate in pursuance of the provisions of Section 4 of the said Act.
- (ii) To confer and impose such powers authorities duties and functions upon a body corporate whether constituted before or after the passing of this Ordinance as may be determined.

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- (iii) To determine the quorum at meetings of a body corporate.
- (iv) To provide for the management government or control of the institution or organisation of which the body corporate has been constituted or for or with respect to any church trust property vested in the body corporate and without prejudice to the generality of the preceding powers from time to time by ordinance :-
 - (a) Change the name of such body corporate.
 - (b) Fix the number of members of such body corporate, prescribe the method of election or appointment and of retirement of such members and prescribe the circumstances in which a vacancy in the office of any such member shall occur.

2. This Ordinance may be cited as "Church of England (Bodies Corporate) Act 1938 Delegation of Powers Ordinance 1961."

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

ATHOL R. RICHARDSON,
Chairman of Committees.

We certify that this Ordinance was passed this 17th day of October, 1961.

K. N. SHELLEY
W. L. J. HUTCHISON } Secretaries of Synod

I assent to this Ordinance.

HUGH SYDNEY,
Archbishop of Sydney.

17/10/1961.