

ARCHDEACONS CANON 1995

ADOPTING ORDINANCE 1997

No. 8 OF 1997

AN ORDINANCE

To adopt the 'Archdeacons Canon 1995' being a General Synod Canon to provide for the collation within a Diocese of a qualified person as an Archdeacon.

PREAMBLE

WHEREAS it is desirable that the Archdeacons Canon 1995 of the General Synod of the Anglican Church of Australia should be adopted by the Diocese of Grafton.

THEREFORE the Bishop, Clergy and Laity of the Diocese of Grafton in Synod assembled decree and enact as follows:

SHORT TITLE

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the "Archdeacons Canon 1995, Adopting Ordinance 1996".

ASSENT

2. The Archdeacons Canon 1995 as set out in the Schedule hereto is hereby adopted.

THE SCHEDULE

Canon No. 12, 1995

A Canon concerning Archdeacons

The General Synod prescribes as follows -

- 1 This Canon may be cited as the "Archdeacons Canon 1995".

Authority

- 2 A Bishop may, subject to compliance with any diocesan legislation, collate a qualified person as an Archdeacon either for a set period or until the next vacancy in the See or otherwise as permitted by diocesan legislation or custom.

Qualified person

- 3 A person is qualified to be collated as Archdeacon if that person is in Holy Orders.

Coming into force by adoption

- 4 The provisions of this Canon affect the order and good government of this Church within a diocese and shall not come into force in a diocese unless and until the diocese, by ordinance, adopts it.

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

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D.J. BLEBY
Chairman of Committees

We certify that this bill was passed by the General Synod of the Anglican Church of Australia this 6th day of July 1995.

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M.F. HORTON

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B.J. GREAVES

Secretaries of Synod

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


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Chairman of Committees

I certify that this Ordinance was passed by the Synod on the sixteenth day of August, 1997.


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Registrar

I assent to this Ordinance.


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Bishop.