BISHOP (INCAPACITY) (AMENDMENT) CANON 1998

ADOPTING ORDINANCE 1999

No. 8 of 1999

AN ORDINANCE

To adopt the "Bishop (Incapacity) (Amendment) Canon 1998" being a General Synod Canon to amend the Bishop (Incapacity) Canon 1995 and for other purposes.

PREAMBLE

WHEREAS it is desirable that the Bishop (Incapacity) (Amendment) Canon 1998 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 "Bishop (Incapacity) (Amendment) Canon 1998, Adopting Ordinance 1999."

ASSENT

2. The Bishop (Incapacity) (Amendment) Canon 1998 as set out in the Schedule hereto is hereby adopted.

THE SCHEDULE

Bishop (Incapacity) (Amendment) Canon 1998

Canon No. 1, 1998

A Canon to amend the Bishop (Incapacity) Canon 1995 and for other purposes

The General Synod prescribes as follows:

Short Title

This Canon may be cited as the "Bishop (Incapacity) (Amendment) Canon 1998."

Correction of cross-references

- 2. In the Bishop (Incapacity) Canon 1995 -
 - (a) in section 3(1), for "11" substitute "12";
 - (b) in section 8(3)(b)(i), for "9 or 10" substitute "10 or 11";
 - (c) in section 9(1) -
 - (i) for "6" substitute "7"
 - (ii) for "9" substitute "10"

- (iii) for "11" substitute "12";
- (d) in section 10(1), for "6" substitute "7";
- (e) in section 11-
 - (i) for "9" (wherever occurring) substitute "10";
 - (ii) for "11" (wherever occurring) substitute "12";
 - (iii) in sub-section (8), for "7(3)" substitute "8(3)";
 - (iv) in sub-section (8), for "7(1)" substitute "8(1)".

Amendment of section 11(8)

- 3. In section 11(8) of the Bishop (Incapacity) Canon 1995, for all words and expressions after paragraph (a) substitute -
 - "(b) the See becomes vacant (whether or not under this canon) -

whichever first occurs."

We certify that this bill was passed by the General Synod of The Anglican Church of Australia this fourteenth day of February 1998.

ANN SKAMP B J GREAVES Secretaries of Synod

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

Chairman of Committees

I hereby certify that the Ordinance was passed by Synod on the fifteenth day of May, 1999.

Registrar

I assent to this Ordinance.

Bishop