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CLERGY REMOVAL EXPENSES FUND ORDINANCE 1975

AN ORDINANCE

To establish a fund to bear part or all of the expenses of removing the effects of clergy appointed to positions within the Diocese of Grafton and to make provision for an equitable contribution to sustain the said fund.

PREAMBLE

The Bishop Clergy and Laity of the Diocese of Grafton in Synod assembled declare ordain and enact as follows:

SHORT TITLE

 This Ordinance may be cited as the Clergy Removal Expenses Fund Ordinance 1975.

CLERGY REMOVAL EXPENSES FUND

 A Fund known as the Clergy Removal Expenses Fund shall be established by the Bishop-in-Council.

CONTRIBUTION BY DISTRICTS

3. Each Ecclesiastical District within the Diocese shall forward to the Registrar by 1st January each year the prescribed amount for the Fund for every stipendiary clergyman resident in the Ecclesiastical District. Any surplus in the Fund shall be carried on each year and any deficiency shall be a charge on the general funds of the Diocese. Bishop-in-Council shall prescribe the amount of the annual contribution.

PAYMENT OF EXPENSES

4. The Bishop and Registrar may pay from the Fund part or all of such expenses incurred in removing the effects of clergy appointed to positions in the Diocese.

DATE OF COMMENCEMENT

5. This Ordinance shall come into effect on the first day of January 1976 and all Ecclesiastical Districts shall pay the first contribution to the Registrar by that date.

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

Chairman of Committees

We certify that this Ordinance was passed by the Synod of the Diocese of Grafton on the twentieth day of September, 1975.

Clerical Sacretary

I assent to this Ordinance,

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