# DIOCESAN GOVERNANCE ORDINANCE 2008 AMENDING ORDINANCE (CLERGY TENURE REVIEW) 2023 Ordinance No. 1 of 2023

An Ordinance to make various clarifying amendments to the Diocesan Governance Ordinance regarding the review of an incumbent's tenure.

## **PREAMBLE**

Whereas the primary legislation for the governance of the Diocese and its parishes is in the Diocesan Governance Ordinance 2008; and

Whereas it is appropriate that several amendments are made for improved clarity of the Ordinance regarding the review of an incumbent's tenure;

**Therefore**, the Bishop-in-Council in pursuance of powers provided in clause 48.2 of the Diocesan Governance Ordinance 2008 hereby decrees and enacts as follows:

### **AMENDMENTS**

- 1. Replace clause 114.1 with "The Bishop shall convene a Presentation Board to review an Incumbent in accordance with clause 126.4 of this ordinance."
- 2. Amend clause 126.8 by deleting the word "calendar".
- 3. Replace clause 126.9 with "Further extensions of an Incumbent's tenure by periods of no longer than 3 years may be given by the Bishop following application of the process outlined in clauses 126.4 to 126.8."

## COMMENCEMENT

This Ordinance shall come into effect upon receiving the assent of the Bishop.

## **SHORT TITLE**

This Ordinance may be cited as the Diocesan Governance Clergy Tenure Review Ordinance 2023.

#### **ASSENT**

We hereby certify that this Ordinance was passed by Bishop-in-Council on the Twenty-third day of February 2023 and that the Ordinance as printed is in accordance with the Ordinance as passed.

Chair of Committees

Registrar

I assent to this Ordinance.

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Date