

**Deaconesses, Readers and Other Lay Persons Ordinance
Amendment Ordinance 1985**

No. 26, 1985

AN ORDINANCE to amend the Deaconesses, Readers and Other Lay Persons Ordinance.

5 WHEREAS it is considered expedient that certain functions, duties and responsibilities of the Archbishop may also be exercised on his behalf by Assistant Bishops and WHEREAS it is considered desirable that the provisions of the Deaconesses, Readers and Other Lay Persons Ordinance 1981 should be amended accordingly. NOW the Synod of the Diocese of Sydney HEREBY ORDAINS
10 **DECLARÉS DIRECTS AND RULES** as follows:

- 1. (1) This Ordinance may be cited as the "Deaconesses, Readers and Other Lay Persons Ordinance Amendment Ordinance 1985".
- 15 (2) The Deaconesses, Readers and Other Lay Persons Ordinance 1981 is hereinafter called the "Principal Ordinance"
- 20 (3) The Principal Ordinance as amended by this Ordinance may be cited as the "Deaconesses, Readers and Other Lay Persons Ordinance 1981-1985" and in any reprint of that Ordinance clause 2 shall be amended accordingly.
- 2. The Principal Ordinance is hereby amended as follows:—
 - (a) by inserting in clause 4 after the word "Archbishop" wherever occurring the words "or an Assistant Bishop on his behalf";
 - 25 (b) by inserting in clause 5 after the word "Archbishop" the words "or an Assistant Bishop on his behalf"; and
 - 30 (c) by inserting in clause 7 (2) after the word "Archbishop" where first occurring the words "or an Assistant Bishop on his behalf" and by inserting after the word "Archbishop" where secondly occurring the words "or the Assistant Bishop as the case may be".

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

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Chairman of Committees

35 WE CERTIFY that this Ordinance was passed by the Synod of the Diocese of Sydney on this 8th day of October 1985.

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I ASSENT to this Ordinance.

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Secretaries of Synod

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Archbishop of Sydney

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