
Special Purposes Assessment Ordinance 1958

No. 19, 1958.

AN ORDINANCE to provide one consolidated Assessment for certain special objectives in the Diocese of Sydney to amend certain Assessment Ordinances and for related purposes.

WHEREAS provision has been made heretofore by the Ordinances set forth in the First Schedule hereto for the raising of funds by assessment of the Parishes, Provisional Parishes and Provisional Districts in the Diocese of Sydney for the purposes and subject to the provisions set out in such Ordinances respectively AND WHEREAS it is expedient to make one assessment to take the place of the several separate assessments authorised by such Ordinances and also to provide funds for the purpose of making or supplementing allowance to retired Clergy and/or for such other purposes as may be from time to time determined AND WHEREAS for such purposes as aforesaid it is expedient to amend the said Ordinances to the extent to which such Ordinances are inconsistent with this Ordinance AND WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Presentation and Exchange Ordinance 1933-57 in the manner hereinafter appearing AND WHEREAS it is expedient to provide funds by assessment of all Parishes, Provisional Parishes and Provisional Districts for the purpose of providing or supplementing allowances to Retired Clergy and for such other purposes as may be determined from time to time AND WHEREAS for the foregoing purposes and for purposes related thereto for the year 1959/60 an estimated amount of £47,722 will be required in accordance with the budget as set out in the Second Schedule hereto AND WHEREAS it is expedient to fix the assessment for such Special Purposes for 1959/60 at £47,722 to take effect from 1st April, 1959, to 31st March, 1960.

Now the Synod of the Diocese of Sydney in pursuance of the powers conferred upon it by the Constitutions for the management and Good Government of the Church of England within the State of New South Wales and of all other powers vested in it hereby ordains, directs, declares and rules as follows:—

1. The Ordinances set out in the First Schedule hereto as amended from time to time are hereby amended to the extent to which they are inconsistent with this Ordinance.

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2. An assessment shall be made from time to time as hereinafter provided for the amount to be contributed annually by each Parish, Provisional Parish and Provisional District in the Diocese at present existing or which shall hereafter be formed as hereinafter set out.

3. Such assessment shall be based on the annual income as provided by The Registry and Synod Assessments Ordinance of 1895 as amended from time to time, and subject to such provisions of such Ordinance as so amended.

4. The budget which appears in the Second Schedule to this Ordinance is hereby approved.

5. Subject to the provisions of Clause 3 hereof Synod hereby fixes an amount of £47,722 as a Special Purposes Assessment for the period of one year from 1st April, 1959, to the 31st March, 1960, in accordance with the details set out in the Third Schedule hereto.

6. The amount assessed under this Ordinance shall be held to be due to the Standing Committee and payable in four quarterly instalments due respectively on the 15th June, 15th September and 15th December and 15th March, in each financial year ending 31st March.

PROVIDED THAT after the first day of April, 1959, all moneys given to Moore Theological College during any financial year from the funds of any Parish, Provisional Parish or Provisional District shall, if so requested in writing, be credited against the proportions of the assessment applicable to Moore Theological College and due from such Parish, Provisional Parish or Provisional District in respect of such financial year.

PROVIDED FURTHER THAT if in the opinion of the Standing Committee a Parish, Provisional Parish or Provisional District is taking effective steps to provide Church buildings in New Housing Areas within its boundaries, such Parish, Provisional Parish or Provisional District may be exempted from an amount not exceeding the proportion of the assessment applicable in respect of New Housing Areas as the Standing Committee may determine.

7. The Standing Committee shall receive and hold the said assessment moneys in a Special Purposes Assessment Account and

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after payment therefrom of administration and other proper expenses shall distribute the balance from time to time in proportion to the amounts set out in the said budget (subject to such allowances and exemptions as may be made pursuant to Clause 6 hereof) to the various bodies charged with the administration of such funds.

PROVIDED THAT from the amount which pursuant to this section is payable with regard to Television the Standing Committee shall first pay the interest and instalments of the principal with respect to the advances obtained for the purchase of shares in Television Corporation Limited and thereafter pay the balance to the Church of England Television Society.

PROVIDED FURTHER THAT with respect to such amount as may be due with regard to Moore Theological College, not less than one-half of the moneys received by the Trustees of Moore College, Sydney, shall be applied in assisting candidates for Ordination in the Diocese of Sydney in training at Moore Theological College or any Institution connected therewith by way of bursaries, scholarships or otherwise.

8. The said assessment moneys when paid to the respective bodies administering the same shall, subject to this Ordinance, be held upon the same trusts and uses for the same purposes as set out in the Ordinances mentioned in the First Schedule hereto.

9. Such amounts as may be payable by the Standing Committee in pursuance of Clause 7 hereof with respect to proportionate amounts of assessments received for the purpose of Clergy Relief shall be held in a special account and controlled and administered by the Archbishop either directly or through such Committee as he may determine.

10. The Presentation and Exchange Ordinance 1933-57 is hereby amended by the deletion therefrom of paragraph (e) of sub-clause 1 of clause 8 reading as follows:-

“(e) The payment to the Archbishop of the amounts including any arrears, required to be paid by the Parish for the special assessment for “The Clergy Widows’ and Children’s Fund” as provided by the “Glebe Administration Further Amending Ordinance 1937” or any ordinance

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amending or taking the place of the same on or before the 31st day of March in the preceding financial year."

11. This Ordinance shall come into operation as from 1st April, 1959, provided that the assessments payable under the Moore Theological College Assessment Ordinance 1957 and the Church of England Television Society Ordinance 1956 for the year commencing 1st October, 1958, shall be based upon the Second Schedule of the Registry and Synod Assessment Amending Ordinance 1957 and shall be reduced by one-half.

12. This Ordinance may be cited as the "Special Purposes Assessment Ordinance 1958."

FIRST SCHEDULE

The Clergy Widows' and Children's Fund—Glebe Administration Further Amendment Ordinance 1942—(No. 3 of 1942).

New Housing Areas Church Building Fund Ordinance 1947—(No. 15 of 1947) as amended.

Church of England Television Ordinance 1956—(No. 26 of 1956).

Moore Theological College Assessment Ordinance 1957—(No. 36 of 1957).

The Secondary Schools Religious Instruction Assessment Ordinance 1957—(No. 38 of 1957).

SECOND SCHEDULE

SPECIAL PURPOSES ASSESSMENT

BUDGET FOR YEAR ENDING 31st MARCH, 1960

	£	%
Clegy Widows' and Children	2,500	5.2
New Housing Areas	9,722	20.4
Television	7,500	15.7
Moore College	12,500	26.2
Secondary Schools Religious Instruction	12,500	26.2
Clergy Relief	3,000	6.3
	£47,722	100.0

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THIRD SCHEDULE

Calculation of Assessment—7½% in the case of Parishes, and 3½% in the case of Provisional Parishes and Provisional Districts, of the Assessable Income as shown.

A rebate of £40 in the case of a Parish, and £20 in the case of a Provisional Parish or Provisional District is deductible from the assessment so calculated.

Parish	Assessable Income	Assessment
	Year ended 31/3/58	(after deducting Rebate)
	£	£
1. Annandale	1,626	82
2. Arncliffe	3,586	229
3. Artarmon	8,452	594
4. Ashbury	5,829	397
5. Ashfield	4,300	282
6. Auburn—St. Thomas	3,583	228
7. „ —St. Philip	1,824	97
8. Austinmer	3,238	203
9. Balmain—St. John	3,151	196
10. „ —St. Mary	924	29
11. Bankstown	4,548	301
12. Beecroft / Cheltenham	3,227	202
13. Bellevue Hill	3,210	201
14. Belmore / Moorefields	6,066	415
15. Berrima / Moss Vale	2,076	115
16. Berry and Gerringong	1,955	106
17. Bexley	1,561	77
18. Blackheath / Medlow	1,409	66
19. Blacktown	3,448	219
20. Bondi	6,292	432
21. Botany	1,797	95
22. Bowral	3,356	212
23. Brighton-le-Sands	3,129	198
24. Bulli	1,938	105
25. Burwood	5,205	350
26. Burwood East	2,493	147
27. Cabramatta	1,404	65
28. Camden	3,121	194
29. Cammeray	1,703	88
30. Campbelltown	3,886	251
31. Campsie	3,135	195

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Parish	Assessable Income	Assessment
	Year ended 31/3/58	(after deducting Rebate)
	£	£
32. Canterbury	4,167	272
33. Carlingford	1,519	74
34. Carlton	2,716	164
35. Castle Hill	2,387	139
36. Chatswood (St. Paul)	9,456	669
37. Clovelly	3,051	189
38. Concord / Burwood	3,088	192
39. Concord North	482	—
40. Concord West	3,825	247
41. Coogee	4,019	261
42. Cook's River	2,395	140
43. Corrimal	5,973	408
44. Cremorne	2,544	151
45. Cronulla	6,608	456
46. Croydon	2,624	157
47. Dapto / Albion Park	4,344	286
48. Dee Why / Brookvale	7,831	547
49. Denham Court / Rossmore	1,357	62
50. Drummoyne	2,396	140
51. Dulwich Hill	3,218	201
52. Dural	1,804	95
53. Earlwood	4,008	261
54. Eastwood	7,198	500
55. Emu Plains / Castlereagh	2,341*	136
56. Enfield	4,335	285
57. Enmore	1,450	69
58. Epping	12,219	876
59. Erskineville	1,375	63
60. Five Dock	3,285	204
61. Gladesville	3,598	230
62. Glenmore Road	1,505	73
63. Gordon	7,111	493
64. Granville	2,931	180
65. Greenwich	2,555	152
66. Guildford	2,323	134
67. Haberfield	4,127	270
68. Harris Park / Rosehill	2,282	131
69. Hartley / Mt. Victoria	1,345	61
70. Hornsby	3,629	232
71. Hunters Hill	4,972	333

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Parish	Assessable Income	Assessment
	Year ended 31/3/58	(after deducting Rebate)
	£	£
72. Hurlstone Park	2,613	156
73. Hurstville	3,420	217
74. Jamberoo / Shellharbour	2,142	121
75. Kangaroo Valley	748	16
76. Katoomba	1,939	104
77. Kensington	2,310	133
78. Kiama	2,565	152
79. Killara	4,833	323
80. Kingsford	5,149	346
81. Kingsgrove	5,013	336
82. Kurrajong	2,110	118
83. Lakemba	3,224	202
84. Lane Cove	2,829	172
85. Lawson / Hazelbrook	2,099	117
86. Leichhardt	4,665	310
87. Leura	1,168	48
88. Lidcombe	3,224	202
89. Lindfield	8,410	591
90. Lithgow	4,578	303
91. Liverpool	3,554	227
92. Longueville	3,024*	187
93. Malabar / Matrville	1,583	79
94. Manly	9,856	699
95. Maroubra	2,492	147
96. Marrickville	5,559	377
97. Merrylands	3,115	194
98. Mill Hill	1,360	62
99. Milson's Point	1,670	85
100. Milton	1,954	107
101. Mittagong	2,792	169
102. Mosman—St. Clement	7,217	501
103. „ —St. Luke	7,312	508
104. Mulgoa / Luddenham	1,452	69
105. Narellan	2,115*	119
106. Naremburn	3,598	230
107. Narrabeen	3,206	201
108. Neutral Bay— St. Augustine	7,115	494
109. Neutral Bay—North	3,884	251
110. Newtown	2,206	125

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Parish	Assessable Income	Assessment
	Year ended 31/3/58	(after deducting Rebate)
	£	£
111. Northbridge	6,267	430
112. Nth. Syd.—Christ Church	1,671	85
113. „ —St. Thomas	9,954	707
114. Nowra	6,920	479
115. Oatley West	4,583	304
116. Paddington	1,074	41
117. Parramatta—St. John	7,817	546
118. „ —North	6,528	450
119. Penrith	4,253*	279
120. Penshurst	9,763	692
121. Petersham	2,320	134
122. Picton	2,425*	142
123. Pitt Town	1,339	60
124. Port Kembla	6,514	449
125. Punchbowl	2,641	158
126. Pymble	8,063	565
127. Randwick	3,869	250
128. Redfern—St. Saviour	1,126	44
129. Richmond	1,721	89
130. Riverstone	2,166*	122
131. Rockdale	1,939	105
132. Rose Bay / North Bondi	2,258	129
133. Rose Bay / Vacluse	8,185	574
134. Roseville	8,914	629
135. Roseville East— St. Barnabas	5,163	347
136. Rozelle	3,393	215
137. Ryde	8,610	606
138. St. George (Kogarah)	1,730	90
139. St. Mary's / Rooty Hill	2,137	120
140. Sans Souci	3,305	208
141. Smithfield	2,441*	143
142. South Canterbury	3,753	241
143. South Hurstville	5,311	358
144. South Kogarah	2,583	154
145. Springwood	2,005	110
146. Stanmore	1,384	64
147. Strathfield—St. Andrew	3,143	196
148. Strathfield—St. Anne	5,973	408
149. Summer Hill	7,136	495

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Parish	Assessable Income Year ended 31/3/58 £	Assessment (after deducting Rebate) £
150. Sutherland	959	30
151. Sutton Forest	2,274*	131
152. Sydney—St. Andrew's Cathedral ...	8,224	577
153. „ —Holy Trinity ...	1,302	58
154. „ —St. Barnabas ...	3,123	194
155. „ —St. Bartholomew	855	24
156. „ —St. David	995	35
157. „ —St. James	6,460	445
158. „ —St. John (Bishophorpe) ...	2,112	118
159. „ —St. John (Darlinghurst) ...	4,673	311
160. „ —St. Lawrence (Christ Church) ...	5,457	369
161. „ —St. Mark	9,485	671
162. „ —St. Michael	1,279	56
163. „ —St. Paul	2,631	157
164. „ —St. Peter	2,169	123
165. „ —St. Philip	3,296	207
166. Thornleigh / Pennant Hills	3,600*	230
167. Turramurra	10,721	764
168. Wahroonga—St. Andrew ...	4,628	307
169. „ —St. Paul	6,328	435
170. Wallerawang ...	1,033	37
171. Waterloo ...	2,187	124
172. Watson's Bay ...	1,867	100
173. Waverley ...	1,701	88
174. Wentworth Falls ...	896	27
175. Wentworthville ...	1,539	75
176. West Manly ...	9,562	677
177. West Ryde / Ermington ...	4,531	300
178. West Wollongong ...	3,654*	234
179. Willoughby ...	8,076	506
180. Willoughby East ...	5,618	381
181. Windsor ...	5,132	345
182. Wingecarribee ...	1,346	61
183. Wollongong ...	4,078	266
184. Woollahra ...	2,238	128
185. Woolwich ...	679	11

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Parish	Assessable Income Year ended 31/3/58 £	Assessment (after deducting Rebate) £
186. Glenbrook	1,617	81
187. Pittwater	3,603	230
	£698,253	£44,893

Provisional Parish	Assessable Income Year ended 31/3/58 £	Assessment (after deducting Rebate) £
188. Abbotsford / Russell Lea	2,478*	73
189. Baulkham Hills	2,847	87
190. Berowra and Asquith	2,436	72
191. Mascot / Eastlakes	3,574	114
192. Miranda / Sylvania / Sylvania Heights	4,219	138
193. Normanhurst	1,857	50
194. Oatley—St. Paul	1,740	45
195. Sefton / Chester Hill	1,985	54
196. West Kembla	2,373	69
197. Wilberforce	810	10
	£24,319	£712

Provisional District	Assessable Income Year ended 31/3/58 £	Assessment (after deducting Rebate) £
198. Belfield	3,238	101
199. Berala	1,929	52
200. Bexley North	2,458	72
201. Canley Vale	1,398	32
202. Como / Jannali	1,563	39

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Provisional District	Assessable Income Year ended 31/3/58 £	Assessment (after deducting Rebate) £
203. Croydon Park	775	9
204. Engadine / Heathcote	2,753	83
205. Fairfield	5,092	171
206. Flemington / Homebush	3,121	97
207. Forestville / Narraweena	2,173	62
208. Gymea / Gymea Bay	2,125	60
209. Hammondville	2,239*	64
210. Harbord / Curl Curl	2,723	82
211. Marsfield / Denistone East	3,573	114
212. Mortdale	3,704	119
213. Pagewood	5,521	187
214. Panania / Padstow	4,428	146
215. Punchbowl—St. Barnabas	1,919	52
216. Regent's Park / Birrong	1,916	52
217. Riverwood	4,180	137
218. South Granville	2,449	72
219. The Oaks	1,401	33
220. Toongabbie / Seven Hills	2,755*	83
221. Villawood	3,524	112
222. Yagoona	2,819	86
	<u>£69,776</u>	<u>£2,117</u>

*Incomplete Return—Income Estimated

Summary	Assessable Income Year ended 31/3/58 £	Assessment (after deducting Rebate) £
Parishes	698,253	44,893
Provisional Parishes	24,319	712
Provisional Districts	69,776	2,117
	<u>£792,348</u>	<u>£47,722</u>

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

H. GORDON S. BEGBIE,
Chairman of Committees.

We certify that this Ordinance was passed by the Synod of the Diocese of Sydney this 6th day of November, 1958.

W. L. J. HUTCHISON }
S. H. DENMAN } Secretaries
of Synod.

I assent to this Ordinance.

6/11/1958.

W. G. HILLIARD, Bishop,
Administrator.
