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ANGLICAN CHURCH OF AUSTRALIA

ALTERATION OF THE CONSTITUTION

NOTICE is hereby given under section 67(2) of the Constitution of the Anglican Church of Australia that

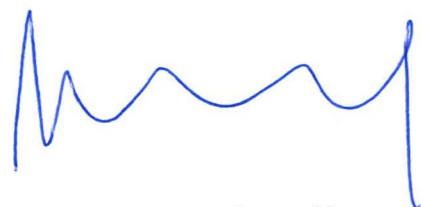
WHEREAS on 13 May 2022 the General Synod of the Anglican Church of Australia duly made:

- Canon No. 7 of 2022 being the Constitution Amendment (Mandatory Suspension) Canon 2022 to alter the Constitution of the Anglican Church of Australia in order to implement recommendation 16.52 of the Royal Commission into Institutional Responses to Child Sexual Abuse relating to the mandatory suspension of persons in ministry who are subject to a plausible complaint of child sexual abuse; and
- Canon No.8 of 2022 being the Constitution Amendment (Mandatory Deposition) Canon 2022 to alter the Constitution of the Anglican Church of Australia in order to implement recommendation 16.56 of the Royal Commission into Institutional Responses to Child Sexual Abuse relating to the mandatory deposition of persons in religious ministry who are convicted of an offence relating to child sexual abuse.

AND WHEREAS on 3 December 2024 the President of the General Synod, the Most Rev'd Geoffrey Smith, Archbishop of Adelaide and Metropolitan of the Province of South Australia, determined that there is no condition remaining to which the coming of the Canons into effect is subject

THE SAID PRESIDENT determined that the said Canon shall come into effect on 10 March 2025.

DATED: 11 December 2024



Anne Hywood
General Secretary
General Synod
Anglican Church of Australia