
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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ECCLESIASTICAL LAW

**The Church Representation Rules
(Amendment) Resolution 1973**

*Made (passed by the
General Synod with the
requisite majority in each
House) - - - - 8th November 1973*
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Coming into Operation 1st January 1974

**THE CHURCH REPRESENTATION RULES
(AMENDMENT) RESOLUTION 1973**

Formation of church electoral roll

1. (1) In rule 1(2) the word “electoral” shall be omitted...

Revision of roll and preparation of new roll

2. (1) At the end of rule 2(4) there shall be...

Procedural provisions relating to entry and removal of names

3. In rule 3, paragraphs (3), (4) and (5) shall be...

Certification of numbers on rolls

4. In rule 4— (a) in paragraph (1), after the words...

Provision with respect to person whose name is on guild church roll

5. After rule 4 there shall be inserted the following rule:—...

Chairman of annual meeting

6. In rule 7, after the words “casting vote” there shall...

Qualification of persons to be chosen, etc., by annual meetings

7. In rule 9(1)— (a) at the beginning there shall be...

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Members of parochial church council

8. For rule 12(1)(d) there shall be substituted the following sub-paragraph:
—...

Parochial church councils: term of office

9. Rule 14 shall become paragraph (1) of that rule and...

Parishes with more than one place of worship

10. In rule 16— (a) in paragraph (1), for the word...

Membership of deanery synods

11. (1) In rule 19(3)— (a) there shall be inserted at...

Election, etc., of members of deanery synods

12. (1) In rule 20(2), for the words “1st December” there...

Variation of membership of deanery synods by scheme

13. In rule 21(1) the proviso shall be omitted.

Membership of diocesan synods

14. (1) In rule 24(2)(a)(i), for the words “any full-time assistant...”

Elections of members of diocesan synods by deanery synods

15. (1) In rule 25(1), for the words “ending with the...”

Variation of membership of diocesan synods by scheme

16. In rule 27(1) the proviso shall be omitted.

House of Laity of General Synod

17. In rule 29(2) the proviso shall be omitted.

Number of elected members of House of Laity

18. In rule 30(2), the words “as adjusted under rule 4”...

Qualification of elected members

19. (1) Rule 31 shall become paragraph (1) of that rule....

Electoral areas

20. (1) In rule 32(2), after the words “following rule” there...

Conduct of elections

21. (1) In rule 33(2), after the word “him” there shall...

Duties and payment of presiding officers

22. After rule 33 there shall be inserted the following rule:—...

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Ex-officio etc., members of the House of Laity

23. (1) In rule 35(1), after sub-paragraph (a) there shall be...

Appeals

24. (1) In rule 36(1), the words “Subject to the provisions...

Vacation of seat by member ceasing to be qualified for election

25. (1) Rule 37 with the omission of the proviso shall...

Ex-officio membership not to disqualify for election

26. In rule 38, the word “lay”, wherever occurring, shall be...

Casual vacancies

27. (1) For rule 39(1) there shall be substituted the following...

Resignations

28. For rule 40 there shall be substituted the following rule:—...

Delegation of functions

29. For paragraphs (6) and (7) of rule 43 there shall...

Interpretation

30. (1) In rule 44(1) for the definition of “actual communicant...

Forms

31. In Appendix I, for the form set out in Section...
32. In Appendix I, in Sections 2 and 3—
33. (1) In Appendix I, Section 4 shall be amended in...
34. In Appendix I, in Section 5, at the end of...
35. In Appendix I, in Section 6, for the words “Other...

Proceedings of parochial church councils

36. In Appendix II, in paragraph 8, after the word “three”...

Citation, commencement and interpretation

37. (1) This resolution may be cited as the Church Representation...
Signature

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Explanatory Note