

**General Synod of the Church of England, February Group of Sessions 2008
12 February 2008**

Electronic voting results for Item 8 Casinos (as amended by Items 21 and 22)

‘That this Synod, gravely concerned that the total national spend on gaming has risen in each year over the past four years from £4 to £40 billion:

- (a) endorse the public opposition expressed by church leaders to the introduction of regional and large casinos, and encourage local churches to participate in local authority consultations on plans for new casino applications;
- (b) declare its support for programmes of education, research and treatment undertaken with the aim of checking the growth in problem gambling, and request the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport to invoke the powers granted by the Gambling Act 2005 to introduce a statutory levy on the gambling industry to fund such programmes;
- (c) call upon Her Majesty’s Government to monitor the addictive effects of Fixed Odds Betting Terminals and to seek an international framework for a code of conduct on internet gambling; and
- (d) call upon the Mission and Public Affairs Council to report back to Synod by February 2009 on measures being taken by the churches to combat the detrimental effects of gambling in various forms.’

Division of the whole Synod

For	Against	Recorded abstentions
258	4	9

The motion was carried

FOR			
Surname	Christian name	Synod no	House
Allchin	Maureen	206	Clergy
Allen	Timothy	399	Laity
Allister	Donald	94	Clergy
Allsopp	Christine	184	Clergy
Ambrose	Gill	312	Laity
Applegate	John	161	Clergy
Armitstead	Edward	251	Laity
Ashenden	Gavin	449	Clergy
Ashwin	John	294	Laity
Atherstone	Hugh	99	Clergy
Atkin	Susan	279	Laity
Atkinson	Janet	308	Laity

FOR			
Surname	Christian name	Synod no	House
Atkinson	Richard	135	Clergy
Ballard	Peter	71	Clergy
Bamber	Sheila	111	Clergy
Barnes	Barry	414	Laity
Barney	Stephen	332	Laity
Barrell	Anneliese	317	Laity
Bashforth	Alan	227	Clergy
Bassham	Sallie	266	Laity
Bate	Jenny	275	Laity
Baxter	Christina	420	Laity
Baynes	Simon	394	Laity
Beach	Mark	106	Clergy
Beck	Rachel	342	Laity
Benfield	Paul	72	Clergy
Benyon	Tom	372	Laity
Beswick	David	335	Laity
Bird	David	185	Clergy
Blackmore	David	287	Laity
Body	Debbie	318	Laity
Bonner	Michael	276	Laity
Bower	Janet	267	Laity
Boyd-Lee	Paul	404	Laity
Bratton	Mark	105	Clergy
Brookfield	Joseph	260	Laity
Bruinvels	Peter	325	Laity
Bull	John	366	Laity
Bullimore	John	427	Laity
Bunch	Cynthia	343	Laity
Burbeck	Michael	403	Laity
Burrows	Gerald	261	Laity
Butcher	Jackie	409	Laity
Buttery	Graeme	112	Clergy
Calver	Gill	81	Clergy
Campbell	Graham	288	Laity
Capon	Peter	361	Laity
Carey	Kevin	297	Laity
Carr	Katherine	386	Laity
Cassidy	George	41	Bishops
Chapman	Sarah	233	Clergy
Cheeseman	Jim	389	Laity
Chetwood	Nigel	322	Laity
CHN	Rosemary	452	Clergy
Chorlton	John	179	Clergy
Clark	John	336	Laity
Condick	Margaret	400	Laity

FOR			
Surname	Christian name	Synod no	House
Conner	David	50	Bishops
Cooper	Susan	351	Laity
Cooper	Alan	362	Laity
Currie	Stuart	238	Clergy
Cutting	Alastair	101	Clergy
Dailey	Prudence	374	Laity
Dakin	Tim	180	Clergy
Davies	John	430	Laity
Delap	Dana	309	Laity
Dinnen	John	329	Laity
Dobbie	Ian	392	Laity
Docherty	Lucy	383	Laity
Dormor	Duncan	447	Clergy
Dow	Andrew	125	Clergy
Dowdle	Cynthia	148	Clergy
Dyke	Elizabeth	107	Clergy
Eddy	Paul	431	Laity
Etherington	Ferial	86	Clergy
Farthing	Paul	138	Clergy
Finch	Sarah	352	Laity
Fitzsimons	Kathryn	191	Clergy
Fletcher	Philip	467	Laity
Forster	Peter	13	Bishops
Forward	Emma	319	Laity
Fraser	Jane	239	Clergy
Freeman	John	290	Laity
Freeman	John	333	Laity
French	Philip	390	Laity
Garland	Tony	367	Laity
Garlick	Kay	133	Clergy
Gaskell	Ian	230	Clergy
Giddings	Philip	375	Laity
Gilley	Meg	113	Clergy
Gledhill	Jonathan	24	Bishops
Goddard	Madelaine	305	Laity
Goddard	Vivienne	263	Laity
Goddard	John	53	Bishops
Gooding	Ian	109	Clergy
Gore	Philip	363	Laity
Govender	Rogers	57	Clergy
Green	David	215	Clergy
Greenwood	Nigel	387	Laity
Griffiths	David	164	Clergy
Hammond	Robert	280	Laity
Hancock	Paul	346	Laity

FOR			
Surname	Christian name	Synod no	House
Harbord	Geoffrey	211	Clergy
Harland	Peter	313	Laity
Harrison	Glynn	270	Laity
Hartley	John	76	Clergy
Haslam	Lois	291	Laity
Hawes	Arthur	144	Clergy
Hawker	Alan	78	Clergy
Hawkins	Clive	236	Clergy
Hawkins	David	438	Laity
Henderson	Julian	130	Clergy
Henwood	Gill	242	Clergy
Hill	Christopher	21	Bishops
Hill	Kenneth	292	Laity
Hind	Tim	252	Laity
Hind	John	14	Bishops
Hobbs	Maureen	141	Clergy
Hobson	Peter	136	Clergy
Houghton	James	102	Clergy
Howe	George	85	Clergy
Hughes	John	68	Clergy
Humphreys	Jacky	271	Laity
Ireland	Mark	142	Clergy
Isaac	David	188	Clergy
Ivey-Ray	Philip	281	Laity
James	David	9	Bishops
James	Brunel	190	Clergy
James	Graham	29	Bishops
Jarrett	Martyn	51	Bishops
Jepson	Rachel	258	Laity
Johnston	Mary	355	Laity
Jones	Allan	347	Laity
Jones	Rhiannon	117	Clergy
Jones	Linda	348	Laity
Kent	Ian	320	Laity
Key	Robert	407	Laity
Kinson	Wendy	337	Laity
Leathard	Helen	264	Laity
Lee	Hugh	181	Clergy
Lewis	Brian	90	Clergy
Lilley	Chris	145	Clergy
LLoyd	Nigel	208	Clergy
LLoyd	Jonathan	65	Clergy
Lording	Rosemary	331	Laity
Lovegrove	Philip	395	Laity
Lowe	Stephen	52	Bishops

FOR			
Surname	Christian name	Synod no	House
Lunn	Robin	439	Laity
Mallard	Zahida	268	Laity
Mansell	Clive	195	Clergy
Marsh	Harry	282	Laity
Martin	Anne	327	Laity
McCord Adams	Marilyn	446	Clergy
McDonough	Philip	396	Laity
Mcfarlane	Jan	174	Clergy
McMullen	Christine	306	Laity
Milford	Nicola	120	Clergy
Miller		229	Clergy
Mitchell	Steve	307	Laity
Monckton	Joanna	338	Laity
Moon	Richard	254	Laity
Morgan	David	283	Laity
Morgan	Helen	328	Laity
Morrison	Gill	380	Laity
Munro	Robert	97	Clergy
Musson	Terence	423	Laity
Nagel	Mary	298	Laity
Nazir-Ali	Michael	34	Bishops
Newey	Brian	377	Laity
Nicholls	Bill	339	Laity
Nicholls	Jack	38	Bishops
O'Brien	Gerald	391	Laity
O'Dowd	Rosalind	353	Laity
O'Hara	Ian	303	Laity
OHP	Anita	454	Laity
Oldham	Gavin	378	Laity
Oliver	Gordon	196	Clergy
Osborne	Hayward	69	Clergy
Packer	John	33	Bishops
Paver	Elizabeth	410	Laity
Payne	Mark	104	Clergy
Penfold	Susan	232	Clergy
Pentland	Ray	61	Clergy
Perham	Michael	20	Bishops
Perkin	Paul	221	Clergy
Peyton	Nigel	223	Clergy
Porter	Matthew	212	Clergy
Presland	Andrew	381	Laity
Priddis	Anthony	22	Bishops
Pritchard	John	30	Bishops
Randall	Colin	87	Clergy
Randall	Colin	67	Clergy

FOR			
Surname	Christian name	Synod no	House
Reade	Nicholas	8	Bishops
Redden	Jonathan	411	Laity
Reid	Jenny	442	Laity
Roberts	Mark	84	Clergy
Robilliard	David	436	Laity
Rodgers	Sue	384	Laity
Rowell	Geoffrey	18	Bishops
Russell	Mark	466	Laity
Russell	Norman	182	Clergy
Sargent	Philippa	249	Laity
Sargison	Bill	323	Laity
Saxbee	John	25	Bishops
Scowen	Clive	358	Laity
Scrivener	John	293	Laity
Seed	Richard	244	Clergy
Sentamu	John	2	Bishops
Servant	Alma	166	Clergy
Seville	Thomas	455	Clergy
Sheriff	Sue	245	Clergy
Simmonds	Gordon	284	Laity
Slater	Terry	259	Laity
Slovan	Anne	465	Laity
Smith	Peter	401	Laity
Smith	Ian	443	Laity
Smith	Chris	371	Laity
Sowerby	Mark	192	Clergy
Spencer	Caroline	273	Laity
Spiers	Pete	149	Clergy
Stevens	Robin	285	Laity
Stock	Nigel	36	Bishops
Stranack	Penny	424	Laity
Stratford	Tim	150	Clergy
Streeter	Michael	300	Laity
Sugden	Chris	183	Clergy
Sutton	Debbie	385	Laity
Taylor	Diana	255	Laity
Terrett	Paul	425	Laity
Thomas	Roderick	122	Clergy
Thomas-Betts	Anna	379	Laity
Thomson	Celia	127	Clergy
Threlfall-Holmes	Miranda	450	Clergy
Tilley	Margaret	274	Laity
Toms	Anne	382	Laity
Trickey	Jolyon	131	Clergy
Tupling	Katie	110	Clergy

FOR			
Surname	Christian name	Synod no	House
Urquhart	David	7	Bishops
Venner	Stephen	45	Bishops
Vernon	Stella	445	Laity
Vince	Jacob	301	Laity
Walker	Tony	225	Clergy
Webster	Martin	93	Clergy
Wharton	Martin	28	Bishops
White	Bob	189	Clergy
Whitworth	Ruth	388	Laity
Wilds	Anthony	124	Clergy
Williams	Rowan	1	Bishops
Williams	Anne	311	Laity
Williams	Shirley-Ann	321	Laity
Willis	Robert	56	Clergy
Willmott	Trevor	46	Bishops
Wilson	John	341	Laity
Wilson-Rudd	Fay	256	Laity
Wiltshire	Catherine	402	Laity
Worsley	Ruth	226	Clergy
Wright	Tom	4	Bishops
Wynne	Alison	265	Laity

AGAINST			
Surname	Christian name	Synod no	House
Cox	Timothy	262	Laity
Humphery	James	405	Laity
Philpott	Sam	121	Clergy
Privett	Hugh	408	Laity

RECORDED ABSTENTIONS			
Surname	Christian name	Synod no	House
Bush	Roger	228	Clergy
Frear	Jacqueline	412	Laity
Jones	David	406	Laity
Lynas	Stephen	66	Clergy
Smith	Graham	324	Laity
Trott	Stephen	186	Clergy
Warner	David	398	Laity
Webster	Glyn	246	Clergy
Winter	Dagmar	170	Clergy