

GENERAL SYNOD

HOUSE OF LAITY

Notice is hereby given of a meeting of the House of Laity to be held at 1.30 p.m. on Friday 18 January 2013 at Church House, Westminster.

Church House
Westminster SW1P 3AZ

Nicholas Hills
Secretary

18 December 2012

A G E N D A

PRAYERS

Chair of the House of Laity: HL(13)01A and HL(13)01B

Canon Stephen Barney (Leicester) to move:

1. 'That this House have no confidence in Dr Philip Giddings as Chair of this House.'
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Notes:

1. This meeting has been convened under Standing Order 2(c) of the House.
2. Canon Stephen Barney has prepared a note (HL(13)01A) explaining his reasons for seeking this meeting. Members are also referred to HL(13)01B, which is an unedited transcript of Dr Giddings's speech during the debate on the draft Bishops and Priests (Consecration and Ordination of Women) Measure (GS 1708D) at the November 2012 group of sessions of the General Synod.
3. It would help if members who wished to speak in this debate could, if at all possible, notify the Secretary of the House in advance either in writing or at nicholas.hills@churchofengland.org. A request to speak form is included with this agenda.
4. Members who wish to reclaim expenses associated with attendance at this meeting should discuss this with their diocese or, where their expenses are met centrally, with the Synod Support Unit. Diocesan Secretaries have been informed that the meeting is to take place.