

# GENERAL SYNOD

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## FEBRUARY GROUP OF SESSIONS 2018

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### FIFTH NOTICE PAPER

#### PROGRESS OF MEASURES AND STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

**The Legal Officers (Annual Fees) Order 2017 and the Ecclesiastical Judges, Legal Officers and Others (Fees) Order 2017** were laid before Parliament and both came into force on 1 January 2018.

**The Payments to the Churches Conservation Trust Order 2017** has been laid before Parliament and will come into force on 1 April 2018.

**The Legislative Reform Measure, the Statute Law (Repeals) Measure and the Pensions (Pre-consolidation) Measure** have been considered by the Legislative Committee and submitted to the Ecclesiastical Committee of Parliament, together with **the Mission and Pastoral etc. (Amendment) Measure and the Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction and Care of Churches Measure**. The Ecclesiastical Committee has found all five Measures 'expedient'. Subject to the presentation of the Committee's report to Parliament, all five Measures will now fall to be considered by its two Houses.