

DRAFT AMENDING CANON No.30

(Of women bishops)

1. Paragraph 5 of Canon C 2 (Of the consecration of bishops) shall be omitted.
2. After Canon C 2 there shall be inserted the following Canon –

“Canon C 2A Of women bishops

 1. A woman may be consecrated to the office of bishop if she otherwise satisfies the requirements of Canon C.2 as to the persons who may be consecrated bishops.”.
3. In the forms of service contained in the Book of Common Prayer or in the Ordinal words importing the masculine gender in relation to bishops shall be construed as including the feminine.

