

## **GENERAL SYNOD**

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### **FEBRUARY GROUP OF SESSIONS 2020**

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#### **NINTH NOTICE PAPER**

#### **ERRATA**

#### **ITEM 506: CHURCH REPRESENTATION RULES (AMENDMENT) RESOLUTION 2020 (GS 2155)**

In paragraph 10(3), each reference to “an election” in subsections (9) and (10) of the proposed section 5A of the Churchwardens Measure 2001 should be a reference to “an appeal”

#### **DEEMED ITEM: SINGLE TRANSFERABLE VOTE RULES 2020 (GS 2167)**

In Rule 36(2), the reference to "Electoral Reform Services Limited" should be a reference to "Civica Election Services Limited". The change of name was registered on 6 February 2020.

#### **SPECIAL AGENDA III – PRIVATE MEMBERS’ MOTIONS**

The following Private Members’ Motions were accidentally omitted from Special Agenda III:

#### **ENTERPRISE FUND**

Mr Sam Margrave (Coventry) to move:

‘That this Synod call on the National Church Institutions:

- (a) to jointly review the extent to which current funding arrangements enable deaneries and dioceses to develop income generating assets that provide support for mission and ministry; and

- (b) to consider establishing an enterprise fund to provide entrepreneurship seed funding for parishes and dioceses that will enable them to develop profit-making projects to help mission and ministry'

*12 signatures*

*February 2019*

## **EUCCHARISTIC PRESIDENCY**

Mr David Lamming (St Edmundsbury and Ipswich) to move:

'That this Synod, having regard in particular to:

- (a) changes in thinking on the role of the laity in leadership in the Church over the past 25 years, and
- (b) the lack of any Scriptural basis for the Church's current practice restricting the administration of the sacrament at Holy Communion to ordained priests,

request the House of Bishops to reconsider its position (as set out in its April 1997 report Eucharistic Presidency, GS 1248) that the Church should maintain its inherited position that the person who presides at the Eucharist must be an ordained priest.

*55 signatures*

*February 2019*

## **SPECIAL AGENDA IV – DIOCESAN SYNOD MOTIONS**

The following Diocesan Synod Motions were accidentally omitted from Special Agenda IV:

### **INSURANCE PREMIUM TAX**

... to move on behalf of the Lincoln Diocesan Synod:

That this Synod, noting:

- (a) the various public goods that are delivered by charities, including in the case of churches through

their care of nationally valued heritage assets and their provision of community services; and

- (b) the fact that the money needed by charities to meet their liabilities, including Insurance Premium Tax, has to be raised by them, including in the case of churches through fund raising in their local communities

call on Her Majesty's Government to exempt charities, including churches, from liability for Insurance Premium Tax.

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