

GENERAL SYNOD
NOVEMBER 2020 REMOTE GROUP OF SESSIONS
BUSINESS DONE AT 6.30 P.M.
ON TUESDAY 24 NOVEMBER 2020

FINANCIAL BUSINESS

**ARCHBISHOPS' COUNCIL'S BUDGET AND PROPOSALS FOR
APPORTIONMENT FOR 2021 (GS 2181)**

7 The motion

‘That the Synod do take note of this Report.’

was carried.

8 The motion

‘That this Synod approve the Archbishops’ Council’s expenditure for the year 2020, as shown in its budget, of £17,944,000 in respect of training for ministry.’

was carried.

9 The motion

‘That this Synod approve the Archbishops’ Council’s expenditure for the year 2020, as shown in its budget, of £25,578,819 in respect of national church responsibilities.

was carried.

10 The motion

‘That this Synod approve the Archbishops’ Council’s expenditure for the year 2020, as shown in its budget, of £1,262,502 in respect of grants.

was carried.

11 The motion

‘That this Synod approve the Archbishops’ Council’s expenditure for the year 2020, as shown in its budget, of £711,697 in respect of mission agency pension contributions.

was carried.

12 The motion

‘That this Synod approve the Archbishops’ Council’s expenditure for the year 2020, as shown in its budget, of £5,431,063 in respect of the clergy retirement housing grant.

was carried.

13 The motion

‘That this Synod approve the Archbishops’ Council’s proposals (set out in the Table of Apportionment contained in GS 2181) for the apportionment amongst the dioceses of the net sum to be provided by them to enable the Council to meet the expected expenditure shown in its budget for the year 2021’

was carried.

14 The motion

‘That this Synod approve the Archbishops’ Council’s proposals (set out in the Table of Apportionment contained in GS 2181) for the pooling adjustment for 2021 in respect of additional maintenance grants for ordinands.’

was carried.

SPECIAL AGENDA I

LEGISLATIVE BUSINESS

DRAFT SAFEGUARDING (CODE OF PRACTICE) MEASURE (GS 2182)

Draft Measure for First Consideration

506 The motion

‘That the Measure entitled “Safeguarding (Code of Practice) Measure” be considered for revision in Full Synod.’

was carried following a counted vote of the whole Synod. The voting was as follows:

IN FAVOUR 340

AGAINST 30

2 abstentions were recorded.

The Chair reported that the draft Safeguarding (Code of Practice) Measure would proceed to the Revision Stage in Full Synod, without a prior Revision Committee Stage, at the February 2021 group of sessions.

APPOINTMENT OF ONE MEMBER OF THE ARCHBISHOPS’ COUNCIL (GS 2183)

15 The motion

‘That the appointment of Matthew Frost as a member of the Archbishops’ Council from 25 November 2020 to 31 July 2025 be approved’

was carried.

EVENING WORSHIP

Ms. Shayne Ardron led the Synod in an act of worship.

The ARCHBISHOP OF CANTERBURY dismissed the Synod with the blessing at 6.20 p.m.

RELIGIOUS COMMUNITIES REGULATIONS 2020 (GS 2191)

Regulations under Canon DA 1 for approval

Under Standing Order 71(2) the Religious Communities Regulations 2020 were deemed to have been approved by the General Synod, no member having given notice of a wish to have the Order debated.