

THE GENERAL SYNOD OF THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND

DRAFT AMENDING CANON No. 42

Petition to the Crown

To The King's Most Excellent Majesty

We, Your Majesty's faithful subjects, the Archbishops, Bishops, Clergy and Laity of the Church of England, assembled in obedience to Your Royal Writs and in accordance with the Synodical Government Measure 1969, humbly represent to Your Majesty that we have considered a Canon (Draft Amending Canon No. 42 (Safeguarding)) which amends Canon C 30 (Safeguarding) and we have agreed upon and submit herewith the Amending Canon set out in the Schedule hereto.

We therefore humbly pray that Your Majesty will be graciously pleased to grant Your Majesty's Royal Assent and Licence to make, promulge and execute the draft Canon set out in the Schedule hereto.

Dated this day of February 2023 and in the first year of Your Majesty's reign.

President

President

Prolocutor

Prolocutor

Chair, House of Laity

Vice-Chair, House of Laity

Registrar

THE SCHEDULE

[Insert final approval text of Draft Amending Canon No. 42]