

DIOCESE OF WAIKATO AND TARANAKI

Bill No: 1

THE INTERIM MISSION UNITS AMENDMENT BILL 2023

The synod of the Diocese of Waikato and Taranaki enacts as follows –

1 TITLE

This Statute is the Interim Mission Units' Amendment Statute 2023.

2 PURPOSE

The purpose of this Statute is to amend the Interim Mission Units' Statute.

3 COMMENCEMENT

This Statute shall come into force at the close of the Synod at which it is enacted.

4. TITLE.

(1) Delete the word "Interim" from the title of this Statute.

5. INTERPRETATION

(1 (a) In the definition of the term "Missioner" after the word "person" insert the words "appointed and licensed by the Bishop to lead the Leadership Team."

(1)(b) In the definition of the Leadership Team, delete the words "appointed by the Bishop on the recommendation of the Missioner or Missioners who has", and replace them with "elected at the AGM by members whose names appear on the Mission Partners Roll and who have responsibility together with the Missioner for the governance of a Mission Unit"

6.ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

(1) In clause 7(2) (d) delete the word "lay".

In clause 7 (2)(d)(i) delete the words "Mission Unit Committee" and replace them with the words, "Leadership Team", and delete all the words after the words' "six persons"

(2) In clause 7(2)(d) delete (ii) and (iii).

(3) Add a new Clause 8 as follows – "At its first meeting after the AGM the Leadership Team shall choose from among its members a Secretary and a Treasurer."

(4) in clause 7(3), after the word "elect" add the words "at least one and not more than two."

(5) Delete clause 7(4).

6) Delete Clause 10 (2).