

## ANGLICAN CHURCH OF AUSTRALIA - DIOCESE OF NEWCASTLE

### The Diocese of Newcastle Commitment to the National Redress Scheme Ordinance 2018

#### Be it enacted by the Diocesan Council as follows:

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the *Diocese of Newcastle Commitment to the National Redress Scheme Ordinance 2018*.

2. Definitions:

**Associate** means an associate of the Redress Scheme.

**Company** means Anglican Representative (National Redress Scheme) Limited.

**Current Parish** means the parishes of the Diocese recognised in accordance with the *Administration of Parishes Ordinance 2010* on 30 June 2018.

**Diocesan Council** means the Diocesan Council of the Diocese.

**Diocesan Entity** means any or all of the entities listed in **Schedule A**.

**Diocese** means the Anglican Diocese of Newcastle.

**General Synod** means the General Synod of the Anglican Church of Australia including the Standing Committee of the General Synod.

**Historic Diocesan Entity** means any or all of the entities listed in **Schedule B**.

**Historic Parish** means any parish, experimental pastoral area, parochial district, mission district existing in the Diocese prior to 30 June 2018.

**Participating Group** means the participating group of the National Redress Scheme established by the General Synod.

**Redress Scheme** means the scheme established by the (*National Redress Scheme for Institutional Child Sexual Abuse Act 2018* (Cth)).

**Synod** means the Synod of the Diocese.

3. The Diocesan Council exercising the powers of the Synod while Synod is in recess determines that the Anglican Diocese of Newcastle its Current Parishes and Historic Parishes together with its Diocesan Entities and Historic Diocesan Entities shall participate in the National Redress Scheme through the Company.

4. To the extent that is necessary, **clause 3** shall be deemed to be a resolution of the board, council, committee or other governing Body of each Current Parish.
5. To the extent that is necessary, **clause 3** shall be deemed to be a resolution of the board, council, committee or other governing Body of each Diocesan Entity listed in **Schedule A** to become an Associate of the Redress Scheme.
6. The Diocese shall be the proxy for all Historic Parishes and for any Historic Diocesan Entities listed in **Schedule B**.
7. The Diocesan Council may make regulations and policies governing the participation of the Diocese in the Redress Scheme.
8. An organisation or other body may apply to the Bishop or the Diocesan Council to be listed as an entity of the Diocese in **Schedule A** of this Ordinance.
9. The Bishop may by order in writing and the Diocesan Council by resolution may amend **Schedule A** and **Schedule B** of this Ordinance. In the event of dispute the determination of the Diocesan Council shall prevail.
10. An amendment to **Schedule A** and **Schedule B** shall only be effective from the date the amendment is accepted by the Company.

## **Schedule A**

Anglican Care  
Anglican Savings Development Fund  
Newcastle Anglican Church Corporation  
Newcastle Anglican Schools Corporation  
CEY Ministries  
The Diocesan Council  
The Diocesan Ministry Council  
Bishop Tyrrell Anglican College  
Lakes Grammar – An Anglican School (aka Warnervale Anglican Grammar School)  
Manning Valley Anglican College  
The Samaritans Foundation  
Samaritans Housing  
Scone Grammar School (aka St Lukes (Scone) Grammar School)  
The Trustees of Church Property for the Diocese of Newcastle

## Schedule B

Anglican Department of Social Work (operating within the Diocese of Newcastle)  
Broughton Grammar School (aka Morpeth Grammar School)  
Dycon (The Diocesan Youth Convention) (operating within the Diocese of Newcastle)  
EMMAUS (operating within the Diocese of Newcastle)  
The Goddessy Event  
Guild of Servants of the Sanctuary (operating within the Diocese of Newcastle)  
Lakes Anglican Grammar School  
Newcastle Anglican Youth Gathering 2003  
Newcastle Church of England Grammar School for Girls  
Newcastle School of Theology for Ministry  
The Sharing the Vision Event  
St Albans Home for Boys  
St Christopher's Home  
St Elizabeth's Home for Girls  
St Georges Training Farm Home for Boys  
St Hilda's Hostel for Girls  
St Johns Centre for Ministry Morpeth  
St Johns Morpeth Conference Centre (aka Closebourne)  
St Johns Theological College Morpeth (aka St Johns College)  
Yondaio Camp Site  
Young Anglican Fellowship (operating within the Diocese of Newcastle)  
Youth Synod (operating within the Diocese of Newcastle)

**PASSED BY DIOCESAN COUNCIL** on the **Twenty Eighth** day of **June 2018**.



**Mrs Linda Wilson**  
**Secretary, Diocesan Council**

**THE ASSENT** of the Peter Derrick James Stuart, Bishop of the Diocese was given to the above Ordinance on the **Twenty Eighth** day of **June 2018** in the Tenth year of our Consecration.



**PRESIDENT**