

**DIOCESAN SUPPORT FOR THE FACILITATION OF REDRESS ORDINANCE 2018****EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM**

This Ordinance varies the purposes of two diocesan trusts to enable funding of redress payments if required.

**THE ORDINANCE**

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Diocesan Support for the Facilitation of Redress Ordinance 2018.
2. The trust created by virtue of The Brenda Station Relief of Statutory and Authorised Charges Ordinance 1984, and enlarged by the Tyrrell Trusts Increase of the Diocesan Office Budget Expense Endowment Ordinance 2004 and The Tyrrell Trusts Increase of the Diocesan Office Budget Expense Endowment Ordinance 2005, is varied by the insertion of a new clause to read – “The Diocesan Council may by ordinary resolution apply the trust capital and/or income on that capital for the purpose of supporting people who when they were members of the Anglican Church of Australia within this Diocese or when they were associated with any parish, organisation or other entity associated with the Anglican Church of Australia within this Diocese, experienced abuse by a member or members of the clergy and/or church workers authorised for ministry or work within the Diocese of Newcastle and/or another lay person within a ministry environment within the Diocese of Newcastle”.
3. The trust created by virtue of the Tyrrell Trusts Increase and Adjustment of the Diocesan Budget Support Endowment Ordinance 2004 is varied by the insertion of a new clause to read – “The Diocesan Council may by ordinary resolution apply the trust capital and/or income on that capital for the purpose of supporting people who when they were members of the Anglican Church of Australia within this Diocese or when they were associated with any parish, organisation or other entity associated with the Anglican Church of Australia within this Diocese, experienced abuse by a member or members of the clergy and/or church workers authorised for ministry or work and/or another lay person within the Diocese of Newcastle and/or another lay person within a ministry environment within the Diocese of Newcastle”.