



**Royal Commission**  
into Institutional Responses  
to Child Sexual Abuse

**SCHEDULE B**

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	<i>Eg.1. Faithfulness in Service (2004)</i>	<i>October 2004</i>	<i>ASQ.261.004.001</i>			<i>Partially adopted in June 2007; all sections adopted per model, except for Financial Integrity section, which we tailored to fit our Diocese's corporate structure.</i>
1	Private Confession Report by the Clergy Discipline Working Group	March 2001	ANG.0134.016.0001		Presented at 12 <sup>th</sup> GS 2001, page 79 Book 4a (Reports) Resolution 24/01 in response to Report See 12 <sup>th</sup> GS 2001 Proceedings Book p.43	

<sup>1</sup> Please indicate, as appropriate:

- which General Synod model codes, policies, guidelines, protocols, canons and ordinances your Diocese has adopted
- your and/or your Diocese's response, if any, to those General Synod resolutions or reports recommending diocesan action, and
- any other information you consider relevant.

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2	General Synod Resolution 20/01: Child Protection Screening	21 July 2001	ANG.9310.010 01.0039 at 0039 (page 1)	Request by GS to Primate to establish a committee to consider the issue of child protection in the Church.	Letter 14 August 2001 from Bruce Kaye General Secretary to 'Bishops/Registrars enclosing 'text of the resolution of GS which highlights action called for from the dioceses'.	Committee was formed
3	General Synod Resolution 21/01: Child Protection Screening	22 July 2001	ANG.9310.010 01.0039 at 0039 (page 1)	GS request that each diocese in States other than NSW institute or maintain a system of screening of all persons who work with children	Letter 14 August 2001 from Bruce Kaye, General Secretary to Bishops/Registrars" enclosing "text of the resolution of the General synod which highlight action called for from the dioceses."	Implemented
4	General Synod Resolution 22/01: Child Protection Training	22 July 2001	ANG.9310.010 01.0039 at 0039 (page 1)	GS request that each diocesan bishop take steps to ensure that the training of ordinands and lay leaders and POT for clergy includes instruction upon issues of human sexuality, abuse of people generally and sexual abuse of children in particular and the hearing of private confessions	Letter 14 August 2001 from Bruce Kaye, General Secretary to "Bishops/Registrars" enclosing "text of the resolution of the General synod which highlight action called for from the dioceses."	Implemented. Diocese is currently a member of the Safe Churches Training Agreement of the National Council of Churches. A number of workshops are held annually.
5	Making Our Church Safe: A Program For Action - Report of the Child Protection Committee	25 June 2004	ANG.0134.020 .0001	Report received.	Presented at 13th General Synod 2004 Pages 2A.1-116 Book 3b (Professional Standards)  Resolution 33/04 in response to Report – see 13th General	

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6	General Synod Resolution 33/04: Child Protection – 1	4 October 2004	ANG.9310.010 01.0039 at 0040 (page 2)	GS 2004 adopted as the Church's Safe Ministry Policy Statement as in resolution 33/04	No record of distribution of resolutions requiring diocesan action post General Synod 2004.  Resolution recorded in 13th General Synod 2004 Proceedings Book (p 38)	
7	General Synod Resolution 34/04: Child Protection – 2	4 October 2004	ANG.9310.010 01.0039 at 0041-0042 (pages 3-4)	GS reappointed the Child Protection Committee and requested it to fulfil the functions of the Professional Standards Commission until its establishment, referring 14 specific tasks.	Resolution recorded in 13th General Synod 2004 Proceedings Book (p 39)	
8	General Synod Resolution 35/04: Child Protection – 3	4 October 2004	ANG.9310.010 01.0039 at 0043-0044 (pages 5-6)	GS recommendation that each diocese, parish and church organization adopt the Church's Safe Ministry Policy Statement and develops and implements safe ministry policies and structures + 13 specified tasks	Resolution recorded in 13th General Synod 2004 Proceedings Book (p 40-42)	Implemented
9	General Synod Resolution 36/04: Child Protection – 4	4 October 2004	ANG.9310.010 01.0039 at 0045-0046 (pages 7-8)	GS commended NCCA for organizing a national ecumenical consultation that recommended NCCA facilitate where feasible joint action by member churches and other Australian churches to promote the physical, emotional and spiritual welfare and safety of all people within their communities etc + recommendations to State Territory and CW Govts etc.	Resolution recorded in 13th General Synod 2004 Proceedings Book (p 42)	

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10	General Synod Resolution 38/04: Apology for Sexual Abuse	4 October 2004	ANG.9310.010 01.0039 at 0047 (page 9)	GS issued, on behalf of the whole Anglican Church in Australia, an apology for sexual abuse and committed the Church to listen to survivors of abuse and to deal appropriately, transparently and fairly with those accused of abuse and negligence.	Resolution recorded in 13th General Synod 2004 Proceedings Book (p 43)	
11	General Synod Resolution 54/04: Model Professional Standards Ordinance – 1	6 October 2004	ANG.9310.010 01.0039 at 0047 (page 9)	GS urged all Diocesan Synods to pass the model Professional Standards Ordinance and amendments suggested from time to time by the Standing Committee or implement equivalent provisions.	Resolution recorded in 13th General Synod 2004 Proceedings Book (p 44)	Deferred. See schedule A and answer to question 23
12	General Synod Resolution 55/04: Model Professional Standards Ordinance – 2	6 October 2004	ANG.9310.010 01.0039 at 0047 (page 9)	GS requested the PSC to review the model ordinance in the light of the Board of Inquiry into sexual abuse in the Diocese of Adelaide and any other relevant reports in consultation with the Church Law Commission	Resolution recorded in 13th General Synod 2004 Proceedings Book (page 44)	
13	Model Professional Standards Ordinance at 2004	2004	ANG.9310.010 01.0193		Presented at 13th General Synod 2004 Pages 3D.1-16 Book 3b (Professional Standards)  Resolution 54/04 in response to model ordinance – see 13th General Synod 2004 Proceedings Book (page 44)	

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14	General Synod Resolution 59/04: Faithfulness in Service	7 October 2004	ANG.9310.010 01.0039 at 0047 (page 9)	GS approved "Faithfulness in Service as the code of conduct for observance by Bishops.	Resolution recorded in 13th General Synod 2004 Proceedings Book (page 44)	In May 2004 the Diocesan Synod encouraged the Bishop to promulgate draft National Code for the Practice of Pastoral Ministry by Clergy and Church Workers released for discussion and comment in April 2004.
15	Faithfulness in Service (2004)	October 2004	ASQ.261.004.0001	As above	Presented at 13th General Synod 2004 Pages 2B.1-33 Book 3b (Professional Standards)  Resolution 59/04 in response to model ordinance – see 13th General Synod 2004 Proceedings Book (page 44)	Adopted by the Bishop of Gippsland in late 2004. In 2007, Synod adopted the fourth edition (October 2006) of <i>Faithfulness in Service</i> and authorised Bishop-in-Council to adopt any further editions released by General Synod.
16	Safe Ministry Check - Applicant	October 2004	ANG.0050.003 .0754		See 19	Implemented
17	Safe Ministry Check - Referee	October 2004	ANG.0134.007 .0001		See 19	Implemented

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18	Safe Ministry Check - Volunteers	July 2005	ANG.0134.008.0001		See 19	Implemented
19	Model System for Selection and Accreditation of Lay Parish Workers - Overview Document	October 2006	ANG.0050.003.0749		Approved at Standing Committee Oct 2006 2006/2/063 Package of documents nos 16 – 23 were approved as a whole – Overview document and 7 appendices.  Copy of correspondence circulating this resolution and resource materials to dioceses has not been located on GSO files. However, likely distribution in November 2006	Implemented
20	Sample List of Ministry Positions	October 2006	ANG.0134.005.0001		See 19	
21	Sample Ministry Position Template	October 2006	ANG.0134.006.0001		See 19	
22	Sample Questions Referee Checks	October 2006	ANG.0134.009.0001		See 19	
23	Selection Checklist	October 2006	ANG.0134.010.0001		See 19	
24	Guidelines for the Pastoral Supervision and	December 2006	ANG.0134.011.0001		Letter 18/12/2006 from Garth Blake, Chair of Professional Standards Commission to Registrars enclosing “the	Implemented

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	Support of Known and Suspected Sexual Abusers in Parishes				resource entitled Model Guidelines for the Pastoral Supervision and Support of Known and Suspected Sexual Abusers in Parishes ..... for national use”	
25	Model Parish Memorandum of Understanding for Known and Suspected Sexual Abusers	December 2006	ANG.0134.012.0001		As above	Implemented
26	Making our Church safe: A progress report and recommendations for action	26 June 2007	ANG.0134.021.0001		Presented at 14th General Synod 2007 Pages 98 Book 3a (Standing Committee Report)	
27	General Synod Resolution 52/07 – Faithfulness in Service and Codes of Personal Behaviour	October 2007	ANG.9310.010.01.0039 at 0048 (page 10)	Repeat of GS resolution 33/04 and 35/04 and in particular its standard expressed for clergy and church workers on sexual conduct that” you are to be chaste and not engage in sex outside marriage”.	Letter 4 March 2008 from Bruce McAteer, General Secretary to Registrars enclosing “resolutions which call for action by dioceses” Resolution recorded in 14th General Synod 2007 Proceedings Book (page 35)	Implemented
28	General Synod Resolution 65/07 – Professional	23 October 2007	ANG.9310.010.01.0039 at 0048-0049 (pages 10-11)	GS recommends that each diocese (a) has details on its website of professional standards policies	Letter 4 March 2008 from Bruce McAteer, General Secretary to Registrars enclosing “resolutions which call for action by dioceses” Resolution recorded	The Diocese has adopted most of the matters recommended by the General Synod 2007

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	Standards Commission – 1			<p>and procedures and a link to PS information on the website;</p> <p>(b) introduce a diocesan policy on selection and accreditation of lay parish workers who have opportunity to be a lone with a child in their ministry etc</p>	in 14th General Synod 2007 Proceedings Book (page 35)	<p>resolutions for consideration by Dioceses E.g. <i>Faithfulness in Service</i> has been adopted, clergy names are listed on the Diocesan website, safe ministry policies are being added to the new website.</p>
29	General Synod Resolution 66/07 – Professional Standards Commission – 2	23 October 2007	ANG.9310.010 01.0039 at 0049 (page 11)	<p>GS referred to the PSC development of principles for risk assessments arising from safe ministry checks, disclosure of information on the National Register, a simple English version of FiS, policies for identifying and dealing with abuse, resources for pastoral care of survivors and report to the next GS.</p>	Letter 4 March 2008 from Bruce McAteer, General Secretary to Registrars enclosing “resolutions which call for action by dioceses” Resolution recorded in 14th General Synod 2007 Proceedings Book (page 36)	
30	General Synod Resolution 67/07 – Professional Standards Commission – 3	23 October 2007	ANG.9310.010 01.0039 at 0049-0050 (pages 11-12)	<p>GS recommendations to G0vernments</p>	Letter 4 March 2008 from Bruce McAteer, General Secretary to Registrars enclosing “resolutions which call for action by dioceses” Resolution recorded in 14th General Synod 2007 Proceedings Book (peg 37)	
31	General Synod Resolution 68/07 – National	23 October 2007	ANG.9310.010 01.0039 at	<p>GS resolution approving the Protocol for provision of information for inclusion in the National Register.</p>	Letter 4 March 2008 from Bruce McAteer, General Secretary to Registrars enclosing “resolutions which call for action by dioceses” Resolution recorded	



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	Register Protocol 1		0050 (page 12)		in 14th General Synod 2007 Proceedings Book (page 37)	
32	General Synod Resolution 69/07 – National Register Protocol 2	23 October 2007	ANG.9310.010 01.0039 at 0050 (page 12)	<a href="#">GS approved Protocol for access to and disclosure of information in the NR.</a>	Letter 4 March 2008 from Bruce McAteer, General Secretary to Registrars enclosing “resolutions which call for action by dioceses” Resolution recorded in 14th General Synod 2007 Proceedings Book (peg 37)	
33	General Synod Resolution 70/07 – National Register Protocol 3	23 October 2007	ANG.9310.010 01.0039 at 0050-0051 (pages 12-13)	<a href="#">GS approved the Protocol to ascertain details of any information and access to what information in the NR.</a>	Letter 4 March 2008 from Bruce McAteer, General Secretary to Registrars enclosing “resolutions which call for action by dioceses” Resolution recorded in 14th General Synod 2007 Proceedings Book (page 37)	
34	General Synod Resolution 71/07 – National Register Protocol 4	23 October 2007	ANG.9310.010 01.0039 at 0051 (page 13)	<a href="#">GS approved the Protocol for amendment of information in the NR.</a>	Letter 4 March 2008 from Bruce McAteer, General Secretary to Registrars enclosing “resolutions which call for action by dioceses” Resolution recorded in 14th General Synod 2007 Proceedings Book (peg 38)	
35	General Synod Resolution 95/07 – Protocol for	25 October 2007	ANG.9310.010 01.0039 at	<a href="#">GS approved an addition to 69/07 enabling the DPS access to NR information concerning a priest to be consecrated in</a>	Letter 4 March 2008 from Bruce McAteer, General Secretary to Registrars enclosing “resolutions which call for	

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	Access (National Register Protocol 2)		0051 (page 13)	the diocese and disclosing information to the priest.	action by dioceses” Resolution recorded in 14th General Synod 2007 Proceedings Book (page 38)	
36	General Synod Resolution 118/07 – Internet Program for Safe Ministry Training	25 October 2007	ANG.9310.010 01.0039 at 0051 (page 13)	GS resolved that the SCGS consider implementing an internet based training program for safe ministry practices.	Letter 4 March 2008 from Bruce McAteer, General Secretary to Registrars enclosing “resolutions which call for action by dioceses” Resolution recorded in 14th General Synod 2007 Proceedings Book (page 38)	
37	General Synod Resolution 119/07 – National Register Information	26 October 2007	ANG.9310.010 01.0039 at 0051 (page 13)	GS requested SCGS to consider development of protocols for storage and retrieval of information removed from the NR in relation to deceased persons.	Letter 4 March 2008 from Bruce McAteer, General Secretary to Registrars enclosing “resolutions which call for action by dioceses” Resolution recorded in 14th General Synod 2007 Proceedings Book (page 38)	
38	National Register Canon 2007 - Canon 15, 2007	October 2007; as amended 2010 and 2014	ASQ.261.005.0182	Correct statement of date of enactment and amendments.	Circulated after 14th session of General Synod 2007.  Amendments in 2010 and 2014 distributed in updated “Green Book” - Constitution, Canons and Rules of General Synod”.	
39	National Register Protocol 1 - Protocol for	October 2007; as amended	ANG.0134.002 .0001		As for the National Register Canon 2007	

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	provision of Information for inclusion in the National Register 2007	d July 2014				
40	National Register Protocol 2 - Protocol for access to and disclosure of Information in the National Register 2007	October 2007; as amended November 2014	ANG.0134.003.0001		As for the National Register Canon 2007	
41	National Register Protocol 3 - Protocol to ascertain details of any Information and access to that Information in the National Register 2007	October 2007	ANG.0134.004.0001		As for the National Register Canon 2007	
42	National Register Protocol 4 - Protocol for amendment of Information in the	October 2007	ANG.9310.010.01.0609		As for the National Register Canon 2007	

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	National Register 2007					
43	Episcopal Standards Canon 2007	2007	ANG.9310.010 01.0556		Letter 4 March 2008 from Bruce McAteer, General Secretary to Registrars enclosing "Canons which call for action in the diocese"	See 71
44	Model Professional Standards Ordinance at 2008	February 2008	ANG.9310.010 01.0303		Amendments approved at Standing Committee February 2008 Resolution: 2008/01/60  Copy of correspondence circulating this resolution and the model ordinance to dioceses has not been located on GSO files. However, likely distribution in February or March 2008.	
45	Guidelines for Parish Safety where there is a risk of Sexual Abuse by a Person of concern	October 2009	ANG.0038.003 .0469		Approved at Standing Committee October 2009 Resolution: SC2009/3/039  Letter 26 October 2009 from Martin Drevikovsky, General Secretary to "Bishops, Registrars and PSD's" enclosing revised guidelines.	Implemented
46	Guidelines for Dioceses Undertaking Risk Assessments relating to Sexual Abuse	October 2009	ANG.0134.013 .0001		Approved by Standing Committee in October 2009 SC2009/3/39 Copy of correspondence circulating guidelines to dioceses has not been located on GSO files.	Implemented

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					Letter 1 August 2013 from Martin Drevikovsky, General Secretary to "Bishops and PSD's" enclosing "updated" 2009 guidelines.	
47	Principles for a scheme which provides pastoral care and assistance to those who have been sexually abused by clergy or Church workers	October 2009	ANG.0134.014.0001		Circular Letter 30 October 2009 from Martin Drevikovsky, General Secretary to "Diocesan Bishops Registrars and PSDs" recommending pastoral care and assistance principles.	Implemented
48	General Synod Resolution 24/10 – Community welfare and safety and a uniform legislation for the protection of children	18 September 2010	ANG.9310.01001.0039 at 0052 (page 14)	<a href="#">GS resolution that State and Territory Govts enact uniform laws providing for reporting of child abuse to the police and the govt child protection authorities and for the, screening of all persons seeking to work with children in a paid or voluntary capacity</a>	Letter 15 March 2011 from Martin Drevikovsky, General Secretary to "Diocesan Bishops and Registrars" enclosing "a list of the substantive motions of 15th session of General Synod"  Resolution recorded in 15th General Synod 2010 Proceedings Book (page 45)	
49	General Synod Resolution 95/10 – Professional Standards	22 September 2010	ANG.9310.01001.0039 at 0053 (page 15)	<a href="#">GS resolution adopted the report of the PSC and recommended that each diocese adopts the policy of disclosure of information on the NR to the appropriate person before appointing persons to an</a>	Letter 15 March 2011 from Martin Drevikovsky, General Secretary to "Diocesan Bishops and Registrars" enclosing "a list of the substantive	

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				office or position involving ministry with children, disciplinary functions or giving advice or making policy on professional standards matters, ensure the name and contact details of clergy licensed to hear confessions in cases of child sexual abuse are readily available inc. in the diocesan year book and referred to PSC the development of policy for the use of technology in pastoral communications from consideration of the GSSC and the consideration of whether screening for cybersex should be included in the <i>Safe Ministry Check forms</i> and preparation of amendments to those forms, preparation of a statement of expectations re behaviour of lay members of the Church for consideration at the next GS; the development of benchmarks for safe ministry training after seeking advice from dioceses about their expectations and experience of safe ministry training for consideration by the SCGS; and report to next GS on progress of the Church in the development and implementation of safe ministry policies and structures.	motions of 15th session of General Synod”  Resolution recorded in 15th General Synod 2010 Proceedings Book (page 44)	
50	Private Confession Pastoral Guidelines with	March 2011	ANG.0134.015 .0001		Bishop’s Protocol 14/2011 agreed to at Annual Bishop Conference in March 2011, replacing Protocol 8 /2006.	Implemented

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	Special Reference to Child Sexual Abuse					
51	Safe Ministry Training Benchmarks	November 2011	ANG.0134.017.0001		Circular Letter 15 December 2011 from Martin Drevikovsky, General Secretary to "Diocesan Bishops and Registrars and PSDs" enclosing 1. The Path to Safer Ministry – Roadmap of Professional Standards Documents 2. National Benchmark for Safe Ministry Training	Implemented
52	Faithfulness in Service (2011)	November 2011; as amended in 2005 and 2006	ASQ.204.005.0586		Approved by Standing Committee in November 2011 – definition of bullying amended SC2011/2/33  Copy of correspondence circulating updated document to dioceses has not been located on GSO files	Implemented
53	A Process for the Comprehensive Psychological Assessment of Candidates for Ordination	November 2012	ANG.0134.018.0001		Approved by Standing Committee in November 2012 Resolution: SC2012/2/29  Circular Letter 12 December 2012 from Martin Drevikovsky, General Secretary to "Diocesan Bishops and PSDs" recommending process "as a resource for dioceses".	Implemented

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54	Curriculum for Training of Members of Professional Standards, Committees and Boards	May 2014	ANG.0134.019.0001		Noted by Standing Committee in May 2014 Resolution: SC2014/1/28  Circular Letter 26 May 2014 from Martin Drevikovsky, General Secretary to "Diocesan Bishops and PSDs and Director ESC" recommending revised curriculum "as a resource for dioceses".	Implemented
55	Professional Standards Case Summary Form	Undated	ANG.0134.022.0001		Approved by Standing Committee in October 2009 Resolution: SC2009/3/037  Circular Letter 30 October 2009 from Martin Drevikovsky, General Secretary to "Diocesan Bishops Registrars and PSDs" recommending noting the standard case summary form in use.	Implemented
56	Reporting Historical Child Sexual Abuse to the Police	March 2012	ANG.9310.010.01.0132		Approved by Standing Committee in May 2012 Resolution: SC2012/1/37  Circular Letter 22 May 2012 from Martin Drevikovsky, General Secretary to "Diocesan Bishops and PSDs" recommending the document "as a resource for dioceses"	Implemented
57	Working Group on Royal Commission into Institutional	2013	TRIN.0001.001.3859		Circular Letter dated 5 April 2013 from Martin Drevikovsky to Bishops, Registrars, PSDs and other Anglican entities seeking response to	<i>Please produce your response to this</i>



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	Responses to Child Sexual Abuse National Review of Policies and Procedures to Prevent and Respond to Child Sexual Abuse				questionnaire. – online response from 24 April 2015.	<i>questionnaire, or advise if not completed.</i>  Unable to locate any response at this stage.
58	Special Tribunal Canon 2007	2007; as amended 2010 and 2014	ANG.0134.023.0001		2014 amendments passed at 16th session of General Synod 2014. Came into force 4 July 2014.  Amendments in 2010 and 2014 distributed in updated “Green Book” - Constitution, Canons and Rules of General Synod”.	Adopted
59	The Path to Safer Ministry	Undated	ANG.0134.024.0001		Circular Letter 15 December 2011 from Martin Drevikovsky, General Secretary to “Diocesan Bishops and Registrars and PSDs” enclosing 3. The Path to Safer Ministry – Roadmap of Professional Standards Documents 4. National Benchmark for Safe Ministry Training	Implemented
60	General Synod Resolution 22/14 – The Charter for the Safety of People within the Churches of the	30 June 2014	ANG.0135.001.0001 at 0001 (page 56)	<a href="#">GS resolution to adopt the Charter for the Safety of People within the Churches of the Anglican Communion.</a>	Letter 28 July 2014 from Martin Drevikovsky, General Secretary to Bishops, Administrators and Registrars enclosing “a compilation of resolutions of the 16th session of the General Synod ”	

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	Anglican Communion				Resolution recorded in 16th General Synod 2014 Proceedings Book (page 56)	
61	General Synod Resolution 23/14 – Child Protection Measures	30 June 2014	ANG.0135.001.0001 at 0002 (page 57)	GS resolution recommends to the CW Government promote a national system that provides for: mandatory reporting of child sexual abuse by persons including ministers of religion to the police and the govt child protection authorities; the screening of all persons seeking to work with children in a paid or voluntary capacity; the mutual recognition of clearances for person to work with children in all States and Territories.	Letter 28 July 2014 from Martin Drevikovsky, General Secretary to Bishops, Administrators and Registrars enclosing “a compilation of resolutions of the 16th session of the General Synod ”  Resolution recorded in 16th General Synod 2014 Proceedings Book (page 57)	
62	General Synod Resolution 37A/14 – Launch of Faithfulness in Service DVD	1 July 2014	ANG.0135.001.0001 at 0002 (page 57)	Launch if FiS DVD – a resource for clergy and church workers.	Letter 28 July 2014 from Martin Drevikovsky, General Secretary to Bishops, Administrators and Registrars enclosing “a compilation of resolutions of the 16th session of the General Synod ”  Resolution recorded in 16th General Synod 2014 Proceedings Book (p 57)	
63	General Synod Resolution 39/14 – Professional Standards Audit	1 July 2014	ANG.0135.001.0001 at 0002-0003 (pages 57-58)	GS resolution that each diocese conduct a regular audit of the implementation of its professional standards and safe ministry policies and procedures, noted that National Bishops’ meeting resolved to support the participation of their dioceses in a professional standards audit process	Letter 28 July 2014 from Martin Drevikovsky, General Secretary to Bishops, Administrators and Registrars enclosing “a compilation of resolutions of the 16th session of the General Synod ”	Review completed

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				that aims at continuing quality improvement, recommended that each diocese implements a professional standards audit process that continues the following elements: Bp informs Gen Secy of request for audit, Gen Secy liaises with the Bp and engages an auditor and makes the necessary arrangements, the auditor visits the diocese and conducts the audit, the auditor reports to the Bp and Diocesan Council which may include recommendations for further action, diocese may invite auditor to assist implementing and recommendations and review progress and the Bp sends a copy of the report to the Gen Secy with 4 months.	Resolution recorded in 16th General Synod 2014 Proceedings Book (page 57-58)	
64	General Synod Resolution 41/14 – Safe Ministry Policies and Practices	2 July 2014	ANG.0135.001 .0001 at 0003 (page 58)	GS received the Report of the PSC and requested the PSC to prepare a report identifying barriers to change in the areas of safe ministry and professional standards in the Church and strategies to address them, to consult with the Primate re preparing pastoral guidelines for private confession with special reference to child sexual abuse and to report to the next GS.	Letter 28 July 2014 from Martin Drevikovsky, General Secretary to Bishops, Administrators and Registrars enclosing “a compilation of resolutions of the 16th session of the General Synod ”  Resolution recorded in 16th General Synod 2014 Proceedings Book (page 58)	

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65	General Synod Resolution 45/14 – <i>Being Together</i>	2 July 2014	ANG.0135.001 .0001 at 0004 (page 59)	<i>GS resolution to adopt <i>Being Together</i> as the statement of expectations re behaviour of members of Church communities, authorized the revision of <i>Being Together</i> by SCGS subject to any proposed revision being sent to dioceses for comment before being made, directed SCGS to table <i>BT</i> as the statement of expectations re behaviour of members of Church communities in the diocese.</i>	Letter 28 July 2014 from Martin Drevikovsky, General Secretary to Bishops, Administrators and Registrars enclosing “a compilation of resolutions of the 16th session of the General Synod ”  Resolution recorded in 16th General Synod 2014 Proceedings Book (page 45)	
66	<i>Being Together: Expectations of behavior in our church community</i>	July 2014	ANG.0136.001 .0001		Presented at 16th General Synod 2014 page 5-057 Book 5 (Reports of General Synod Bodies)  Resolution 45/14 at 16th Session General Synod 2014.	
67	General Synod Resolution 46/14 – <i>Faithfulness in Service</i>	2 July 2014	ANG.0135.001 .0001 at 0004 (page 59)	<i>GS resolved to direct the SCGS to table any further revision of FIS at the next GS.</i>	Letter 28 July 2014 from Martin Drevikovsky, General Secretary to Bishops, Administrators and Registrars enclosing “a compilation of resolutions of the 16th session of the General Synod ”  Resolution recorded in 16th General Synod 2014 Proceedings Book (page 59)	
68	General Synod Resolution 47/14 – Model Episcopal	2 July 2014	ANG.0135.001 .0001 at 0004-0005 (pages 59-60)	<i>GS resolution: Commended for enactment by every diocese the proposed Model Episc. Standards Ordinance, requested that where a diocese enacts or proposes to enact an ordinance that departs in any</i>	Letter 28 July 2014 from Martin Drevikovsky, General Secretary to Bishops, Administrators and Registrars enclosing “a compilation of resolutions	<i>Under review for consideration by the Diocesan Synod</i>

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	Standards Ordinance			matter of substance from the Model, the SCGS be notified of the proposal or enactment and requested the SCGS to appoint a group to review such notifications, to discuss, where appropriate, the proposal or enactment and where appropriate, to make recommendations for amendment of the Model.	of the 16th session of the General Synod ”  Resolution recorded in 16th General Synod 2014 Proceedings Book (page 59-60)	
69	General Synod Resolution 48/14 – Offences Canon 1962	2 July 2014	ANG.0135.001 .0001 at 0005 (page 60)	GS resolution to ask the Church Law Commission to review the provisions of the <i>Offences Canon 1962</i> and to report to the next GS with respect to any proposed amendments.	Letter 28 July 2014 from Martin Drevikovsky, General Secretary to Bishops, Administrators and Registrars enclosing “a compilation of resolutions of the 16th session of the General Synod ”  Resolution recorded in 16th General Synod 2014 Proceedings Book (page 60)	
70	General Synod Resolution 49/14 – Section 56(6) of the Constitution	2 July 2014	ANG.0135.001 .0001 at 0005 (page 60)	GS resolution to ask the Church Law Commission to prepare legislation for the next GS to remove the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Bishops from the operation of s. 56(6) of the Constitution [i.e. remove them from the jurisdiction of the Special Tribunal]	Letter 28 July 2014 from Martin Drevikovsky, General Secretary to Bishops, Administrators and Registrars enclosing “a compilation of resolutions of the 16th session of the General Synod ”  Resolution recorded in 16th General Synod 2014 Proceedings Book (page 60)	
71	General Synod Resolution 50/14 – Episcopal	2 July 2014	ANG.0135.001 .0001 at 0005 (page 60)	GS resolution to request the SCGS to promote legislation for the next GS to repeal the <i>Episcopal Standards Canon</i>	Letter 28 July 2014 from Martin Drevikovsky, General Secretary to Bishops, Administrators and Registrars enclosing “a compilation of resolutions	Under review for consideration by the Diocesan Synod

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	Standards Canon 2007			<a href="#">2007 and enact an Epis. Stds Ordinance, with appropriate modifications, applicable to a Bp assistant to the Primate in his or her capacity as such.</a>	of the 16th session of the General Synod ”  Resolution recorded in 16th General Synod 2014 Proceedings Book (page 60)	
72	Model Episcopal Standards Ordinance	July 2014 (as amended November 2014)	ANG.0136.001 .0002		Letter 28 July 2014 from Martin Drevikovsky, General Secretary to Bishops, Administrators and Registrars enclosing “a compilation of resolutions of the 16th session of the General Synod ”  Resolution recorded in 16th General Synod 2014 Proceedings Book (page 59-60)	
73	General Synod Resolution 51/14 – Register of Persons willing and able to be appointed to Professional Standards Roles	2 July 2014	ANG.0135.001 .0001 at 0006 (page 61)	<a href="#">GS resolution that the SCGS be requested and authorized to prepare and maintain a register of person who are willing and able to be appointed to the diocesan positions of Director, member of ES c’tee, ES Board, DPS, member of PS c’tee or Board or Review Board.</a>	Letter of 28 July 2014 from Martin Drevikovsky, General Secretary to Bishops, Administrators and Registrars enclosing “a compilation of resolutions of the 16th session of the General Synod ”  Resolution recorded in 16th General Synod 2014 Proceedings Book (page 61)	