



Parochial Registers and Records Measure 1978

1978 No. 2

Miscellaneous

19 Disposal of register books and records on dissolution of parish, etc.

- (1) Where a parish is dissolved by a pastoral scheme, whether in consequence of a union of parishes or otherwise, then, subject to the provisions of that scheme, the register books belonging to that parish and any records in parochial custody therein shall be dealt with in such manner as the bishop of the diocese concerned may direct.
- (2) ^{F1}... Where a church within the meaning of the ^{M1}Pastoral Measure 1968 ceases to be used as such, whether by reason of a declaration of redundancy, demolition or otherwise, then, unless the bishop of the diocese in which that church is otherwise directs or any pastoral scheme otherwise provides, the register books and records kept in or relating to that church shall be deposited in the diocesan record office for the diocese or part thereof in which the church is situated.
- (3) Subsections (1) and (2) above are without prejudice to the power of the bishop of the diocese referred to therein to make an order under section 12 of this Measure with respect to such books or records, and section 13 thereof, with the omission of subsection (3), shall apply in relation to any such books or records which in compliance with the direction of the bishop have been deposited in a place which is not a diocesan record office.
- (4) ^{F2}

Textual Amendments

- F1** Words in s. 19(2) omitted (4.5.2021) by virtue of [The Registration of Marriages Regulations 2021 \(S.I. 2021/411\)](#), reg. 1(2), **Sch. 1 para. 57(2)** (with Sch. 2)
- F2** S. 19(4) repealed by [Pastoral Measure 1983 \(No. 1, SIF 21:4\)](#), s. 93, **Sch. 9**

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Marginal Citations

M1 1968 No. 1.

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