



# Welsh Church Act 1914

1914 CHAPTER 91 4 and 5 Geo 5

## PART II

### WELSH COMMISSIONERS AND REPRESENTATIVE BODY

#### *Constitution of Representative Body*

#### **13 Power to hold synods and constitute representative body.**

- (1) Nothing in any Act, law, or custom shall prevent the bishops, clergy, and laity of the Church in Wales from holding synods or electing representatives thereto, or from framing, either by themselves or by their representatives elected in such manner as they think fit, constitutions and regulations for the general management and good government of the Church in Wales and the property and affairs thereof, whether as a whole or according to dioceses, and the future representation of members thereof in a general synod or in diocesan synods, or otherwise.
- (2) If at any time it is shown to the satisfaction of His Majesty the King that the said bishops, clergy, and laity have appointed any persons to represent them, and hold property for any of their uses and purposes, His Majesty in Council may by charter incorporate such persons (in this Act referred to as the representative body), . . . <sup>F1</sup>

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#### **Textual Amendments**

**F1** Words repealed by [Charities Act 1960 \(c. 58\)](#), [Sch. 7 Pt. II](#)

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Welsh Church Act 1914, Cross  
Heading: Constitution of Representative Body.