



Safeguarding and Clergy Discipline Measure 2016

2016 No. 1

Safeguarding children and vulnerable adults

5 Guidance

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(3) In section 8(1) of the Clergy Discipline Measure 2003 (acts or omissions constituting misconduct)—

(a) after paragraph (a) insert—

“(aa) failing to comply with the duty under section 5 of the Safeguarding and Clergy Discipline Measure 2016 (duty to have due regard to House of Bishops' guidance on safeguarding children and vulnerable adults);”, and

(b) in paragraph (b), after “failing to do any” insert “ other ”.

(4) In Part 2 of the Church Representation Rules (parochial church meetings and councils), in rule 9 (business), after paragraph (2) insert—

“(2A) The annual report referred to in paragraph (1)(b) shall include a statement as to whether the council has complied with the duty under section 5 of the Safeguarding and Clergy Discipline Measure 2016 (duty to have due regard to House of Bishops' guidance on safeguarding children and vulnerable adults).”

Textual Amendments

F1 [S. 5\(1\)-\(2A\)](#) repealed (1.3.2022) by [Safeguarding \(Code of Practice\) Measure 2021 \(No. 3\)](#), **ss. 2(1), 3(3)**; [S.I. 2022/118](#), **art. 2** (with [art. 3\(1\)\(3\)](#))

Changes to legislation: There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Safeguarding and Clergy Discipline Measure 2016, Section 5. (See end of Document for details)

Commencement Information

II S. 5 in force at 1.10.2016 by [S.I. 2016/938](#), **art. 2**

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