



# Cathedrals Measure 2021

2021 No. 2

*Governing instruments, etc.*

PROSPECTIVE

## 7 Statutes

- (1) The statutes must make provision for the good government of the cathedral; and the provision which may be so made includes in particular—
  - (a) provision for the creation, continuance, abolition, suspension or termination of suspension of a dignity, office or body in the cathedral and for the title by which a dignity or office is to be known;
  - (b) provision that the power of presentation or nomination to a benefice in the patronage of the cathedral is exercisable by the Chapter or a patronage committee of the Chapter;
  - (c) if the whole of the cathedral is a parish church, provision that only part of the cathedral is to be the parish church;
  - (d) if part of the cathedral is a parish church, provision that the whole cathedral or another part of it is to be the parish church.
- (2) The statutes must include provision as to the functions of the chief officers.
- (3) The statutes must include provision for the establishment of a group concerned with the management of the cathedral (see section 19).
- (4) The statutes must include provision for the fostering of the corporate and spiritual life of the Chapter and its members.
- (5) The statutes may include consequential, supplementary, incidental or transitional provision.
- (6) Provision made in the statutes must be consistent with this Measure and with the constitution.
- (7) A reference in this Measure to the statutes in relation to a cathedral is—

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- (a) in relation to times before the commencement under section 53(3) of certain provisions of this Measure in relation to that cathedral, a reference to the statutes of the cathedral, and
- (b) in relation to times after that commencement, a reference to the statutes of the Chapter.

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**Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Measure associated Parts and Chapters:**

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Measure (including any effects on those provisions):

- s. 24(7A) inserted by [2022 c. 6 Sch. 2 para. 20](#)