

Statute 752

The Title B Canon XXXIV Amendment Statute, 2018

Whereas, General Synod/Te Hīnota Whānui in 2012 passed Statute 700 to revise Title B Canon XXXIV establishing a Three Tikanga Social Justice Commission and Commissioner, and

Whereas, General Synod/Te Hīnota Whānui in 2014 passed Motion 26 asking General Synod Standing Committee to establish a small working group to ‘review the current canonical structure and propose legislation to General Synod/ Te Hīnota Whānui 2016 to enact a revised structure,’ and

Whereas, that small working group consulted and reported back with a proposal for a revised structure to General Synod/Te Hīnota Whānui 2016, and

Whereas, General Synod/Te Hīnota Whānui 2016 suspended Parts 1-3 of the Canon, and added a Part 4 requiring The Standing Committee of the General Synod/Te Hīnota Whānui to act as the Commission until General Synod/Te Hīnota Whānui in 2018, and

Whereas, The Standing Committee of the General Synod/Te Hīnota Whānui has established a Social Justice Unit Advisory Group as a trial model for overseeing Social Justice Work, and piloted various programmes and projects, and seeks an extension to further develop this model,

The General Synod/te Hīnota Whānui enacts as follows:

1. **Title.** The Title of this Statute is ‘*The Title B Canon XXXIV Amendment Statute 2018*’
2. **Purpose.** To extend the 2016 suspension of Parts of Title B Canon XXXIV, and to amend Part 4.
- 3a. Title B Canon XXXIV Parts 1-3 are further suspended until General Synod/Te Hīnota Whānui 2020.
- 3b. Part 4 is amended to read:

The Standing Committee of the General Synod/Te Hīnota Whānui shall act as the Commission until General Synod/Te Hīnota Whānui in 2020.
4. **Commencement.** This Statute comes into effect at the close of the session of General Synod/ te Hīnota Whānui at which it is passed.

We certify that this Statute was passed by the General Synod/ te Hīnota Whānui on 10 May 2018. As witnessed by our hands ... June 2018.



W Halapua
Primate and Archbishop



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