

**CHURCH OF IRELAND – GENERAL SYNOD 2020  
MOTIONS**

**TIMETABLE (SEE PAGE 2)**

**Proposer: The Honorary Secretaries**

A motion or motions to allocate the time available between the items listed on the agenda paper (Standing Order 56). (See Timetable Motion on p. 2).

**STANDING ORDERS**

**Proposer: The Honorary Secretaries (on behalf of the Standing Orders Committee)**

That Standing Order 4 (a) shall be amended by the deletion of the words “by post” and that Standing Order 4 (b) shall be amended by the deletion of the words “by post.”

**REPRESENTATIVE CHURCH BODY - ALLOCATIONS**

**Proposer: Canon GC Richards**

**Seconder: Rt Rev Andrew Forster**

That the General Synod hereby authorises the Representative Body to make the following allocations from General Funds in 2020:

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A.Maintenance of the stipendiary ministry	
• Episcopal costs	859,975
• Chaplaincy costs	289,936
• Miscellaneous	98,661
B.Pension related costs	109,700
C.Training of ordinands	1,211,364
D.General Synod activities	1,050,936
E.Miscellaneous	16,047
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**JOURNAL OF THE GENERAL SYNOD**

**Proposer: The Honorary Secretaries**

That the Honorary Secretaries of the General Synod be instructed to publish with as little delay as possible, the Journal of the Proceedings of the General Synod during this session, with such , with such appendices as they think expedient.

**MOTION NO. 1 – THE HONORARY SECRETARIES (WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE PRESIDENT)**

That in accordance with Standing Order 56, the time available under Standing Order 3 be allocated as follows:

**FIRST DAY**

11am President takes the chair  
Reading from Holy Scripture and Prayer  
List of members of the General Synod to be laid on the table  
Reports of committees of the Synod to be laid on the table (SO 46)  
to President's Address  
Nomination of an Assessor by the President  
Election of Honorary Secretary  
Motion No. 1 (Timetable)  
Motion No. 2 (Standing Orders) [to alter SO 4a so that notice of meeting of  
GS may be sent to each member by email rather than only by post]  
1pm Answers to requests for information (if any) (SO 51)  
**Report of the Bills Committee**  
Bills No. 1 to 2

2.30 **Report of the Representative Church Body** (not less than 2 hours,  
inclusive of related motions, unless Synod directs otherwise)  
to (Including reports of the Church of Ireland Clergy Pensions Trustee DAC and  
the Church of Ireland Pensions Board)  
4.30pm Motion No. 3 – Allocations

**SECOND DAY**

2.30-5pm Reading from Holy Scripture and Prayer  
Formal business and communications  
Answers to requests for information (if any) (SO 51)  
**Report of the Standing Committee** (not less than 2 hours, inclusive of  
related motions, unless Synod directs otherwise)

7pm-9pm Bills No. 1 to 2: Further stage as ordered on the first day (**if applicable**)  
**Motion No. 4 (Journal of the General Synod)** (not more than 5 minutes)