

BILL NO. 2

Explanatory Memorandum

In 2017, the General Synod approved, by the requisite majorities, a resolution granting leave for the introduction of this Bill and accompanying Schedule in 2018.

The Bill provides for the authorisation of use of Collects of the Word as part of An Order for Morning and Evening Prayer for Use on Sunday as set out in the schedule to the Bill.

The intention of providing Collects of the Word is to address in prayer the readings of the day used in An Order for Morning and Evening Prayer for Use on Sunday.

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BILL

(at the request of the General Synod)

To provide for the authorisation of use of Collects of the Word as part of An Order for Morning and Evening Prayer for Use on Sundays

WHEREAS it is desirable to provide for the authorisation of use of Collects of the Word as part of An Order for Morning and Evening Prayer for Use on Sunday;

BE IT ENACTED by the Archbishops and Bishops and the clergy and laity of the Church of Ireland in General Synod assembled in Armagh in the year 2018 and by the authority of the same as follows:

That the Collects of the Word as set out in the Schedule be authorised for use as part of An Order for Morning and Evening Prayer for Use on Sunday.

Schedule to Bill No. 2

On receipt of the information that copyright permission had not been granted for all the Collects in the Schedule, the Bills Committee and the Assessor recommended that the leave of Synod to withdraw Bill No. 2 should be sought. For that reason, the Schedule (pp.17-42) is not printed as part of the Bills Pamphlet.