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Received Royal Assent:	*31 July 1880*
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AN ACT to amend the Law as to the Church and Clergy.

Preliminary

1 Short title

This Act may be cited as "The Church Act, 1880".

2 Interpretation

In this Act, if not inconsistent with the context, the following words and expressions have the meanings hereinafter respectively assigned to them (that is to say) —

"**The Commissioners**" means the Church Commissioners incorporated by this Act:

"**the Diocesan Synod**" [Repealed][1]

"**the Ecclesiastical Committee**" [Repealed][2]

"**Benefice**" includes all rectories, vicarages, parochial or ecclesiastical districts or chapelries, endowed chapels and curacies, and all ecclesiastical offices or preferment declared by this Act to be benefices:

"**Patron**" [Repealed][3]

"**Bishop**" means the Bishop of Sodor and Man:

"**Archdeacon**" means the Archdeacon of this Isle:

"**Incumbent**" means the spiritual person holding any benefice:

"**Seatholders**" [Repealed][4]

"**Ecclesiastical District**" [Repealed][5]

"**Registrar**" [Repealed][6]

"**Registry**" [Repealed][7]

"**Order in Council**" [Repealed][8]

3 [Repealed][9]

4 to 8 [Repealed][10]

9 [Repealed][11]

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31 [Repealed][13]

Rural Deaneries

32 [Repealed][14]

33 Bishop to appoint rural deans

The appointment of rural deans of the several rural deaneries within the diocese shall be vested in the Bishop.

34 [Repealed][15]

Miscellaneous

35 [Repealed][16]

36 [Repealed][17]

37 [Repealed][18]

38 [Substitutes section 6 of the *Ecclesiastical Persons Act 1843*.]

39 [Repealed][19]

40 [Repealed][20]

41 to 42 [Repealed][21]

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Table of Legislation History

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[1] Definition of "Diocesan Synod" repealed by SD254/94.
[2] Definition of "Ecclesiastical Committee" repealed by SD254/94.
[3] Definition of "Patron" repealed by SD254/94.
[4] Definition of "Seatholders" repealed by SD254/94.
[5] Definition of "Ecclesiastical District" repealed by SD254/94.
[6] Definition of "Registrar" repealed by SD254/94.
[7] Definition of "Registry" repealed by SD254/94.
[8] Definition of "Order in Council" repealed by Church Act 1983 Sch 2.
[9] S 3 repealed by Church Act 1983 Sch 2.
[10] Ss 4 to 8 repealed by Church Act 1992 Sch 7.
[11] S 9 repealed by Statutory Boards Act 1987 Sch 4.
[12] Ss 10 to 30 repealed by GC131/90.
[13] S 31 repealed by Church Act 1983 Sch 2.
[14] S 32 repealed by SD254/94.
[15] S 34 repealed by SD254/94.
[16] S 35 repealed by Church Act 1983 Sch 2.
[17] S 36 repealed by GC131/90.
[18] S 37 repealed by Church Act 1992 Sch 7.
[19] S 39 repealed by GC131/90.
[20] S 40 repealed by SD260/95.
[21] Ss 41 to 42 repealed by Church Act 1992 Sch 7.
[22] Sch repealed by Church Act 1983 Sch 2.