

*Redundant Church*



**At the Court at Buckingham Palace**  
**THE 31ST DAY OF OCTOBER 1990**

**PRESENT,**

**THE QUEEN'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY**  
**IN COUNCIL**

Whereas the Church Commissioners have duly submitted for confirmation by Her Majesty in Council the Scheme which is set out in the Schedule to this Order:

And whereas the provisions of the Pastoral Measure 1983 relating to the preparation and submission of the said Scheme have been duly complied with:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is pleased hereby to confirm the said Scheme.

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## SCHEDULE

### PASTORAL SCHEME

This Scheme is made by the Church Commissioners (hereinafter referred to as "the Commissioners") this 11th day of September 1990 in pursuance of the Pastoral Measure 1983, the Right Reverend John, Bishop of Chelmsford, having consented thereto.

#### **Substitution of parish church**

1. The church of Saint Mary the Virgin, Layer Breton, being a chapel of ease within the parish of Birch with Layer Breton in the diocese of Chelmsford, which church has been approved by the Commissioners as suitable to be a parish church and has been consecrated, shall be substituted as the parish church of that parish in place of the present parish church (hereinafter referred to as "the old church") of Saint Peter, Birch.

#### **Declaration of redundancy**

2. (1) The old church shall be declared redundant by this Scheme.

(2) The marriage register books appertaining to the old church shall be dealt with in accordance with section 62 of the Marriage Act 1949 and, subject to any provisions of the Parochial Registers and Records Measure 1978 that apply thereto and any directions thereunder, any other register books and records of that church which remain in parochial custody shall be transferred to the said church of Saint Mary the Virgin, Layer Breton.

#### **Coming into operation of this Scheme**

3. This Scheme shall come into operation upon the first day of the month following the date of any Order of Her Majesty in Council confirming this Scheme.