

CANON IV*Renumbered
2020***OF THE MAINTENANCE OF STANDARDS OF TRUSTEES**

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| 1. | Trustees have a duty to comply with the civil law requirements of trustees in the office they hold for this Church as trustees of Church Trusts. | <i>Civil law
requirements</i> |
| 2. | Trustees have a duty to comply with this Canon and Title F and lawful instructions of General Synod / te Hīnota Whānui and / or any Diocesan Synod, te Runanganui or Hui Amorangi in the exercise of their office as trustee. | <i>Canon law
requirements</i> |
| 3. | Trustees as Office Bearers of this Church have a duty to comply with the duties and ethical standards in Canon I clauses 2 and 3; and acts or omissions in clause 21; and, where not inconsistent with the Office of trustee, misconduct as defined in the interpretation section of Title D. | <i>Obligations of
office bearers
Amended 2020</i> |
| 4. | Any person may make a complaint under Title D Canon III against a Trustee as the holder of an office for any breach of duty required or of ethical standards required pursuant to clauses 3 or 5 of this Canon and the complaint will be dealt with in accordance with that Canon. | <i>Complaints
Amended 2020</i> |
| 5. | Trustees shall be liable to discipline for any of the following breaches of standards | <i>Particular
breaches of
standards</i> |
| 5.1 | Any contravention by a Trustee of a trust or of a term or condition of a trust deed, or of any Canon made under the authority of the General Synod / te Hīnota Whānui or any Diocesan Synod, te Runanganui or Hui Amorangi; | <i>Contravention
of trust</i> |
| 5.1.1 | Any breach of duty required by civil law of trusts and trustees. | <i>Civil trust law</i> |
| 5.2 | Subject to clause 5.1.1 any contravention of regulation or instruction lawfully made or issued by or by authority of the General Synod / te Hīnota Whānui or any Diocesan Synod or te Runanganui or Hui Amorangi for the guidance of the Trustees; | <i>Lawful
instructions</i> |
| 5.3 | Failure to comply with the obligations of Office Bearers in this Church. | <i>Obligations of
office bearer</i> |
| 6. | Where a Tribunal determines and reports to the Bishop that a Trustee has contravened a matter listed in clauses 5.1, 5.1.1, 5.2, or 5.3 the Bishop may require the removal of the trustee. | <i>Removal from
office</i> |