



Resolution Number: 2015-B011
Title: Amend Constitution Article II.7 [Bishop Suffragan for Armed Forces Chaplains--First Reading]
Legislative Action Taken: Concurred as Amended
Final Text:

Resolved, That Article II.7 of the Constitution is hereby amended to read as follows:
Sec. 7. It shall be lawful for the House of Bishops to may elect a Suffragan Bishop Suffragan who, under the direction of the Presiding Bishop, shall be in charge of the work of those persons of this Church who serve as chaplains in the Armed Forces of the United States, Veterans' Administration Medical Centers, and Federal Correctional Institutions who are ordained Ministers of this Church and such other agencies as may be specified by the Presiding Bishop. The Suffragan Bishop Suffragan so elected shall be ordained and consecrated and hold office under such conditions and limitations other than those provided in this Article as may be provided by Canons of the General Convention. The Suffragan Bishop shall be eligible for election as Bishop or Bishop Coadjutor or Suffragan Bishop of a Diocese.

Citation: General Convention, *Journal of the General Convention of...The Episcopal Church, Salt Lake City, 2015* (New York: General Convention, 2015), p. 441.