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SCHEDULE 3

AMENDMENTS OF CHURCH LEGISLATION

Patronage (Benefices) Measure 1986

- **3.**—(1) The Patronage (Benefices) Measure 1986(1) shall be amended as follows.
- (2) In section 11(2)(a) (requirements as to meetings of parochial church council), after "spouse" insert "or civil partner".
- (3) In section 12(4) (joint meeting of parochial church council with bishop and patron), after "spouse" insert "or civil partner".

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^{(1) 1986} No. 3. The word "spouse" in sections 11(2)(a) and 12(4) was substituted by section 10 of, and paragraphs 10(b) and 11 of Schedule 3 to, the Priests (Ordination of Women) Measure 1993.