CHRISTIAN BRETHREN CHURCH ACT

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1. Short title

This Act may be cited as the Christian Brethren Church Act.

2. Christian Brethren Church

The Christian Brethren Church in Mauritius shall be a body corporate under the style of the Christian Brethren Church of Mauritius, hereinafter called "the Church".

3. Common seal

The Church shall have a common seal.

4. Proceedings by or against Church

Service of process by or on the President of the Church and, in case of death, absence or any other incapacity of the President or of vacancy, by or on the officer fulfilling the function of Vice-President of the Church shall be equivalent to service by or on the Church.

7. Management of Church

- (1) The Church shall be managed by a Committee consisting of a President of the Committee, a Vice-President of the Committee and of at least 4 other members appointed according to the rites of the Church.
- (2) The composition of the Committee shall every year be notified to the President and shall be published in the *Gazette*.

(3) Any new appointment on account of death, absence or resignation of any of the members of the Committee shall also be notified to the President and published in the *Gazette*.

8. Exercise of powers

- (1) The President or Vice-President, as the case may be, shall have and exercise the powers of the Church.
- (2) All deeds and acts concerning the Church shall be signed by the President and in case of death, absence or any other incapacity, by the Vice-President.

9. Donations and legacies

Article 910 of the Code Civil Mauricien shall not apply to the Church.

10. No duty on donations and legacies

No duty shall be levied on all donations or legacies made to the Church.