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AT the Court at Windsor, the 17th day of May, 1879.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the first session of the Parliament holden in the first and second years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to abridge the holding of benefices in plurality, and to make better provision for the residence of the clergy," after reciting that "Whereas in some instances tithings, hamlets, chapelries, and other places or districts may be separated from the parishes or mother churches to which they belong with great advantage, and places altogether extra-parochial may in some instances with advantage be annexed to parishes or districts to which they are contiguous, or be constituted separate parishes for ecclesiastical purposes," it is, amongst other things, enacted "That when, with respect to his own diocese, it shall appear to the Archbishop of the Province, or when the Bishop of any diocese shall represent to the said Archbishop that any such tithing, hamlet, chapelry, place or district within the diocese of such Archbishop, or the diocese of such Bishop, as the case may be, may be advantageously separated from any parish or mother church, and either be constituted a separate benefice by itself or be united to any other parish to which it may be more conveniently annexed, or to any other adjoining tithing, hamlet, chapelry, place, or district, parochial or extra-parochial, so as to form a separate parish or benefice, or that any extra-parochial place may with advantage be annexed to any parish to which it is contiguous, or be constituted a separate parish for ecclesiastical purposes; and the said Archbishop or Bishop shall draw up a scheme in writing (the scheme of such Bishop to be transmitted to the said Archbishop for his consideration), describing the mode in which it appears to him that the alteration may best be effected, and how the changes consequent on such alteration in respect to ecclesiastical jurisdiction, glebe lands, tithes, rent-charges, and other ecclesiastical dues, rates, and payments, and in respect to patronage and rights to pews, may be made with justice to all parties interested; and if the patron or patrons of the benefice or benefices to be affected by such alteration shall consent in writing under his or their hands to such scheme, or to such modification thereof as the said Archbishop may

approve, and the said Archbishop shall, on full consideration and inquiry, be satisfied with any such scheme, or modification thereof, and shall certify the same and such consent as aforesaid, by his report to Her Majesty in Council, it shall be lawful for Her Majesty in Council to make an Order for carrying such scheme, or modification thereof, as the case may be, into effect."

And whereas the Lord Bishop of Sarum hath made a representation in writing to his Grace the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

"To the Most Reverend Archibald Campbell
Lord Archbishop of Canterbury.

"I the Right Reverend George Lord Bishop of Sarum do hereby represent to your Grace that in the county of Wilts and within my diocese of Sarum there is a certain extra-parochial place called Hippenscombe the boundaries whereof are well known and defined.

"That the said extra-parochial place contains no church or chapel or ecclesiastical benefice having patron or incumbent.

"That according to the last census the population of the said extra-parochial place amounts to fifty-seven; and the area thereof is about eight hundred and thirty square acres.

"That the annual rent-charges in lieu or commutation of tithes arising within the said extra-parochial place formerly awarded and payable to the Dean and Chapter of my Cathedral Church of Sarum, and now vested in the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England amount to one hundred and thirty-two pounds.

"That contiguous to the said extra-parochial place is the perpetual curacy or vicarage and parish of Tidcombe, situate in the said county of Wilts and within my said diocese, the church of which is distant from the centre of the population of the said extra-parochial place two miles and is capable of providing sufficient accommodation for them.

"That the population of the said parish of Tidcombe according to the last census amounts to one hundred and the gross annual value of the benefice is ninety pounds.

"That the right of patronage of and to the said perpetual curacy or vicarage of Tidcombe is vested in the Dean and Canons of the King's Free Chapel of Saint George within his castle of Windsor, and the Reverend Edmund Burkitt Bowman, Clerk, is the present incumbent thereof.