

The Holy Resurrection Orthodox Church Act

being a Private Act

Chapter 03 of the *Statutes of Saskatchewan, 1986*
(effective May 14, 1986).

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CHAPTER 03

An Act to incorporate Holy Resurrection Orthodox Church

(Assented to May 14, 1986)

Preamble

WHEREAS an organization under the name of Holy Resurrection Orthodox Church has existed for some time and a petition has been presented praying for its incorporation; and

Whereas it is expedient to grant the prayer of that petition;

Therefore Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan, enacts as follows:

Short title

1 This Act may be cited as *The Holy Resurrection Orthodox Church Act*.

1986, c.3, s.1

Interpretation, "corporation"

2 In this Act "corporation" means the Holy Resurrection Orthodox Church incorporated by section 3.

1986, c.3, s.2

Incorporation

3 Robert Ray Barisow, Robert Frank Rohr, Dennis Alexander Pihach, Orest Olekshy, Phillip John Eriksson, John Eugene Syrnecik, Leonard Allan Herrem, Debra Mae Chittick, Georgia Darlene Van Doornum, Lorne Walter Reinheimer, Peter Michael Bodnar, Annie Husuliak, Morris Steve Rachey, David Harvey Grier and Vasil Szalasnyj, and any other persons that are or become members of the Holy Resurrection Orthodox Church are hereby constituted a body corporate under the name of Holy Resurrection Orthodox Church.

1986, c.3, s.3

Objects

4 The objects of the corporation are:

(a) The facilitation of worship, ministry and evangelism as a parish of the Orthodox church and to maintain Holy Resurrection Orthodox church within the realm and recognition of the Orthodox Church in accordance with holy scriptures and holy tradition of the Seven Ecumenical Councils of the undivided Christian Church;

- (b) to promote, maintain, superintend and carry on, by any means that the directors of the corporation may consider fit, religious and charitable work, and to unify and extend interest in the gospel and the cause of the Christian religion in conformity with the doctrines, rules and discipline of the Orthodox Church;
- (c) to carry on charitable and philanthropic work;
- (d) to propogate the gospel and to further the benevolent, religious work of the corporation.

1986, c.3, s.4

Powers

- 5(1)** the corporation has the capacity and, subject to the other provisions of this Act, the rights, powers and privileges of an individual.
- (2) without limiting the generality of subsection (1), the corporation has the power to:
 - (a) solicit and accept gifts, devises and bequests of real or personal property for the benefit of the corporation;
 - (b) purchase, acquire and hold any real or personal property useful and convenient for the carrying out of the aims, objects and purposes of the corporation;
 - (c) sell, alienate, transfer, mortgage, lease, exchange or otherwise dispose of all or any of its property;
 - (d) invest and deal with the moneys of the corporation in any manner that the corporation may determine;
 - (e) borrow from any person, firm or corporation any sums of money that may be necessary for the purposes of the corporation and secure any loans to the lenders by bonds, debentures, bills of exchange, promissory notes, mortgages or any other instruments that may be considered advisable;
 - (f) adopt a corporate seal and change it at will;
 - (g) draw, make, accept, endorse, execute and issue promissory notes, bills of exchange and other negotiable instruments;
 - (h) solicit, collect and accept funds or other subscriptions for the carrying on of the work of the corporation and for any other religious, charitable or benevolent purpose;
 - (i) guarantee, as joint maker, endorser, covenantor, or otherwise, loans secured by bonds, debentures, bills of exchange, promissory notes, mortgages or other instruments of any branch of the corporation or of any society or corporation formed for the religious charitable, educational, congregational or social purpose of the corporation;
 - (j) do any and all other things that are incidental or conducive to the attainment of the objects for which the corporation is established.

1986, c.3, s.5

Property held by trustees to be transferred to corporation

6 Every person in whom any real or personal property or any interest in any such property is vested in trust for the Holy Resurrection Orthodox Church of Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, or any trusts in connection with that church shall, on the request of the corporation and at the corporation's expense, immediately assign, convey or otherwise transfer that property or interest to the corporation.

1986, c.3, s.6

Execution of documents

7 All grants, conveyances, deeds, transfers, leases, assignments, releases, discharges and all other instruments are to be made and executed by the corporation under its corporate seal attested by the signatures of any three directors of the corporation and when so made and executed are sufficient and conclusive.

1986, c.3, s.7.

Bylaws

8 The corporation may make bylaws for:

- (a) the administration, management and control of its property, business and temporal affairs;
- (b) the appointment, functions, duties and remuneration of all officers, agents and servants of the corporation;
- (c) the appointment of executive committees or boards created for the purposes of the corporation and defining the powers and duties of such committees or boards;
- (d) the calling of regular or special meetings of the corporation, of the executive committee or of the board of directors;
- (e) fixing a quorum and determining the procedure to be followed at all meetings mentioned in clause (d);
- (f) determining the qualifications of members;
- (g) defining and applying the principles, doctrines and religious standards of the corporation;
- (h) generally, for carrying out the objects of the corporation.

1986, c.3, s.8

Attorneys

9 The corporation may appoint one or more attorneys for the transaction of its business.

1986, c.3, s.9

Use of property

10 The revenues, issues and profits of all property held by the corporation are to be applied to the maintenance and conduct of the institutions carried on by it, to the construction and repair of buildings and the acquisition of property requisite for its purposes, to the furtherance of its objects and to the promotion of charity and benevolence.

1986, c.3, s.10

Liability of members

11 No member or director of the corporation is personally liable for the debts of the corporation.

1986, c.3, s.11

Returns

12 The corporation shall at all times when called upon to do so by the Lieutenant Governor in Council render an account of its property and affairs.

1986, c.3, s.12

Registration

13 The lands described as:

- (a) Legal Subdivisions 11 and 12 of Section 11, in Township 35, in Range 8, West of the Third Meridian; and
- (b) Lots 11 and 12 in Block 31, in the City of Saskatoon, in the Province of Saskatchewan, in the Dominion of Canada, according to a Plan of Record in the Land Titles Office for the Saskatoon Land Registration District as No. (DJ) G 582;

are hereby vested in the name of the corporation without payment of any fees.

1986, c.3, s.13