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A T the Court at Osborne House, Isle of Wight, the 29th day of December, 1885.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the third and fourth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and thirteen, of the Act of the sixth and seventh years of Her Majesty, chapter thirty-seven, and of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and four, duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a scheme, bearing date the fifth day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, in the words following, that is to say:—

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England in pursuance of the Act of the third and fourth years of Your Majesty chapter one hundred and thirteen of the Act of the sixth and seventh years of Your Majesty chapter thirty-seven, and of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Your Majesty chapter one hundred and four have prepared and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council the following scheme for constituting a separate district for spiritual purposes to be taken out of the parish of Aston-juxta-Birmingham in the county of Warwick and in the diocese of Worcester.

"Whereas it has been made to appear to us that it would promote the interests of religion that the particular part of the said parish of Aston-juxta-Birmingham which is hereinafter mentioned and described should be constituted a separate district in manner hereinafter set forth.

"And whereas there is not at present within the limits of the said proposed district any consecrated church or chapel in use for the purposes of Divine worship.

"And whereas certain well-disposed persons have contributed and paid to the credit of our account at the Bank of, England a sum of three thousand pounds sterling in aid of the endowment of the district hereinafter recommended to be constituted and so soon as the said district shall have become a new parish under the provisions of the secondly hereinbefore-mentioned Act then of the said new parish and of the maintenance of the minister or incumbent thereof for the time being and we have in respect of such sum agreed and have undertaken to provide and pay by equal half-yearly payments on the first day of May and the first day of November in each and every year

to such minister or incumbent as aforesaid when duly licensed in accordance with the provisions of the lastly mentioned Act the sum of one hundred pounds per annum so long as the said capital sum shall remain in our bands.

" And whereas the said capital sum of three thousand pounds sterling has been so contributed and paid as aforesaid upon the understanding and condition that we should also make and pay out of the common fund created by the firstly herein named Act to the minister or incumbent for the time being of the said district or new parish when duly licensed as before mentioned a grant of fifty pounds per annum and upon the further understanding and condition that (such arrangement appearing to us to be expedient) we should recommend and propose to Your Majesty in Council that the whole right of patronage of the said district or new parish and of the nomination of the minister or incumbent thereof should be assigned to the Bishop for the time being of the said diocese of Worcester.

"And whereas we have undertaken and agreed to make the said grant of fifty pounds per annum as aforesaid by an instrument to be executed by us under our common seal in accordance with the provisions of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Your Majesty chapter one hundred and cleven.

"Now therefore with the consent of the Right Reverend Henry Bishop of the said diocese of . Worcester (in testimony whereof he the said Bishop has signed and sealed this scheme) we the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners humbly recommend and propose that all that part of the said parish of Aston-juxta-Birmingham which is described in the schedule hereunder written all which part together with the boundaries thereof is delineated and set forth on the map or plan hereunto annexed shall upon and from the day of the date of the publication in the London Gazette of any Order of Your Majesty in Council ratifying this scheme become and be constituted a separate district for spiritual purposes and that the same shall be named 'The District of Saint Basil, Deritend.'"

And we further recommend and propose that the whole right of patronage of the said district so recommended to be constituted and when such district shall have become a new parish as aforesaid then of the said new parish and of the nomination of the minister or incumbent thereof shall without any assurance in the law other than this scheme and any duly gazetted Order of Your