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At the Court at *Windsor Castle*, the 25th day of *January*, 1908.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have in pursuance of the Act of the third and fourth years of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria, chapter one hundred and thirteen, and of the Act of the seventeenth and eighteenth years of Her said late Majesty, chapter eighty-four, duly prepared and laid before His Majesty in Council a scheme bearing date the seventh day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred and seven, 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 Her late Majesty Queen Victoria, chapter one hundred and thirteen, and of the Act of the seventeenth and eighteenth years of Her said late Majesty, chapter eighty-four, have prepared and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council the following scheme for apportioning the income of the benefice (being a rectory) of Saint Botolph, Bishopsgate, in the city of London and in the diocese of London, between that benefice and a certain other benefice namely the benefice (being a rectory) of Christ Church, Spitalfields, which said last named benefice is situate in the county of Middlesex and in the said diocese of London.

“Whereas the Bishop of the said diocese of London is the Patron in right of his See of the said benefice of Saint Botolph, Bishopsgate, and also of the said benefice of Christ Church, Spitalfields.

“And whereas it has been made to appear to us that the said benefice of Christ Church, Spitalfields, is at present insufficiently endowed and that the said benefice of Saint Botolph, Bishopsgate, has endowments of such an amount as that after the charge hereinafter recommended and proposed to be made shall have been placed

upon the same endowments, the said benefice of Saint Botolph, Bishopsgate, will still be sufficiently endowed.

“And whereas the Right Honourable and Right Reverend Arthur Foley, Bishop of the said diocese of London, has represented to us, and we are of opinion, that it is desirable that additional provision should be made for the cure of souls within the parish of Christ Church, Spitalfields, by means of that apportionment of the income of the said benefice of Saint Botolph, Bishopsgate, which is hereinafter recommended and proposed.

“And whereas the said benefice of Saint Botolph, Bishopsgate, is now full.

“Now, therefore, with the consent of the Right Honourable and Most Reverend Randall Thomas, Archbishop of Canterbury, acting as Archbishop of the province within which each of the said two benefices is situate, and with the consent of the said Arthur Foley, Bishop of the said diocese of London, acting as such Bishop and also as the Patron in right of his See of each of the said two benefices as aforesaid (in testimony whereof they the said consenting parties have signed this scheme and have respectively sealed the same with their archiepiscopal and episcopal seals) we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners, humbly recommend and propose that without any conveyance or assurance in the law other than this scheme and any duly gazetted Order of Your Majesty in Council ratifying the same and as from the day of the date at which the said benefice of Saint Botolph, Bishopsgate, shall from whatsoever cause be next avoided, all the tithe rent charges, glebe lands and all other (if any) the endowments which shall at the date of the next avoidance of the said benefice of Saint Botolph, Bishopsgate, or which may thereafter belong to the same benefice shall be charged and for ever thereafter be chargeable in favour of the Incumbent for the time being of the said benefice of Christ Church, Spitalfields, with the annual sum