

6. No person can be elected as a Lay Representative unless he is a communicant, and unless he signs the following declaration, also to be entered in the book of votes :—

“I, A— B—, do solemnly declare that I am a communicant of the Church of England, and belong to no other religious denomination.”

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7. Every Clergyman, or the Churchwardens, shall keep, or cause to be kept, a roll with the names of all the communicants entered therein.

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8. Every Lay Representative, when duly elected, shall receive from the Chairman a certificate to the following effect :—

“I hereby certify that at a meeting of the electors of Church, or District, held on the day of
187 A— B—, who is a communicant of this church, was duly elected a Lay Representative
to the Convention for the establishment of a Diocesan Synod.”

Chairman.

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9. The Chairman shall also forward to the Bishop of the Diocese a certificate of the result of the election in the following form :—

“I hereby certify that at a meeting of the electors of Church, or District, held on the day
of 187 the following persons, communicants of the Church, were duly elected as Lay Representa-
tives to the Convention for the establishment of a Diocesan Synod :

PROFESSION.

A. B. of
C. D. of
E. F. of
G. H. of

And I further certify that there are entered on the Roll of Electors persons entitled to vote at this
election.

Chairman.

10. In case of the death or resignation of any Lay Representatives so elected as aforesaid, the Church Committee, or where no Church Committee, the electors shall as soon as practicable select some other duly qualified person to fill the vacancy.