

Authorisations and Delegations

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Status of Paper	Final
Action Required	Decision
Resolution	24/1. The Council receives the report. 24/2. The Council appoints Louise C Wilkins under SO 331(1) to fulfil the duties assigned in the Model Trusts or in Standing Orders to the Property Secretary or to the General Secretary of the Property Division.
Alternative Options to Consider, if Any	None

Summary of Content

Subject and Aims	To clarify the Team Member to be appointed under SO 331(1).
Main Points	To appoint the Team Member to fulfil the duties assigned in the Model Trust and Standing Orders to the Property Secretary or General Secretary of the Property Division for the purposes of SO 331(1).
Background Context	MC/12/25, MC/12/91, MC/13/17 and MC/14/97
Consultations	Trustees for Methodist Church Purposes

1. The Model Trusts and Standing Orders contain many references to the responsibilities and duties of the Property Secretary or the General Secretary of the Property Division. However the roles of Property Secretary and General Secretary of the Property Division ceased to exist a number of years ago. Under SO 331(1) the Methodist Council must annually appoint a member of the Connexional Team to fulfil the duties assigned to these roles. In January 2014 the Methodist Council appointed Andrew J Maxfield to fulfil this role but his term of appointment is now ended, and Louise C Wilkins has returned from maternity leave.
2. The Council is asked to appoint Louise C Wilkins for the purposes of SO 331(1).

***RESOLUTIONS

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