

1. The Mission to Seafarers is a voluntary society of the Anglican Communion responsible for ministry to Seafarers in the name of Christ.
2. Wherever a body of persons professing to belong to the Anglican Church of Australia shall request by memorial in the form of Schedule E to be recognised by the Synod as a Mission to Seafarers Centre and shall engage to be bound by the Constitution and Regulations of the Diocese, the Diocesan Council shall, if it thinks fit, place the body on the list of Centres recognised by the Synod.
3. The Registrar shall keep a Register of The Mission to Seafarers Centres recognised by the Synod.
4. A recognised Centre will continue to be recognised as an entity of the Diocese until such recognition is withdrawn by a resolution of Diocesan Council.
5. Each Centre recognised by the Synod shall be governed by a set of rules approved by the Diocesan Council. Such rules will include non-profit and application of surplus assets clauses consistent with Sections 55 & 43 of the Associations Incorporation Act 1985.
6. The Visitor of each Centre shall be the Bishop of Willochra who shall have the right to attend, speak and vote at meetings of the committee of management of each Centre.
7. (1) The Bishop shall license one or more Chaplains to each Centre.
(2) The Bishop may license one or more Ship Visitors in places where there is no Centre.
8. There shall be a Mission to Seafarers Oversight Group, consisting of the Bishop and Chaplains. The Oversight Group shall meet in such manner that it finds convenient. A clergy person of the Parish or Ministry District where a Centre is located may attend meetings.
9. The Oversight Group shall report to Diocesan Council as necessary and to Synod annually.