

## Votes Proposed after reading your replies and suggestions

1. (On Vote 24 of 2019 CC) We would like that the the texts of the Regions expressing the view of the Abbot General's role be included in the General Booklet of the General Chapter.

YES 18 NO ABS

2. (On Vote 31 of 2019 CC) We would like that the Council of the Abbot General presently in office presents proposals regarding the structure and functioning of the Council of the Abbot General. The proposals will be included in the General Booklet of the General Chapter as a working paper.

YES 17 NO 1 ABS

3. (On Votes 33) Reference to the last Visitation Card could be unrealistic due to the Pandemic. We ask to revise vote 32 of the CC. 2019

YES 17 NO 1 ABS

4. (On Vote 37-38) We agree with the proposals in the Law Commission Report, but we suggest a change to C. 30 bis [in red]

Each community and every individual member of the Order is respectful and mindful of the rights and needs of minors and vulnerable adults, and is vigilant to prevent any form of physical or psychological violence or abuse in interpersonal relationships or in shared spaces and facilities. A community policy is set up to govern this, and the community receives ongoing education in this area. The policy and its implementation are examined during the Regular Visitation.

For the composition of such guidelines and formation in this area, superiors and communities follow the directives of the Holy See and are compliant with Civil Law requirements, and get help in their respective countries from the Conference of Bishops and/or the Conference of Religious Superiors. Communities in a Region or a country may work together on this subject.

And in St.RV16. (g) [in red]

g) the existence of a policy on the safeguarding of minors and vulnerable adults; the compliance of the community with this policy in areas of sexual abuse, abuse of conscience and/or power abuse; and that the community provides ongoing education in this area (C. 30 bis)

And in Ratio Institutionis [in red]

16 bis. Each community and every individual member of the Order is respectful and mindful of the rights and needs of minors and vulnerable adults, and is vigilant to prevent any form of physical or psychological violence or abuse in interpersonal

relationships or in shared spaces and facilities (C. 30 bis). Communities provide ongoing formation in this area. They are encouraged to get help from their respective dioceses and Regions.

YES 18 NO ABS 1

5. (On vote 41) We support this vote and we ask to provide for concrete instructions to implement it.

YES 18 NO ABS

6. (On Vote 46) We ask for a new working paper that would reflect the present situation of work during the pandemic.

YES 14 NO ABS. 4

7. (On Vote 47 Cor Orans) We wish that the Order present a petition in order to seek a declaration from the Vatican to the effect that our nuns 'membership of our Order is sufficient for them to comply with all the directives in Cor Orans.

YES 18 NO ABS

8. (On Vote 50, Father Immediates) We wish that the next GC allocates ample time to reassess the delegation of the Father Immediate.

YES 18 NO ABS

9. (On Vote 53, on Fragile Communities) We wish that the phrase: 'a right to be received in a monastery of the Order 'be clarified. [without saying where and how this right may be exercised ... as it stands, if no one will receive someone, his rights would be violated.]

YES 17 NO ABS 1

10. (On vote 60) We support this presentation for approval.

YES 16 NO ABS 2