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STATEMENT ON THE ELECTION OF THE VICAR CAPITULAR

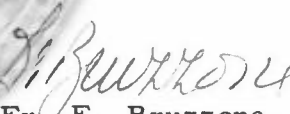
On the 23rd May 1973, at 8.15 p.m., a few hours after the sudden death of the Residential Bishop of Hong Kong, Most Rev. Francis Chen Ping HSU, the ten members of the Board of Diocesan Consultors met in an office of the Cathedral's parish (16, Caine Road), contiguous to the Bishop's House, for the election of the Vicar Capitular. Most Rev. Bishop Peter LEI Wang Kei, Auxiliary Bishop of Hong Kong, took the chair.

After the reading by the Chancellor of the pertinent par. 3, no. 13, of the First Section of the Motu proprio "Ecclesiae Sanctae", the Diocesan Consultors elected - unanimously - said Auxiliary Bishop Peter LEI Wang Kei, Titular Bishop of Ottava, to be the Vicar Capitular of the Hong Kong Diocese during the vacancy of the See, i.e. until a new Bishop will be appointed or other provisions made by the Holy See.

Shortly after this election, the Vicar Capitular elect, again with the unanimous approval of the Diocesan Consultors, appointed Rev. Fr. Secundo Einaudi, P.I.M.E., his Vicar Delegate.

Hong Kong, 23rd May 1973.



  
Fr. E. Bruzzone,  
Chancellor,  
Acting Secretary of the Board  
of Diocesan Consultors.

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