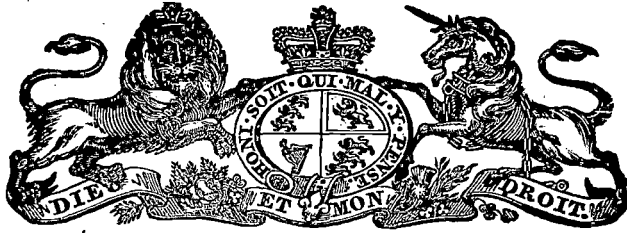


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**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH BILL:**

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**Presented by Mr. Moore, Mr. Chapman, and Mr. Gellibrand, September 6; and  
ordered by the Council to be printed, September 10, 1878.**



*To the Honorable the President and Members of the Legislative Council,  
in Parliament assembled.*

The humble Petition of the undersigned Presbyterians in Tasmania.

**MOST RESPECTFULLY SHOWETH :**

THAT whereas there is now before your Honorable House a Bill, intituled "A Bill to regulate the Affairs of the Presbyterian Church of Tasmania," heretofore called the Church of Scotland, we the undersigned Members and Adherents of the Presbyterian Church in the District of Circular Head, having had it submitted for our consideration, fully concurring in its provisions, and being sensible of the necessity of such a measure being passed into law,

Your Petitioners, therefore, humbly pray that such Bill may receive the sanction of your Honorable House.

[Here follow 17 Signatures.]

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Petitions in the same terms were presented on the same date—

From Glenorchy, with 28 Signatures.

From Bothwell, with 45 Signatures.

From New Norfolk, with 38 Signatures.