

## Advice for Trusts wishing to update to the latest Church of England model articles

The latest model articles were a result of consultations between the DfE and National Church, they can be found on the government website

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/church-academies-model-documents>

You will need to engage your own solicitors to personalise these for your MAT. On top of this, our solicitors will need to review them to ensure that they still meet Diocesan requirements. They will require an undertaking from you to meet their costs for this. We use LBMW and the contact there is Susan Newell [Susan.Newell@lbmw.com](mailto:Susan.Newell@lbmw.com)

Final Articles will then need to be filed with the Charity Commission and a Special Resolution produced for the Articles to be adopted by the Trust Members.