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STATEMENT FROM BISHOP GREG O'KELLY SJ

Appointment of New Bishop for the Diocese of Port Pirie

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The Diocese welcomes Bishop-elect Karol Kulczycki with open arms. We note his pastoral experience in country ministries, especially in Geraldton. Our two Dioceses are similar in that we are small communities scattered over large distances. Our Diocese stretches from Uluru to Port Lincoln, and from the Western Australian border to the River Murray. Our people and clergy are loyal and committed, and all look forward to receiving Bishop-elect Karol as our new Chief Pastor.

I thank God for the graces and happiness God has accorded me in my own time as Bishop of this outstanding Diocese.