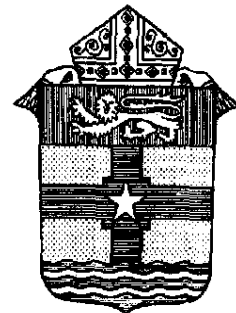


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**PRESS RELEASE**

**With the departure of Most Reverend Valéry Vienneau on August 29 to assume his new charge as Archbishop of Moncton, the Episcopal See of Bathurst is officially vacant.**

**We wish to inform you that, in conformity with the Code of Canon Law, the Diocesan College of Consultors met on August 31, 2012, to elect a Diocesan Administrator.**

**We have the pleasure of announcing that Reverend Wesley Wade, Pastor of Sacred Heart Cathedral and formerly Vicar General during the ten-year episcopacy of Most Reverend Valéry Vienneau, has been elected as Diocesan Administrator until a bishop is nominated.**