

The first full paragraph on page 478, under “B.,” is modified to read: “Both lower courts also addressed the merits of the dispute over ownership of the local

church — the trial court found in favor of the local church and the Court of Appeal found clear and convincing evidence in favor of the general church. We will also address this question, which the parties as well as various amici curiae have fully briefed. We will first consider what method the secular courts of this state should use to resolve disputes over church property. We will then apply that method to analyze the dispute of this case.”

The first sentence of the first full paragraph on page 493 is modified to read: “For these reasons, we agree with the Court of Appeal’s conclusion (although not with all of its reasoning) that, on this record, when defendants disaffiliated from the Episcopal Church, the local church property reverted to the general church.”

This modification does not affect the judgment.