



ARCHDIOCESE OF HOBART

**Under Embargo until Friday, 19 July 2013,
12:00 noon local time in Rome,
8:00 p.m. AEST**

His Holiness Pope Francis has accepted the resignation, presented in conformity with Can. 401 § 1 of the Code of Canon Law, of the **Most Reverend Adrian Leo Doyle**, Archbishop of Hobart.

The Holy Father has appointed as the next Archbishop of Hobart the **Most Reverend Julian Charles Porteous**, who has been until now Auxiliary Bishop of Sydney.

Canberra, 17 July 2013



Julian Charles Porteous
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