



DICASTERIUM
PRO LAICIS, FAMILIA ET VITA

Prot. N. 2024/423

DECREE

CHARIS (*Catholic Charismatic Renewal International Service*) was erected by the Dicastery for Laity, Family and Life on December 8th 2018, as an international organism with public juridical personality, for the service of all expressions of Catholic Charismatic Renewal. In the same decree (Prot. N. 2018/949 – II/20) its statutes were approved *ad experimentum*, coming into force on June 9th 2019, Solemnity of Pentecost.

As the process of establishing effective structures of coordination progressed, the members of the International Service of Communion of CHARIS, in dialogue with the Dicastery, identified modifications to the statutes that would be advantageous for its service in favour of Charismatic Renewal. Equally, it became clear that modifications were opportune both to remove the transitional norms included in the 2018 text and to take account of the Dicastery's General Decree, *The International Associations of the Faithful*, promulgated on June 11th 2021.

Consequently:

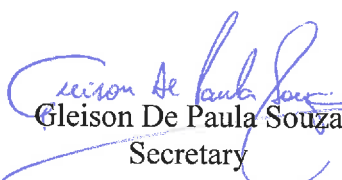
Having attentively examined the modifications presented by the International Moderator of CHARIS, Mr. Pino Scafuro, on December 6th 2023;

Taking into account the prior assent given by the General Assembly of CHARIS on October 31st 2023;

In accordance with canons 116-123 and 312 § 1, 1° of the Code of Canon Law, and the competency of the Dicastery set out in article 134 of the Apostolic Constitution *Praedicate Evangelium* on the Roman Curia and its service for the Church in the world;

The Dicastery for Laity, Family and Life hereby grants approval to the Statutes of CHARIS in their new and modified form, a copy of these statutes having been duly authenticated by this Dicastery and deposited in its archives.

From the Vatican, April 25th 2024, Feast of Saint Mark the Evangelist.


Gleison De Paula Souza
Secretary




Card. Kevin Farrell
Prefect