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SHORT COURSES

CCML 204: CANON LAW AND TEMPORAL GOODS IN THE CHURCH INSTITUTIONS

Date: 25th June 2021

Duration: 2 Hours

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer Question ONE and any other Question

- Q1. Canon 1274 which finds its origin in the Conciliar decree *Presbyterorum Ordinis* no. 21, provides for the establishment of three special funds in the diocese for the following purposes: an institute for clergy support; an institute for social security of clergy and a common fund/reserve intended to assist in fulfilling obligations towards employees, diocesan needs and assisting poorer dioceses. These institutes reflect the proper purposes of the Church mentioned in Canon 1254...2 on account of which the Church has temporal goods.
- Religious institutes also need these funds. Justify this statement.
 - Suppose you are a Superior General of a religious institute, show you plan of creating these funds. Show where and how you are to solicit funds and how the institutes are to be sustained and managed.

- Q2. Define a juridic person and show its establishment and significance.
- Q3. What is the role of the local ordinary in regard with pious wills and foundations?
- Q4. Define the term alienation and explain the conditions that are to be observed before alienating Church property.

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