



Directive for the Absence of Policy

If, on a particular issue, a policy does not exist, the course of action is to be resolved by taking into account:

- Policies and procedures ratified in similar scenarios;
- The teaching of the Catholic Church;
- Universal law; and
- The customs of the local Church.

After the issue is resolved, the director of the affected department is to draft a new policy that addresses the questions faced during this experience following the instructions set out in the policy "Policy Development Process".

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