

DIOCESE OF OXFORD

SUPPLEMENTARY REGULATIONS FOR THE CAT STREET CEMETERY, EAST HENDRED

Whereas:-

- (1) the Rector of the Wantage Downs Benefice has applied to the Chancellor (with the support of the Parochial Church Council of East Hendred) for supplementary regulations for the Cat Street Cemetery, East Hendred so as formally to permit the Rector to authorise the following within the Cat Street Cemetery (which are already prevalent there) provided that all other requirements of the Churchyard Regulations made by the Chancellor for the Diocese of Oxford on 8 November 2016 ('the Diocesan Regulations') are adhered to; and
- (2) the Chancellor has consulted the Archdeacon and the Diocesan Advisory Committee who are content for him to make the supplementary regulations that follow.

The Chancellor now makes the following special regulations for the Cat Street Cemetery, East Hendred:

- 1. The Diocesan Regulations are to have effect in relation to the Cat Street Cemetery, East Hendred subject to the following modifications.
- 2. As an alternative to a flat ledger stone, a memorial marking the place of the interment of cremated remains within the Cat Street Cemetery may take the form of either:
 - (a) a monument with a maximum height of 460mm (18") and a maximum width of 510mm (20"), including any visible base; or
 - (b) a memorial which is rectangular or square in plan with a wedge-shaped elevation, up to 460mm (18") in length and 460mm (18") in width (optionally on a base up to 510mm (20") in each dimension), laid flush with the ground, the memorial extending at its highest point no more than 110mm (4") from the ground and at the lowest point of the wedge no more than 55mm (2") from the ground.

- 3. As an alternative to a black, white or uncoloured etching or carving, a grey etching or carving may be permitted provided it otherwise complies with the requirements of regulation 33 of the Diocesan Regulations.
- 4. An inscription must be incised or in relief and may be white as an alternative to uncoloured, grey or black only; plastic, lead or other inserted lettering is not permitted.
- 5. The Diocesan Regulations are otherwise to continue to have full effect in relation to the Cat Street Cemetery.
- 6. For the avoidance of doubt, the Diocesan Regulations are to continue to have full effect in relation to the churchyard of St Augustine's Church, Church Street, East Hendred OX12 8LA.
- 7. These Regulations come into operation on the day on which they are made.

These Regulations are made on 06 November 2024

David Hodge KC

Chancellor