



Please note that section 2.6 should be replaced with the following:

If a lairholder dies, intestate the exclusive right of burial in the lair shall transfer to the lair holders successor in the following order of ranking:

- The lair holders spouse or civil partner
- The lair holders children (biological or adopted but not step children)
- The lair holders grandchildren
- The lair holders great grandchildren
- The lair holders parents (If still living)
- The lair holders brothers or sisters
- The lair holders Aunts and uncle
- The lair holders cousins
- Remoter descendants in order of descent
- Ascendants in order of ascent.

In the event of there being more than one person in any class of relative, the exclusive right of burial will be shared equally and if one person wishes to exercise that right then written consent will be required from the remaining lair holders. In the event of any dispute arising between lair holders the council will not get involved. Persons in dispute will need to obtain independent legal advice or access alternative dispute resolution/mediation services independently from the Council.

The lairholder shall, be permitted to bequeath the lair to any member of his or her family or to a stranger. The Council shall not be responsible for any misunderstanding or error in the acceptance in good faith of any person claiming to be the legal lairholder, or to have a right of burial even though it should be ascertained subsequently that such a claim was unfounded.