

Following the interment of the Exclusive Right of Burial (EROB) owner, Marhamchurch Parish Council, as the burial authority of Marhamchurch cemetery, need to transfer the EROB to the relevant next of kin/s.

The following information, explains what documentation we need to carry out this process –

**If the deceased owner left a will stating who the Grant of Exclusive Right of Burial should be passed to and you are that person we will require:**

1. the Grant of the Exclusive Right of Burial
2. the Grant of Probate
3. an Assent from the Executor(s) of the Will giving the Grant of Exclusive Right of Burial to you.

**If the deceased owner left a will of insufficient value to merit application to be made for Grant of Probate and you claim the Exclusive Right of Burial, we will require:**

1. the Grant of the Exclusive Right of Burial
2. a Statutory Declaration detailing the relationship of the person claiming the right of exclusive burial to the deceased owner.
3. a Form of Renouncement from all other people who would be entitled to claim the Grant of Exclusive Right of Burial if they are not named in the Statutory Declaration.

**If the deceased owner died without leaving a will we will require:**

1. the Grant of the Exclusive Right of Burial
2. the Grant of Letters of Administration
3. an Assent from the Administrator(s) giving the Grant of Exclusive Right of Burial to you.

**If the estate was of insufficient value to merit application for Letters of Administration we will require:**

1. the Grant of the Exclusive Right of Burial
2. a Statutory Declaration detailing the relationship of the person claiming the rights to the registered grave owner.
3. a Form of Renouncement from all other people that would be entitled to claim the Grant of Exclusive Right of Burial if they are not named in the Statutory Declaration.

Statutory Declarations must be witnessed by a Commissioner for Oaths or Magistrate.