



At the Court at Buckingham Palace

THE 9th DAY OF JULY 2025

PRESENT,

THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY
IN COUNCIL

The Secretary of State for Justice, after giving ten days' notice of her intention to do so, has, under the Burial Act 1853 as amended, made representation to His Majesty in Council that, subject to the exception below, burials should be discontinued in St Mary's Churchyard, Church Street, Ross-on-Wye, Herefordshire.

The exception is that in any grave space in which no interment has previously taken place, the burial may be allowed of any person for whom, or any member of the family for which that grave space has been reserved and appropriated, with the exclusive right of burial there, but no part of the coffin containing the body shall be less than one metre below the level of the surface of the ground adjoining the grave.

His Majesty in Council is pleased to give Notice of this representation and to order that they be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Privy Council on 20th August 2025.

And His Majesty is further pleased to direct that this Order should be published in the London Gazette, and that copies of it should be fixed on the door of the Church or Chapel of the above mentioned place, or displayed conspicuously inside them, for one month before 20th August 2025.

Richard Tilbrook, CVO

St Mary's Ross-on-Wye Churchyard Map

