

Reference Number: 101004468141

Response provided under: Freedom of Information Act 2000

Request & Response:

Request in bold:

Response in plain text:

Please could you kindly send me any information you may hold relating to Paupers funerals carried (sometimes referred to as 'Public Health Act' Funerals) where persons who have died with no known next of kin (blood relatives) since 1/2/2019 to the day of your reply.

Please include:

- 1. full names of deceased persons,** - withheld as per our website - <https://www.cornwall.gov.uk/council-and-democracy/data-protection-and-freedom-of-information/freedom-of-information-advice/frequently-requested-information/public-health-funerals/>
- 2. dates of death,** - information on website link above

Please note that this data is dated until 31 December 2018. This data is updated quarterly so the data from 1 January onwards should be published later this month.

We have used Section 22 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 and a full explanation is below:

Under Section 22 (Information intended for future publication) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 we will be releasing that information at a later date. In applying this exemption we have had to balance the public interest in withholding the information against the public interest in disclosure. The Council has concluded that the public interest test favours non-disclosure because although disclosure of this information would give answer this request fully now, the Council needs this time to formulate the document effectively before it is published on our website. Therefore in conclusion we are of the opinion that the balance of public interest favours non-disclosure of this information in all circumstances of the case at this time.

- 3. marital status,** - not recorded
- 4. maiden surnames of married or widowed females,** - withheld as Q1
- 5. dates of birth or ages at death,** - age at death is published on our website as per Q2. Also Section 22 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 is engaged here as per Q2
- 6. last known addresses,** - withheld as Q1
- 7. estimated value of estates,** - not recorded

8. **date(s) when the information was passed (or information that is about to be or likely to be passed) to any third party, if so to whom, or confirmation that this will not be happening and the reason why.** – on our website as per Q2.
Also Section 22 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 is engaged here as per Q2

If your authority holds this information on your website, please confirm whether or not your website information is up to date and provide a link to this. If it is not please provide full details of any unpublished cases, as per the questions above.

Information provided by: Neighbourhoods & Public Protection

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