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Dear Sir/Madam

Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) Request ID: REQ06315

Thank you for your request for information relating to Crematorium works

Your request and our responses are outlined below:

1. When was the last time your crematoria underwent significant renovation? What works were carried out and what was the overall cost?

New cremators and mercury abatement filtration equipment was installed in to the crematory commencing 2007, the project spanned 4 financial years being completed in 2011. The cost of the cremator replacement and abatement project was £1.4m

2. When do you project future works will be required? (chapel renovation, cremation chambers, etc)

Currently there are no planned works to be carried out in the crematorium building for renovations. There has been a full refurbishment of the toilet facilities, redecoration, new curtains and new flooring all within the last 2 years. The chapels and waiting rooms are assessed generally every 8-10 years for refurbishment or redecoration. Should there be a need to carry out remedial work this is done as a priority. The extensive programme of repairs and maintenance for the cremators and mercury abatement equipment ensures there will be no need to replace this equipment unless there is a change in legislation which dictates this.

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Yours faithfully

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