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 Topic (one sentence description of the decision being sought) Who will take decision Give date or period within which decision is to be taken Directorate contact (include e-mail and telephone) 	 (5) Principal Groups/Organisations to be consulted before decision is made (6) Method of consultation (external only [if applicable]) 	 (7) Name of person(s) to whom representations can be made (e-mail/telephone) (8) When should they be made by (closing date) 	 (9) List background documents submitted to Cabinet/Cabinet Member in respect of the decision (10) Is this information unrestricted or exempt? (11) Date first entered in Notice
KEY 23/23/24 (1) Seeking an amendment to the period of Exclusive Right of Burial granted at Council-owned cemeteries	(5) Relevant service area and elected members(6) Not applicable.	 (7) Emma-Jane Allen - 01304 872120; emma.allen@dover.gov.uk (8) 10 November 2023 	(9) Cabinet report(10) Unrestricted(11) 3 November 2023
(2) Cabinet(3) 4 December 2023			
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Brief Details of Item:

(Please provide information about the contents of this item and the reason for decision.)

The Council currently offers Exclusive Right of Burial for a period of 100 years in graves at Dover District Council-owned cemeteries. This is the maximum period as set out in legislation but many authorities offer a shorter period. It is proposed that the number of years be reduced to a period more closely aligned with that used in neighbouring authorities.

Deadline for Item:

(Please indicate the date and whether this is statutory, operational or to meet the requirements of another agency.)

There is no specific deadline, but the proposed change would help the Council to make best use of existing cemetery provision.