



Public Health Funerals – 2025

<u>Name</u>	<u>Date of Birth</u>	<u>Date of Death</u>	<u>Place of Death</u>	<u>Type of Funeral</u>	<u>Next of Kin</u>	<u>Referred to Treasury Solicitor</u>
Raymond John Smith	27/12/1949	18/10/2024	Bedford	Cremation	No	No
Julie May Flanagan	16/07/1966	17/08/2024	Bedford	Cremation	Yes	No
John Andrew Blair	09/09/1957	06/12/2024	Bedford	Cremation	Yes	No
Jon Paul William Miles	07/02/1977	06/11/2024	Bedford	Cremation	Yes	No
Lorraine Ann Hazel Edwards	09/12/1966	21/12/2024	Bedford	Cremation	Yes	No
Gerard Francis Dunne	27/08/1943	25/12/2024	Bedford	Cremation	Yes	No
Cynthia Bailey	05/04/1984	19/01/2025	Bedford	Cremation	Yes	No
Mark Cernevicius	27/10/1968	22/02/2025	Bedford	Cremation	Yes	No
Ian Leicester	22/04/1966	24/03/2025	Bedford	Cremation	Yes	No

Section 31 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 – Law Enforcement (prevention and detection of crime). Revealing details of the assets of an estate before the Treasury Solicitor has undertaken their own enquiries would provide an opportunity for criminal acts to be committed (for example, theft or fraud.) Similarly, there would be concerns about making the last known address of the deceased public, as the property is likely to be unoccupied and might still contain the deceased's identity theft. Taking in to account the above issues, the council considers that there is no over-riding public interest in releasing the information requested. Any public interest would be best service by upholding the exemption under Section 31 of the Act as disclosure of the information would be likely to prejudice the prevention of crime by enabling or encouraging the commission of offence.