MISTLEY AND MANNINGTREE CEMETERY REGULATIONS

The Cemetery is a place of rest and respect and the following rules are applied to achieve this:-

- 1. Visiting children must be accompanied by an adult.
- 2. Dogs are not allowed within the Cemetery.
- 3. Planting of trees and shrubs on, or near, graves is not permitted.
- 4. A wooden cross or plaque is permitted but only until a permanent memorial is erected.
- 5. Artificial flowers are not permitted and will be removed by the Council.
- 6. Wire cages around flowers are not permitted for health and safety reasons and for the general appearance of the Cemetery.
- 7. No ornaments, toys, glass vases, lights etc may be placed on grave spaces.
- 8. All grave spaces will be levelled and turfed at an appropriate time to assist in grass cutting and for the general appearance of the Cemetery.

MEMORIALS

- 1. All memorials must be approved by the Council and the appropriate fee paid before erection.
- 2. Headstones are to be sunk into the ground on a secure foundation. A plate $3" \times 18" \times 9"$ may be placed in front of the memorial to make provision for flowers.
- 3. **Kerb sets –** maximum size 3'6" x 2'10" x 6'10" secured on a foundation 3" x 3'0" x 7'0".

Headstones – maximum size 3'6" (above ground) x 2'6" x 4" **Cremated remains tablet** – 2" x 1'6" x 1'6"

- 4. Kerb sets are only permitted in the area designated by the Council.
- 5. Images of "God's creatures" are permitted on memorials but no plaque or photograph may be included in any memorial.

I have read these regulations and agree to abide by them and to take reasonable measures to comply with any subsequent regulations.

Applicant/s signature/s	
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