

Burial Laws Amendment Act 1880

1880 CHAPTER 41 43 and 44 Vict

6 Burial may be with or without religious service.

At any burial under this Act all persons shall have free access to the churchyard or graveyard in which the same shall take place. The burial may take place, at the option of the person so having the charge of or being responsible for the same as aforesaid, either without any religious service, or with such Christian and orderly religious service at the grave, as such person shall think fit; and any person or persons who shall be thereunto invited, or be authorised by the person having the charge of or being responsible for such burial, may conduct such service or take part in any religious act thereat. The words "Christian service" in this section shall include every religious service used by any church, denomination, or person professing to be Christian.

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Burial Laws Amendment Act 1880, Section 6.