



# Burial and Cremation (Scotland) Act 2016

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### PART 1

#### BURIAL

##### *Private burial*

#### **25 Private burial register: offence**

- (1) A local authority commits an offence if, without reasonable excuse, the authority contravenes section 23(1) by failing to prepare or maintain a private burial register.
- (2) A local authority which commits an offence under subsection (1) is liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding level 3 on the standard scale.