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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**1974 No. 482**

The Local Authorities etc. (Miscellaneous  
Provision) Order 1974

**Maintenance of closed churchyards**

**16.** Where, outside the area in which the Church of England was disestablished by the Welsh Church Act 1914 the functions and liabilities of the parochial church council of a parish with respect to the maintenance and repair of a churchyard have under section 269(2) of the Local Government Act 1933 before 1st April 1974 been transferred to the council of the borough or urban district, or to the parish council, the authority on whom a request under section 215(2) of the Act would fall to be served shall maintain the churchyard by keeping it in decent order and its walls and fences in good repair.