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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2013 No. 1916**

**The Faculty Jurisdiction Rules 2013**

**PART 6**

**Chancellor's jurisdiction**

**Chancellor to have advice of Diocesan Advisory Committee**

**6.2.**—(1) Unless paragraph (2) or (3) applies, the chancellor must seek the advice of the Diocesan Advisory Committee before—

- (a) making a final determination in faculty proceedings;
- (b) issuing a permanent injunction; or
- (c) making a restoration order.

(2) If the Diocesan Advisory Committee has given its advice under rule 3.6 in respect of the works or other proposals not more than 24 months before the submission of the petition and the Committee confirm in writing that they do not wish to alter that advice, the chancellor may proceed to do any of the things mentioned in paragraph (1)(a) to (c) without seeking further advice from the Committee.

(3) The chancellor may proceed to do any of the things mentioned in paragraph (1)(a) to (c) without seeking the advice of the Diocesan Advisory Committee if—

- (a) the proceedings relate exclusively to exhumation or the reservation of a grave space; or
- (b) the chancellor is satisfied that the matter is sufficiently urgent to justify the grant of a faculty, the issue of an injunction or the making of a restoration order without obtaining the Committee's advice.

(4) This rule is without prejudice to the court's power at any time to grant an interim faculty under Part 14 or an interim injunction under rule 15.6.