FORM 3 (Rule 5)

Section 8 of Care of Cathedrals Measure 2011
Application to the Fabric Advisory Committee for approval of a proposal

To the Fabric Advisory Committee of the Cathedral Church of:

The Cathedral and Metropolitical Church of St Peter in York

The Chapter of the said Cathedral Church applies to the Committee for approval of the following proposal: short description

The Chapter of York proposes to add barriers around two medieval cope chests on display, to effectively manage their care.

Summary of the nature of work and its extent (and materials) [or in the case of an object, a short description of it and details of the proposal]

The wooden cope chests (one 12th century, one 13th century) have been relocated from the South Quire Aisle to the Lady Chapel and the North Quire Aisle, due to scaffolding associated with the conservation of the St Cuthbert Window. The metal barriers protecting them were purpose-built for their old location, and cannot be transferred to their temporary locations. New museum standard barriers will provide enable the public to clearly see the cope chests while discouraging touching. They are free-standing, and are not fixed to the floor or walls. They will remain in place for 3-5 years, until such time as the conservation of the St Cuthbert Window concludes and the chests are moved back to the South Quire Aisle.

Please see the Project Proposal document for further details.

Proposal where work is to be carried out by a tenant

The Chapter considered the proposal at a meeting on: insert date

and subject to approval under the measure is willing to consent to the proposal.

Insert the name and postal address of the tenant, including postcode.

Plans, drawings, specifications or other documents

The proposal is described by the following items which accompany this form:
List and number the items and give reference numbers, if applicable.

1. Project Proposal
DISPLAY OF PUBLIC NOTICE

I confirm that a Public Notice in Form 4 is being displayed from the date of this application and a copy of the Notice is being sent immediately to the following bodies and persons specified in rule 5(3).

Indicate in boxes

X Cathedrals Fabric Commission

if the proposal is for works described in section 2(1)(a) of the Measure

X Historic England (formerly English Heritage)

[as applicable]

X The following national amenity societies:
  • Ancient Monuments Society
  • The Council for British Archaeology
  • The Georgian Group
  • The Society for the Protection of Ancient Buildings
  • The Victorian Society
  • The Twentieth Century Society

X Local Planning Authority

Signed:

Administrator on behalf of the Chapter

Dated: 13th May 2021