

FORM 8 (Rule 7)

Section 9 of Care of Cathedrals Measure 2011 Application to the Cathedrals Fabric Commission for approval of a proposal

To the Cathedrals Fabric Commission ("the Commission")

The Chapter of the Cathedral Church of: *insert name of cathedral and contact details including telephone and email for the administrator or any other person dealing with the application*

St James and St Edmund, Bury St Edmunds

applies to the Commission for approval of the following proposal: *short description*

Nave, north aisle and south aisle re-seating.

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]

To remove and dispose of the existing nave, north aisle and south aisle benches, retaining 6 benches in the cloister. To provide 300 chairs in the nave, Luke Hughes "Edmund" chair. To provide 300 "Theo" chairs for use in the north and south aisles, to be kept stored out of the cathedral church when not in use for specific services or events.

Plans, drawings, specifications or other documents

The proposal is described by the following items which accompany the form:

List and number the items and give reference numbers, if applicable.

Summary of proposals with appendices including:

Statement of significance

Statement of need

Key plan as existing

Key plan as proposed

Photographs of interior

Cathedral archaeologist statements

Samuel Tymms 1878 paper on the Scott restoration

Edmund chair illustrations and renderings of nave by Luke Hughes Partnership 2023

Theo chair illustration

Seating options appraisal

Reflooring options appraisal

List of services where bench pews compromise liturgical flexibility

Cathedral events plan 2023

Separate appendices:

Letter from the Dean

Trinity Furniture Theo chair proposal

Independent statement from Julian Orbach on the cathedral history and the G G Scott aspects

Liturgical plan

DISPLAY OF PUBLIC NOTICE

I confirm that

(i) a Public Notice in Form 9 is being displayed from the date of this application

(ii) a copy of the Public Notice in Form 9 is being sent immediately to the following bodies specified in rule 7(3) and (4) and as indicated below:

(iii) a copy (free of charge) of each of the plans, drawings, specifications or other documents itemised above is being sent immediately in accordance with rule 7(4) to the bodies indicated below.

Indicate in boxes

Fabric Advisory Committee of the Cathedral

Historic England (formerly English Heritage)

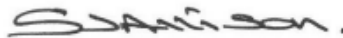
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The following national amenity societies:

- 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

Local Planning Authority *only if the proposal is for works as described in section 2(1)(a) of the Measure*


Signed:

Administrator on behalf of the Chapter

Dated: 14th July 2023