



# Public Health Act 1936

1936 CHAPTER 49 26 Geo 5 and 1 Edw 8

## PART VI

HOSPITALS, NURSING HOMES, &C.

*Laboratories, ambulances, mortuaries, &c.*

### **198 Provision of mortuaries and post-mortem rooms.**

- (1) A local authority or a parish council may, and if required by the Minister shall, provide—
  - (a) a mortuary for the reception of dead bodies before interment;
  - (b) a post-mortem room for the reception of dead bodies during the time required to conduct any post-mortem examination ordered by a coroner or other duly authorised authority;and may make byelaws with respect to the management, and charges for the use, of any such place provided by them.
- (2) A local authority or parish council may provide for the interment of any dead body which may be received into their mortuary.

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Public Health Act 1936, Section 198.