

**IC 23-14-37**

Chapter 37. Unlawful Inducements in the Sale of Burial Rights

**IC 23-14-37-1**

**Unlawful inducements for purchase of burial rights**

Sec. 1. Except as provided in section 2 of this chapter, it is unlawful for a person, as inducement for the purchase of burial rights in a cemetery, to directly or indirectly do the following:

- (1) Offer, promise, or agree to resell or repurchase the burial rights.
- (2) Pay or offer to pay any sum of money as interest or as a premium for the privilege of reselling or repurchasing the burial rights.

*As added by P.L.52-1997, SEC.11.*

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**Repurchase of burial rights under lot exchange plan**

Sec. 2. A cemetery owner may offer or agree to repurchase burial rights under a lot exchange plan that:

- (1) is entered into with other cemetery owners or through an association of cemetery owners; and
- (2) provides for the repurchase of burial rights in case the purchaser should change legal residence to another community and purchases burial rights in a cemetery located in the community of the purchaser's new place of residence.

*As added by P.L.52-1997, SEC.11.*

**IC 23-14-37-3**

**Violation of chapter; Class B misdemeanor**

Sec. 3. A person who knowingly violates this chapter commits a Class B misdemeanor.

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