

**Exercise of delegated powers The Secretary of State has delegated the following powers, conferred on her by the Public Records Act 1958, to the Chief Executive and Keeper of The National Archives and his staff, 1 April 2023- 31 March 2024**

**4(1) NEW APPOINTMENTS AS PLACE OF DEPOSIT FOR PUBLIC RECORDS**

Public records with either specific local relevance or particular specialist and administrative requirements are held outside The National Archives in approved places of deposit. During the year, the following places of deposit were appointed:

Science Museum Group: Science Museum Library and Archive, National Collection Centre, Wroughton, Wiltshire (new facilities), 27 April 2023

Royal Army Chaplains' Museum, Defence Academy, Shrivenham (new facilities), 23 May 2023

Suffolk Archives, The Hold, Ipswich (new building), 6 June 2023

Victoria and Albert Museum: South Kensington, London (store-room B3), 27 June 2023

Cambridgeshire Archives, The Dock, Ely (new building), 3 October 2023

Historic Environment Scotland, for aerial photography records held at the National Collection of Aerial Photography, 11 January 2024

The following extensions were made to existing appointments:

Dorset History Centre, for Maritime and Coastguard Agency Coastguard Station Records, 13 December 2023

Isle of Wight Record Office, for Maritime and Coastguard Agency Coastguard Station Records, 13 December 2023

The following places of deposit were de-appointed and no longer hold public records.

Suffolk Archives, Lowestoft Branch, 3 October 2023

Coldstream Guards Regimental HQ, 8 November 2023

Irish Guards, Museum and Archive, 8 November 2023

### 3(6) PRESENTATIONS

The giving of approval for the presentation of public records which have not been selected for permanent preservation at The National Archives to other appropriate bodies under s. 3(6).

| <b>Presented by</b>      | <b>Presented to</b>           | <b>Class of records</b>  | <b>Date of Instrument</b> | <b>Instrument number</b> |
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| Ministry of Defence      | Historic Environment Scotland | aerial survey photography records  | 28 June 2023              | 2023-15                  |
| National Maritime Museum | West Cheshire Museum          | records of coastal and inland sites excavated or researched by the Archaeology Research Centre relating to Baddiley Mere, Bagley, Cholmondeley, and Oakmere logboats | 1 November 2023           | 2023-16                  |
| National Maritime Museum | River and Rowing Museum       | records of coastal and inland sites excavated or researched by the Archaeology Research Centre relating to Walton log boat dossier                                   | 1 November 2023           | 2023-17                  |
| National Maritime Museum | Sunderland Museum             | records of coastal and inland sites excavated or researched by the Archaeology Research Centre relating to Hylton log boat   | 1 November 2023           | 2023-18                  |
| National Maritime Museum | Kingston Museum               | records of coastal and inland sites excavated or researched by the Archaeology Research Centre relating to Moseley log boat  | 1 November 2023           | 2023-19                  |
| National Maritime Museum | Wisbech & Fenland Museum      | records of coastal and inland sites excavated or researched by the Archaeology Research Centre relating to sites at Anglebridge, Chatteris, Deeping Fen, Haddenham,  | 1 November 2023           | 2023-20                  |

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|                          |                           | Warboys and Wisbech; photographs of the Warboys log boat  |                           |                          |
| National Maritime Museum | Kendal Museum             | records of coastal and inland sites excavated or researched by the Archaeology Research Centre relating to the Kentmere 2 logboat                           | 1 November 2023           | 2023-21                  |
| National Maritime Museum | Yorkshire Museum          | records of coastal and inland sites excavated or researched by the Archaeology Research Centre dossier and other records relating to Stanley Ferry log boat | 1 November 2023           | 2023-22                  |
| National Maritime Museum | Elmbridge Museum          | records of coastal and inland sites excavated or researched by the Archaeology Research Centre relating to the Weybridge 'Viking' ship                      | 1 November 2023           | 2023-23                  |
| National Maritime Museum | Marlow Museum             | records of coastal and inland sites excavated or researched by the Archaeology Research Centre relating to the Marlow logboat                               | 1 November 2023           | 2023-24                  |
| National Maritime Museum | Southend Museum           | records of coastal and inland sites excavated or researched by the Archaeology Research Centre relating to the Southchurch Hall boat timbers                | 1 November 2023           | 2023-25                  |
| National Maritime Museum | Lancaster Maritime Museum | records of coastal and inland sites excavated or researched by the Archaeology Research Centre relating to the Blae Tarn and Wennington log boats           | 1 November 2023           | 2023-26                  |

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| National Maritime Museum | Glastonbury Antiquarian Society       | records of coastal and inland sites excavated or researched by the Archaeology Research Centre, dossiers relating to Glastonbury (1 and 2) and Meare log boats | 1 November 2023           | 2023-27                  |
| National Maritime Museum | National Trust Sutton Hoo             | records of coastal and inland sites excavated or researched by the Archaeology Research Centre, four dossiers relating to the Sutton Hoo ship                  | 1 November 2023           | 2023-28                  |
| National Maritime Museum | Norwich Castle Museum and Art Gallery | records of coastal and inland sites excavated or researched by the Archaeology Research Centre relating to Horsey 1 & 2 and Magdalen Bend log boats            | 1 November 2023           | 2023-29                  |
| National Maritime Museum | Lakeland Arts, Cumbria                | records of coastal and inland sites excavated or researched by the Archaeology Research Centre relating to the Kentmere and Wasdale Beck log boats             | 1 November 2023           | 2023-30                  |
| National Maritime Museum | National Museum, Cardiff              | records of coastal and inland sites excavated or researched by the Archaeology Research Centre relating to the Llyn Lydaw log boat                             | 1 November 2023           | 2023-31                  |
| National Maritime Museum | Tamworth Castle Museum                | records of coastal and inland sites excavated or researched by the Archaeology Research Centre relating to the Tamworth log boat                               | 1 November 2023           | 2023-32                  |

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| National Maritime Museum | Bassetlaw Museum                 | records of coastal and inland sites excavated or researched by the Archaeology Research Centre relating to the Mattersea Thorpe log boat                        | 1 November 2023           | 2023-33                  |
| National Maritime Museum | Brecknock Museum and Art Gallery | records of coastal and inland sites excavated or researched by the Archaeology Research Centre relating to the Llyn Llangorse log boat                          | 1 November 2023           | 2023-34                  |
| National Maritime Museum | Hull and East Riding Museum      | records of coastal and inland sites excavated or researched by the Archaeology Research Centre relating to the Owthorne log boat                                | 1 November 2023           | 2023-35                  |
| National Maritime Museum | Lincoln Museum                   | records of coastal and inland sites excavated or researched by the Archaeology Research Centre relating to Bardney, Billingham, and other sites in Lincolnshire | 1 November 2023           | 2023-36                  |
| National Maritime Museum | Bristol Museum and Art Gallery   | records of coastal and inland sites excavated or researched by the Archaeology Research Centre relating to timbers from Bristol Waterfront/Penner Wharf         | 8 November 2023           | 2023-37                  |
| National Maritime Museum | Milton Keynes Museum             | records of coastal and inland sites excavated or researched by the Archaeology Research Centre relating to Caldecotte plank-built boat                          | 8 November 2023           | 2023-38                  |

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| National Maritime Museum | The Atkinson (Sefton Borough Council)       | records of coastal and inland sites excavated or researched by the Archaeology Research Centre relating to Banks, Brickfield Farm, Churchtown 1+2, and other sites | 8 November 2023           | 2023-39                  |
| National Maritime Museum | Hackney Museum                              | records of coastal and inland sites excavated or researched by the Archaeology Research Centre relating to the Clapton log boat                                    | 8 November 2023           | 2023-40                  |
| National Maritime Museum | Canterbury Museums and Galleries            | records of coastal and inland sites excavated or researched by the Archaeology Research Centre relating to the Seasalter log boat                                  | 8 November 2023           | 2023-41                  |
| National Maritime Museum | Dumfries Museum                             | records of coastal and inland sites excavated or researched by the Archaeology Research Centre relating to the Locharbriggs log boat                               | 8 November 2023           | 2023-42                  |
| National Maritime Museum | Warrington Museum                           | records of coastal and inland sites excavated or researched by the Archaeology Research Centre relating to the Warrington log boats                                | 8 November 2023           | 2023-43                  |
| National Maritime Museum | Sheffield Museums Trust: Weston Park Museum | records of coastal and inland sites excavated or researched by the Archaeology Research Centre relating to the Chapel Flat Dyke log boat                           | 8 November 2023           | 2023-44                  |
| National Maritime Museum | Guildford Museum                            | records of coastal and inland sites excavated or researched by the Archaeology Research  | 8 November 2023           | 2023-45                  |

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|  |                                      | Centre relating to the Wisley log boat  |                           |                          |
| National Maritime Museum                     | British Museum                       | records of coastal and inland sites excavated or researched by the Archaeology Research Centre relating to the North Stoke logboat                      | 8 November 2023           | 2023-46                  |
| National Maritime Museum                     | Reading Museum                       | records of coastal and inland sites excavated or researched by the Archaeology Research Centre relating to the Reading log coffin                       | 8 November 2023           | 2023-47                  |
| National Maritime Museum                     | Birmingham Museum and Art Gallery    | records of coastal and inland sites excavated or researched by the Archaeology Research Centre relating to the Oakley boat and Oakley Park, Mucklestone | 8 November 2023           | 2023-48                  |
| Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office | King's College London                | booklet of Guidance to Diplomatic Service and other Officers and Wives, posted to Diplomatic Service Missions Overseas 1965                             | 6 February 2024           | 2024-01                  |
| Ministry of Defence                          | Wiltshire and Swindon History Centre | Wiltshire aerial photography records  | 6 February 2024           | 2024-02                  |
| Ministry of Defence                          | National Museum of the Royal Navy    | records relating to the RN Engineering Corps site at Manadon 1892 to 2010   | 11 March 2024             | 2024-03                  |

### 4(3) TRANSFERS

The giving of approval for the transfer of public records, in either direction, between The National Archives and places of deposit, as well as transfers between places of deposit is made under s. 4(3) of the Public Records Act 1958.

| <b>Transferred from</b>            | <b>Transferred to</b>             | <b>Class of public record</b>  | <b>Reference</b> | <b>Date of instrument</b> | <b>Instrument number</b> |
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| Suffolk Archives, Lowestoft Branch | Suffolk Archives, Ipswich         | public records held at Lowestoft   | -                | 3 October 2023            | 2023-05                  |
| Hampshire Record Office            | National Museum of the Royal Navy | records of Priddy's Hard ordnance depot                                    | -                | 1 November 2023           | 2023-06                  |
| Coldstream Guards                  | The National Archives             | records of officers and soldiers of the Coldstream Guards and predecessors | -                | 8 November 2023           | 2023-07                  |
| Irish Guards                       | The National Archives             | records of officers and soldiers of the Irish Guards and predecessors      | -                | 8 November 2023           | 2023-08                  |