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Mr John Marr  
Historic Scotland  
Melrose Abbey

Dear John

**Kelso Abbey, remedial works to 27 memorials at Kelso Abbey**

Please find below specification and quotation for the following works to 27 memorials.

**Types of memorials**

27 memorials in sandstone or granite, 2, and 3 part constructions comprising of base, plate and head plus Monolith type memorials sunk into ground.

**Faults in memorials**

- 1/ loose on foundations
- 2/ loose and moving between joints
- 3/ Lying at an angle deemed unsafe

**Works required to lay flat**

Carefully mechanical lift 25 memorials from foundations, split joints where loose and Lay flat, remove only one cornice and Urn and lay flat



**Works required to re erect**

Excavate and lay new foundations for 25 memorials.

Re erect 25 memorials drilling and ground anchor pinning memorial bases to foundations, re pin various sections of memorials where required and re bed joints where required, plus re bed and pin one cornice and one Urn.

Concrete ballast mix for foundation

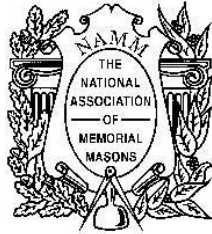
Stainless steel threaded anchor pins, 16mm, 18mm and 25mm pending size of memorial fixed with memfix resin.

Joints bedded in pure cement or lime mortar

Remove surplus foundation bricks and from Abbey



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Yours Sincerely

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