



**Grand Lodge of Mark Master Masons  
of England and Wales and its Districts and Lodges Overseas**

**M.W. Bro. H.R.H. Prince Michael of Kent, GCVO  
Grand Master**



**PROVINCE OF ESSEX**

**R.W.Bro. Terence D. Sheern  
Provincial Grand Master**

**Reponement  
of the**

**Isthmian Combined Services Lodge of Mark Master Masons No.891**

**by**

**R.W. Bro. Terence D. Sheern**

**at**

**Saxon Hall**

**Aviation Way**

**Southend-on-Sea**

**Essex**

**SS2 6UN**

**on**

**Wednesday the 13<sup>th</sup> of October 2021 at 10am**

**Morning Dress or Dark Lounge Suit**

**Full Dress Regalia to be worn**

**Rehearsal of the Petitioners at 8.00am**

**Brethren to be seated in the Temple by 9.45am**

**Lunch to be served at 2.30pm**

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## Part ONE

### Ceremony of Reponement

1. The Reponing Officer will enter in procession and will appoint his Assisting Officers.

#### The Opening Hymn

*Hail Eternal, by whose aid  
All created things were made,  
Heaven and earth Thy vast design  
Hear us, Overseer Divine.*

*May our work begun in Thee,  
Ever blest with order be,  
And may we, when labours cease,  
Part in harmony and peace.*

*By Thy glorious majesty,  
By the trust we place in Thee,  
By the badge and mystic sign,  
Hear us, Overseer Divine.*

*So mote it be.*

2. The Reponing Officer will open a Lodge of Mark Master Masons

3. The Reponing Officer is saluted.

4. The Reponing Officer addresses the Brethren on the object of the Meeting and calls upon the Provincial Grand Chaplain for prayer.

5. **The Opening Prayer**

*Omnes: So mote it be.*

6. The Provincial Grand Director of Ceremonies addresses the Reponing Officer.

7. The Reponing Officer replies and gives directions.  
The Petitioners are arranged in order in the East.

8. The Warrant of Reponement is read.  
The Reponing Officer enquires of the Petitioners if they approve of the Master and Wardens named in the Warrant.

9. **The Reponing Officer Re- Constitutes the Lodge**

10. **The Oration**

By the Provincial Grand Chaplain on the nature and purpose of our Institution

11. **Anthem**

*Eternal Wisdom, whose decree  
Made light to dawn and darkness flee,  
Illumine Thou our earthly sight,  
Make us indeed the sons of light.*

*Eternal Strength, whose mighty hand  
Hath framed the sky, the sea, the land,  
Without Thee vain were mortal skill,  
Make strong our hearts to work Thy  
will.*

*Eternal Beauty, who has blessed  
The works Thy hands in order dressed,  
Make us Thy loveliness to know  
And bear Thy image here below.*

*So mote it be.*

12. **Dedication Prayer (First Part)**

*Omnes: So mote it be.*

The Brethren turn towards the East, whilst the Reponing Officer pronounces.

13. **The Invocation**

*Omnes: So mote it be.*

14. The Provincial Grand Chaplain reads Chronicles Chapter 2, verses 1 - 4

15. The Petitioners stand in the body of the Lodge.

16. **Dedication Prayer (Second Part)**

The Provincial Grand Chaplain reads the Dedication Prayer  
The Reponing Officer Proclaims the Lodge to have been regularly re- constituted, re- dedicated and Reponed.

17. **Patriarchal Benediction**

Omnes: *So mote it be.*

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**Part TWO**

**The Installation**

- 18. Presentation and Installation of the Worshipful Master Designate.
- 19. The Worshipful Master is Saluted, Proclaimed and Entrusted with the Warrant.
- 20. The Wardens are Invested.
- 21. Appointment and Investiture of the Lodge Officers.
- 22. Election of the Treasurer.
- 23. Election of the Tyler.
- 24. Approval of the Lodge By- Laws.
- 25. Election of the Honorary Members.
- 26. The Lodge will **Call- off**.

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**Part THREE**

**The Ceremony of Advancement**

- 27. To Ballot for and if approved to Advance Bro. John Mansfield, DoB 24/03/1951, residing at 28 Coppens Green, Wickford, Essex, SS12 9PA. A Past Master of the Danehurst Lodge No. 4541, Proposed by W. Bro. Roger Breavington and Seconded by W. Bro. Geoff Waddoups.

And/ or;

To Ballot for and if approved to Advance Bro. Jack Holmstock, JP, DoB 30/01/1949, residing at 125 Dynevor Road, Stoke Newington, London, N16 0DA. A Past Master of the Danehurst Lodge No. 4541, Proposed by W. Bro. Roger Breavington and Seconded by W. Bro. Geoff Waddoups. The details of both Candidates having been sent as a Notice to the Petitioners 14 days prior to the Reponement meeting as per Rule 134 (iv).

- 28. The Reponing Officer accompanied by his Assisting Officers will retire in procession.
- 29. Any other Lodge business.
- 30. The Risings
- 31. To close the Lodge.

32. **The Closing Hymn**

*Now the evening shadows closing  
Warn from toil to peaceful rest,  
Mystic arts and rites reposing  
Sacred in each faithful breast.*

*God of light whose love unceasing  
Doth to all Thy works extend,  
Crown our Order with Thy blessing  
Build, sustain us to the end.*

*Humbly now we bow before Thee  
Grateful for Thine aid divine,  
Everlasting power and glory  
Mighty Overseer be Thine.  
So mote it be.*

33.

**First verse of the National Anthem**

34.    Recession from the Lodge.

**Reponement Petitioners and their Office**

Master	W. Bro. Pierre C. J. WADDOUPS
Senior Warden	W. Bro. Prof. Mark D. SHARP
Junior Warden	W. Bro. Peter J. GARDNER
Master Overseer	Bro. Robert P. SELWYN
Senior Overseer	W. Bro. Adrian J. C. FOX
Junior Overseer	W. Bro. Roger F. BREAVINGTON
Chaplain	W. Bro. Nigel R. H. BLORE
Treasurer	Bro. Liam S. LEHANE, MStJ
Registrar of Marks	W. Bro. Malcolm L. HILL
Secretary	W. Bro. Geoffrey J. WADDOUPS
Director of Ceremonies	W. Bro. Steven D. JOSLIN
Almoner	W. Bro. Lestor G. HASLAM
Charity Steward	W. Bro. Dr. Gerald W. CHEVIN
Senior Deacon	Bro. Christopher T. BROWN
Junior Deacon	Bro. Adam J. TAYLOR
Assistant DC	Bro. Robert J. WHITFIELD
Inner Guard	Bro. Allan TILBURY
Tyler	Bro. Nicholas WHITE

