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Sir Richard Brooke, baronet

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Dates: Nineteenth-century holder; exact identification among the successive baronets is not fully resolved by the Acton Grange-specific sources

BIOGRAPHY

The Acton Grange-specific nineteenth-century sources identify Sir Richard Brooke as lord of the manor, exercising courts, and as owner of Norton Priory estate land in Acton-Grange. The evidence consulted does not justify assigning a particular baronetcy number to this record.

NOTES / SOURCES

The 1885 Act proves continuing ownership of Norton Priory estate land in Acton-Grange, while the

1839 survey expressly proves the manorial lordship.

Research sources:

- A Littoral Survey of the Port of Runcorn and Liverpool, 1839, entry for the township of Acton

Grange; Manchester Ship Canal Act 1885, sections concerning the Norton Priory Estates and lands in

Acton-Grange. <https://www.hslc.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2017/08/22-11-Boult.pdf>

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