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Dear Ms Launder

ANCIENT MONUMENTS AND ARCHAEOLOGICAL AREAS ACT 1979 SECTION 2 AND SCHEDULE 1 APPLICATION FOR SCHEDULED MONUMENT CONSENT PROPOSED WORKS AT: HAFOD: PEIRAN CASCADE (CD174)

I refer to your application dated 4 December 2014, for scheduled monument consent to undertake repair work to the base of the east abutment at the above scheduled ancient monument.

You declined the opportunity of appearing before, and being heard by, a person appointed for that purpose, afforded to you by Cadw in the letter dated 26 March 2015. Nor have you submitted any further representations in support of your case.

The proposed works can be carried out without detriment to the historic or archaeological integrity of the monument. Accordingly, the Welsh Government hereby grants scheduled monument consent for the works described at paragraph 4 of the application dated 4 December 2014, subject to the following conditions:

- that Cadw shall be given at least 7 days notice, in writing, of the date of the commencement of the work or of any subsequent adjustment to this date, to allow Cadw's representatives to monitor on site activity;
- 2. that access to the site shall be afforded to representatives of Cadw;

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- 3. that a detailed method statement is submitted for approval by Cadw, prior to works starting. Once approved, all works shall be carried out in accordance with the method statement;
- 4. that works are carried out as detailed in the application dated 4 December 2014 and supplementary information received by Cadw in February 2015;
- 5. that any modification to the proposed work shall require the written approval of Cadw, before it is undertaken:
- 6. that it is the responsibility of the project manager to ensure that all contractors are aware of the Scheduled status of this site, and of the restrictions which this imposes that Cadw shall be informed in writing immediately upon the completion of the works;
- 7. this consent permits pointing, grouting and stitching along the full width of the buttress, to a maximum height of 1500mm above the river bed. This means that the full width can be assessed once the temporary access is arranged;
- 8. that all cores (removed to allow the insertion of grouted rods) will be used to refill the drilled holes, making the repairs as unobtrusive as possible;
- 9. the contractor is responsible for complying with all relevant health and safety legislation, as well as ensuring compliance with natural environment legislation and guidelines;
- 10. that all works will be recorded photographically, including before, during and after photographs. The photographs should be annotated as necessary and, where applicable, a brief explanation supplied for decisions taken during the works. The photographs should be accompanied by a plan/section drawings showing the locations of repairs undertaken;
- 11. that, at completion, the site shall be left in a stable and tidy condition to the satisfaction of the landowner and Cadw; and
- 12. that within three months of completion of work, the project manager is responsible for submitting a completion report. The report shall comprise the photographic record (as above), relevant method statements, plans and drawings together with a brief commentary explaining what has been done. Digital copies of the report shall be submitted to:
  - i) Cadw (adele.davies42@wales.gsi.gov.uk)
  - ii) The Regional Historic Environment Record held by Dyfed Archaeological Trust (m.page@dyfedarchaeology.org.uk)
  - iii) the National Monument Record held by the Royal Commission on the Ancient and Historical Monuments of Wales (Email: Gareth.Edwards@rcahmw.gov.uk)

Section 2(6) of the 1979 Act provides that non-compliance with a condition attached to a grant of scheduled monument consent shall be an offence.

By virtue of Section 4 of the 1979 Act if no works to which this consent relates are executed or started within 5 years from the date of this letter, the consent shall cease to have effect at the end of that period (unless it is revoked in the meantime).

This letter does not convey any approval or consent required under any enactment, bylaw, order or regulation other than Section 2 of the Ancient Monuments and Archaeological Areas Act 1979.

Your attention is drawn to the enclosed note (SMC19) which sets out your right to challenge the above decision.

Yours sincerely,

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Enc. SMC19

Interim letter dated 26 March 2015