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Dear Dr Caple

**ANCIENT MONUMENTS AND ARCHAEOLOGICAL AREAS ACT 1979
SECTION 2 AND SCHEDULE 1
APPLICATION FOR SCHEDULED MONUMENT CONSENT
PROPOSED WORKS AT: CASTELL NANHYFER/NEVERN CASTLE (PE160)**

I refer to your application dated 2 September 2015, for scheduled monument consent to carry out the 2016 season of archaeological excavations at the site of 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 17 December 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 2 September 2015, subject to the following conditions:

1. that Cadw shall be given at least two weeks 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;
3. that the excavation trenches shall be dug as shown in the application documents. In particular, they should not be enlarged without the permission of Cadw;
4. that Cadw shall be informed in writing immediately upon the completion of the works

Mae'r Gwasanaeth Amgylchedd Hanesyddol Llywodraeth Cymru (Cadw) yn hyrwyddo gwaith cadwraeth ar gyfer amgylchedd hanesyddol Cymru a gwerthfawrogiad ohono.

The Welsh Government Historic Environment Service (Cadw) promotes the conservation and appreciation of Wales's historic environment.

Rydym yn croesawu gohebiaeth yn Gymraeg ac yn Saesneg.
We welcome correspondence in both English and Welsh.



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5. that an interim report shall be provided within 6 months of the excavation season being completed. The report should be provided to:-

- i) Cadw (adele.davies42@wales.gsi.gov.uk)
- ii) The Regional Historic Environment Record held by Dyfed Archaeological Trust (m.page@dyfedarchaeology.gov.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 17 December 2015