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Dear Lisa Ann,

FLA 430 19-20 Blackhook and Bush Plantations

Thank you for your consultation. I have checked the map boundary against the regional Historic Environment Record (HER) and other sources and note the following historic environment feature recorded within the consultation area:

PRN 28496

NAME: 78 'Q' SITE BEGELLY

SITE TYPE: BOMBING DECOY

NGR: SN10900746

DESCRIPTION:

Command post for a bombing decoy designed to draw bombers away from RAF Carew Cheriton, 6KM to the west. Built c.1941-43 - now derelict. It is a single storey, steel framed structure with a curved profile originally under a corrugated zinc sheet roof. Formerly covered with earth. Entrance in west gable protected by stepped brick walls. Eastern gable abutts a brick built lobby accessed by an entrance in the north wall flanked by brick blast walls. Hatch in roof over. Internal doorway in eastern wall of lobby allows access to a parabolic pre-cast concrete bolted panel engine room with a raised concrete engine bed. (RJC.Thomas,1993). The building was visited as part of Tir Gofal survey in 2003 and found to be in reasonable condition although derelict. The building is fenced off from a neighbouring pasture field and is at the end of a recently planted plantation. Recent aerial photographs (Next Perspectives, 2009) show the building still survives although is being encroached upon by vegetation. (H. Pritchard, 2014)

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Forestry operations should avoid causing damage to this structure or any related features or earthworks.

There is always the possibility for previously unknown remains to survive within this area of which we have no knowledge. Should further archaeological features or finds be identified it is important that Dyfed Archaeological Trust Heritage Management is informed and further information and advice can then be provided as required.

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