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Dear Ms Conneller

**ANCIENT MONUMENTS AND ARCHAEOLOGICAL AREAS ACT 1979
SECTION 2 AND SCHEDULE 1
APPLICATION FOR SCHEDULED MONUMENT CONSENT
PROPOSED WORKS AT: FFYNNON BEUNO (FL069)**

I refer to your application dated 14 March 2014 for scheduled monument consent to carry out excavations 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 16 April 2014. 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 14 March 2014, subject to the following conditions:

1. that Cadw shall be given notice of the commencement of works or of any subsequent adjustment to the date, to allow Cadw's representatives to monitor on site activity;
2. that access to the site shall be afforded to representatives of Cadw and that a programme of monitoring is agreed beforehand;
3. that the excavation and recording methodology employed during the excavations shall correspond to that set out in the application and project design submitted in 2012;
4. that test pits outside the cave shall be excavated to a staged programme as in previous seasons, and that no pits are left open overnight;

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5. that the trenches within the cave shall be covered and secured against animals over night;
6. that in the event of wet weather or trampling, covers shall be positioned around trenches and pits to prevent erosion of adjacent vegetation or ground surfaces;
7. that all excavated areas shall be completed within the proposed period;
8. that on the completion of excavation, areas to be backfilled shall be distinguished from adjacent undisturbed soil either with a material distinct from the excavated fill or a geotextile barrier against unexcavated surfaces;
9. that an interim report of the excavations, including conservation status of all artefacts, shall be sent to Cadw, the National Monuments Record at the RCAHMMW and the regional Historic Environment Record at the Clwyd-Powys Archaeological Trust within three months of the completion of fieldwork;
10. that any modification to the above works must be approved in advance by Cadw;
11. that the site is left in a stable and tidy condition upon completion;
12. that Cadw shall be informed in writing on the completion of works.
13. that within six weeks of completion of work, a digital copy of the archaeological report shall be submitted by email to sophie.clipstone@wales.gsi.gov.uk, Cadw for approval. Once Cadw has provided written confirmation of approval, digital copies of the final report shall be deposited with :-
 - i) Cadw sophie.clipstone@wales.gsi.gov.uk
 - ii) The Regional Historic Environment Record held by Clwyd Powys Archaeological Trust (trust@cpat.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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Dear Ms Conneller,

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SECTION 2 AND SCHEDULE 1
APPLICATION FOR SCHEDULED MONUMENT CONSENT
PROPOSED WORKS AT: FFYNNON BEUNO CAVE (FL069)**

I refer to your application dated 11 June 2012, for scheduled monument consent to carry out an excavation 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 11 June 2012. 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 10 May 2012, 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 Cadw shall be given notice of the commencement of works or of any subsequent adjustment to the date, to allow Cadw's representatives to monitor on site activity;
4. that access to the site shall be afforded to representatives of Cadw and that a programme of monitoring is agreed beforehand;

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5. that test pits outside the cave shall be excavated to a staged programme as in 2011, and that no pits are open overnight;
6. that the trenches within the cave shall be covered and secured against animals over night;
7. that in the event of wet weather or trampling, covers shall be positioned around trenches and pits to prevent erosion of adjacent vegetation or ground surfaces;
8. that all excavated areas shall be completed within the proposed period;
9. that on the completion of excavation, areas shall be backfilled with a material distinct from the excavated fill and that surfaces;
- 10.that an interim report of the excavations, including conservation status of all artefacts, shall be sent to Cadw, the National Monuments Record at the Royal Commission on the Ancient and Historical Monuments of Wales and the regional Historic Environment Record at Clwyd-Powys Archaeological Trust within three months of the completion of fieldwork;
- 11.that any modification to the above works must be approved in advance by Cadw;
- 12.that the site is left in a stable and tidy condition upon completion;
- 13.that Cadw shall be informed in writing on the completion of works;
- 14.that any modification to the proposed work shall require the written approval of Cadw, before it is undertaken; and
- 15.that Cadw shall be informed in writing immediately upon the completion of the works.

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