Case information

Case ID	300017461
File Reference	HGH/B/LC/69
Name of Site	Fala Luggie

Local Authority	Midlothian Council		
National Grid Reference	NT 4243 5899		
Designation No. (if any)	LB7442		
Designation Type	Listed Building	Current Category of Listing	С
Case Type	Removal		

Received/Start Date	2014 date of project
Decision Date	28/10/2015

1. Proposed Decision

Remove: Remove building from the List.

2. Designation Background and Development Proposals

2.1 Designation Background

Fala Luggie is a category C building and was listed on 14/09/1979. It is in Fala and Soutra Parish which has not been resurveyed.

Falla Luggie Tower, towerhouse is a scheduled monument (SM5653). The entry in the Schedule is dated 03/03/1993.

2.2 Development Proposals

Not checked as part of this project.

3. Assessment

3.1 Assessment information

The building was considered for removal as part of the Dual Designation project. This is a nationwide project to review structures which have in the past been both listed as buildings of special architectural or historic interest and scheduled as monuments of national importance. This 'dual designation' is being phased out and structures are being assigned to being either listed or scheduled depending on their individual circumstances. Removing this dual designation will help to reduce confusion about designation and provide clarity for the future management of the sites.

The site was not visited.

The present assessment is desk-based, using available information and has included reference to recent photographs.

3.2 Assessment against designation criteria

An assessment against the Listing criteria was not carried out.

The designation criteria are found in the Scottish Historic Environment Policy (SHEP), pp. 71-85. http://www.historic-scotland.gov.uk/shep-dec2011.pdf

3.3 Other considerations

As part of the Dual Designation project, we have reviewed the structures at this site and concluded that scheduling is the most appropriate designation for this monument. The importance of the monument will continue to be recognised through its continuing designation as a scheduled monument.

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