

Ancient Monuments and Archaeological Areas Act 1979

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1 Applicant name and address

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2 Monument to which application applies

Index no	13031	Name	Holyrood Abbey, precinct and associated remains		
Local Authority	City of Edinburgh Council	Grid Ref	NT 269, 739		
Description of location of land	Gardens to Palace of Holyroodhouse				

3 Pre-application discussions

Have you undertaken pre-application discussions with Historic Environment Scotland? (If yes, please give details below)	Y <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/>
discussion with Deirdre Cameron, Senior Heritage Management Officer	

4 Summary of proposed works (max 20 words)

Felling of two ash diseased trees considered unsafe after storm damage.

5 Description of proposed works

Ash trees 091 and 094, noted as diseased and highlighted for cordon to full spread, were considered unsafe in future stormy weather after fallen and broken branches in Jan/Feb 2016. Assessment by tree specialist to restore safe balance for public access to area was for removal of remaining limbs to leave effectively a trunk pole; it is now recommended to fell the trees.

6 List of plans, drawings and other documents accompanying application (continue on separate sheet if necessary)				
No	Description	Reference	Document emailed	Document posted
1.	Location Plan	2016-05-(90)-001A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2.	tree assessment reports	Ash trees 091 and 094	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3.	annotated photographs	email dated 03 June 2016	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.	protected species assessment	email from RT 03.06.2016	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5.			<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

7 Nature Conservation – Protected Places and Species	
<p>Will the proposed works affect any of the following:</p> <p>Yes No</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Site of Special Scientific Interest</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Special Protection Areas</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Special Areas of Conservation</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> European Protected Species</p> <p>If Yes, please give details below</p> <p>Tree cavities are potential roost sites; HES Natural Heritage Advisor has been consulted for appropriate actions to follow specialist advice prior to commencement of works at date to be agreed.</p>	

8 Other information relevant to application
<p>Separate notification - Emergency Works deemed necessary at both trees to remove diseased and storm damaged tree limbs at risk of further fall and retain stability of the remaining tree (trunk).</p>

9 Declaration	
<p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> I hereby apply for scheduled monument consent for the works described in this application and shown on the accompanying plans and drawings.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> I confirm that the information I have given on this form is true and accurate.</p>	
Name	Karen Williamson
Date	30 June 2016
On behalf of	Historic Environment Scotland
<p>Where an application is being dealt with by an agent to whom correspondence should be sent, state the:-</p>	
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