

Ancient Monuments and Archaeological Areas Act 1979

It is important that you read the accompanying guidance notes as incorrect completion will delay the processing of your application. You can complete and submit this form by email (scheduledmonumentconsent@hes.scot) or by post to Heritage Management Business Support, Historic Environment Scotland, Longmore House, Salisbury Place, Edinburgh, EH9 1SH.

1 Applicant name and address

Title	Dr	First Name	Andy	Surname	Heald
Company / Organisation	AOC Archaeology Group				
Building No / Name	Edgefield Industrial Estate				
Street	Edgefield Road				
Town / City	Loanhead				
County / Region	Midlothian				
Postcode	EH20 9SY				

2 Monument to which application applies

Index no	5997	Name	Kilspindie Castle, Castle and Settlement		
Local Authority	East Lothian	Grid Ref	NT4617 800		
Description of location of land	Crop marks on a low lying and generally flat area of land				

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"/>
Meetings have taken place with Rory McDonald since 2013. These meetings summarised the background to the project, the funding, the scope of works and the nature of the landowner/client discussions.		

4 Summary of proposed works (max 20 words)

Excavation of possible Anglian timber buildings in the Glebe Field, Aberlady
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5 Description of proposed works

The Aberlady Conservation and Historical Society (ACHS) have been awarded grants from East Lothian Council, Gullane Area Community Council and Heritage Lottery Fund to undertake a project called Aberlady Angles. The project proposes a series of community-led activities including a schools' learning programme, community training workshops and a research excavation at the Scheduled Monument of Glebe Field (Scheduled 1994, Index No.5997).

The site was scheduled in 1994 following the discovery through metal-detecting of a number of finds ranging from the Roman Iron Age through to the Medieval / Modern period. The assemblage includes a number of Anglo-Saxon finds which are of national importance. Subsequent geophysical surveys undertaken between 1993 and 2008 have highlighted possible rectangular buildings within the southern part of Glebe Field. The aim of the project is to excavate these archaeological features to ascertain whether they are Anglian in date and character. AOC Archaeology Group has been commissioned to undertake the proposed work.

The full project design and method statement is appended as Doc 1.
Full funding is in place for the project

6 List of plans, drawings and other documents accompanying application (continue on separate sheet if necessary)

No	Description	Reference	Document emailed	Document posted
1.	Full Project Design and Methodology	Doc 1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2.			<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3.			<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.			<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5.			<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

7 Nature Conservation – Protected Places and Species

Will the proposed works affect any of the following:

- | Yes | No | |
|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Site of Special Scientific Interest |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Special Protection Areas |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Special Areas of Conservation |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | European Protected Species |

If Yes, please give details below

The applicant is unaware of any of these issues

8 Other information relevant to application

9 Declaration

- I hereby apply for scheduled monument consent for the works described in this application and shown on the accompanying plans and drawings.
- I confirm that the information I have given on this form is true and accurate.

Name	Andy Heald	Date	February 25 th (and 18 th March 2016)
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On behalf of	AOC Archaeology Group
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Where an application is being dealt with by an agent to whom correspondence should be sent, state the:-

Name of Agent		Tel No	
Address			
	Post Code		