



**Ancient Monuments and Archaeological Areas Act 1979
Scheduled Monument Consent Decision Notice**

Case ID	300018894	Index no	SM90282
Scheduled Monument	Spynie Palace		
Location/ Address	Moray		
Proposed Works	Investigative archaeological survey to establish extent of remains of well		

Historic Environment Scotland hereby **grants** scheduled monument consent for the works detailed below without conditions.

Consented Works:

- a) Excavation to expose the edges of the well and its immediate environs, involving the removal of soil down to features identified in the 1987 excavation up to 1m out from the edges of the well.

as described in your application which we validated on 16 December 2016 and the following supporting documents:

- 1) Location plan – 463/282/231
- 2) Updated WSI – dated 27 January 2017
- 3) Background paper setting out reasoning behind works at the well – dated 01 March 2016

Reasons for the Decision:

The works proposed are considered acceptable in meeting the terms of national policy for scheduled monuments, and also accounting for other material considerations.

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