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	Mr	**First Name**	Stuart	**Surname**	Young
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Street					
Town / City	Dunecht				
County / Region	Westhill Aberdeenshire				
Postcode	AB32 7AW				

2 Monument to which application applies

Index no		**Name**	Dunnottar Castle
Local Authority	Aberdeenshire Council	**Grid Ref**	NO 881 839
Description of location of land	Dunnottar Castle, Stonehaven, Aberdeenshire		

3 Pre-application discussions

Have you undertaken pre-application discussions with Historic Environment Scotland? (If yes, please give details below)	**Y** ☒ **N** ☐
Briefly discussed with Richard Heawood during his visit to Dunnottar Castle on 30 October 2017.	

4 Summary of proposed works (max 20 words)

Installation of sumps to rooms 1 and 2 in the West Range to facilitate draining standing water.

5 Description of proposed works

Sumps, as detailed in attached paperwork, will be installed at a low point in both rooms to facilitate the use of a water pump to remove standing water from the area. The installation will involve digging a small area, big enough to accommodate a PVC pipe with an outside diameter of 250mm. This pipe will be placed in an upright position within this hole at a depth appropriate to allow the suction filter of a water pump to fit inside and draw the water away. A cover will be fitted to the pipe when not in use. The sumps are necessary to allow for prompt removal of rainwater which accumulates after heavy rain. The removal of the water protects the stonework from damage, enhances the appearance of these areas and allows visitors to access them without walking through ankle deep water.

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

No	Description	Reference	Document emailed	Document posted
1.	Photographs of proposed areas	West range room 1 & 2	☒	☐
2.	Overall site map	Page 1	☒	☐
3.	Drawing of sump as installed	Page 7	☒	☐
4.	Sketch – location of sumps	Page 4	☒	☐
5.			☐	☐

7 Nature Conservation – Protected Places and Species

Will the proposed works affect any of the following:

Yes	No	
☐	☒	Site of Special Scientific Interest
☐	☒	Special Protection Areas
☐	☒	Special Areas of Conservation
☐	☒	European Protected Species

If Yes, please give details below

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	Kenny Macpherson	**Date**	17-04-18
On behalf of	The Dickinson Trust Ltd. for The Dunnottar Trust		

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	