Ancient Monuments and Archaeological Areas Act 1979

It is important that you read the accompanying Scheduled Monument Consent Application Guidance Note to avoid any delay in processing your application. You can complete and submit this form by email (scheduledmonumentconsent@hes.scot) or by post to Heritage Directorate Business Support, Historic Environment Scotland, Longmore House, Salisbury Place, Edinburgh, EH9 1SH.

1 Applicant name and address

Title	Mr	**First Name**	Alex	**Surname**	Morrison
Company / Organisation	Dunecht Estates				
Building No / Name	The Estate Office				
Street	Dunecht				
Town / City	Aberdeen				
County / Region	Aberdeenshire				
Postcode	AB39 7AW				

2 Monument to which application applies

Index no	SM986	**Name**	Dunnottar Castle
Local Authority	Aberdeenshire	**Grid Ref**	NO 88108 83875
Description of location of land			

3 Pre-application discussions

Have you undertaken pre-application discussions with Historic Environment Scotland? (If yes, please give details below)	**Y** ☐ **NX**

4 Summary of proposed works (max 20 words)

Excavation to investigate a suspected underground water leak adjacent Silver House

5 Description of proposed works

Water is puddling next to the North face of the Silver House building. The proposed works is to excavate the ground to investigate the causes of this leak, which is located in the area of existing pipework leading

to the staff facilities in the Silver House and the septic tank. Excavation proposed to prevent damage to the SAM and to ensure business continuity.

6 Indicative timescale for proposed works

3-5 days

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

No	Description	Reference	Document emailed	Document posted
1.	Aerial View of Dunnottar Castle		X	☐
2.	Plan of Dunnottar Castle		X	☐
3.			☐	☐
4.			☐	☐
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8 Nature Conservation – Protected Places and Species

Will the proposed works affect any of the following (please tick):

Yes	No	
☐	X	**Site of Special Scientific Interest**
☐	X	**Special Protection Area**
☐	X	**Special Areas of Conservation**
☐	X	**European Protected Species**
☐	X	**Other Protected Species**
☐	X	**Other Biodiversity Concerns**

If yes, do you consent to your personal information and this application being passed to Scottish Natural Heritage for the purpose of processing an application for SSSI consent, should this be required? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Please give details below

9 Other information relevant to application

10 Declaration

I hereby apply for scheduled monument consent for the works described in this application and shown on the accompanying plans and drawings.

X I confirm that the information I have given on this form is true and accurate.

Name	Alex Morrison	**Date**	08/04/25
Signature	Alex Morrison		
On behalf of	George F Pearson		

Where an application is being dealt with by an agent to whom correspondence should be sent, state

Name of Agent		**Tel No**	
Address			
		Post Code	