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Dear Mr Hill

Ancient Monuments and Archaeological Areas Act 1979 (as amended) section 42 - licence to carry out a geophysical survey

SAWTRY ABBEY: A CISTERCIAN ABBEY ON THE SOUTHERN EDGE OF SAWTRY FEN, SAWTRY, HUNTINGDONSHIRE, CAMBRIDGESHIRE

Case No:SL00128278

Monument no:NHLE 1013280; 27103

I refer to your application dated 19 March 2016, to carry out a geophysical survey at the above site.

Historic England is empowered to grant licences for such activity and I can confirm that we are prepared to do so as set out below.

By virtue of powers contained in section 42 of the 1979 Ancient Monuments and Archaeological Areas Act (as amended by the National Heritage Act 1983) Historic England hereby grants permission for geophysical survey of SAWTRY ABBEY: A CISTERCIAN ABBEY ON THE SOUTHERN EDGE OF SAWTRY FEN, for the areas shown on the map that accompanied your application (copy attached). This permission is subject to the following conditions.

1. The permission shall only be exercised by Mr Philip Hill and nominated representatives and by no other person. It is not transferable to another individual.
2. The permission shall commence on 4 April 2016 and shall cease to have effect on 31 July 2016.
3. A full report summarising the results of the geophysical survey and their interpretation shall be sent in hard copy to Andrew Northfield at the address below and electronic (pdf) format to sarah.poppy@HistoricEngland.org.uk, copied to Paul.Linford@HistoricEngland.org.uk no later than 6 months after the completion of the survey.
4. The enclosed questionnaire shall be completed and appended to the survey



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report. For convenience an electronic version of this questionnaire can be downloaded from <http://HistoricEngland.org.uk/advice/technical-advice/archaeological-science/geophysics>.

5. A copy of the report shall also be sent (in their preferred format) to the local Historic Environment Record (HER). The local HER's contact details can be found at <http://www.heritagegateway.org.uk/gateway/chr/default.aspx>.
6. A record signposting your investigation shall be made with the Archaeology Data Service using their online OASIS Data Collection form no later than 6 months after completion of the survey. Please see <http://oasis.ac.uk/> for details or contact oasis@HistoricEngland.org.uk for information and training.

This letter does not carry any consent or approval required under any enactment, bye-law, order or regulation other than section 42 of the 1979 Act (as amended).

You are advised that the person nominated under this licence to carry out the activity should keep a copy of this licence in their possession in case they should be challenged whilst on site.

Yours sincerely

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