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Hi Emily

Confirmation from archaeology for SI licence.

Many thanks
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Dear Michelle,

I received your email via our enquiries team regarding the geotechnical investigations relating to the Fishguard Linkspan works.

Many thanks for the associated information on the works proposed in this phase. The nature of the borehole/vibrocore work does not pose any potential impact to known archaeological material, and so we have no objection to that element of the work taking place.

This type of work has huge potential to inform and enhance knowledge regarding underlying prehistoric landscapes and in particular, peat deposits, formed at a time when sea-levels were much lower than today. No such deposits have been recorded on the foreshore at Goodwick, but there is potential for them to exist within lower levels of sediment. As such, we would appreciate it if you could forward a copy of any reports resulting from the work as a means to better understand the survival of any buried prehistoric land surfaces in the area.

Finally. A large number of ships have been recorded as being lost within Fishguard Harbour over the past few centuries. There are three sets of wreck material on the foreshore by way of example of these losses. The geotechnical work proposed is highly unlikely to come across any unknown archaeological material because the scale of the investigation is so

small. But, if you do encounter any unexpected archaeological remains in the course of your work, please inform us.

If you have any questions or queries relating to the above, please let me know and I can discuss them further.

Yours

Julian



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