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Your ref: 300040226
Our ref: SMC-ZET-001
25 June 2020

Dear Madam

**ANCIENT MONUMENTS AND ARCHAEOLOGICAL AREAS ACT 1979
THE SCHEDULED MONUMENT CONSENT (NOTIFICATION OF APPLICATIONS)
DIRECTION 2015**

**EVALUATION AND TARGETED EXCAVATION OF COASTAL STACK SETTLEMENT
UNDER THREAT FROM COASTAL EROSION AT KAME OF ISBISTER, SETTLEMENT,
BURRAVOE**

I refer to the Directorate's letter of 29 May 2020.

Since it has not been possible to reach a decision on this case, Scottish Ministers have decided to extend the period for their consideration. Scottish Ministers hereby direct that you may not grant Scheduled Monument Consent before 23 July 2020 for the above mentioned development before hearing from Scottish Ministers who may during that time, require you to refer the application to them for decision.

Yours faithfully

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