

THE ANCIENT MONUMENTS AND ARCHAEOLOGICAL AREAS ACT 1979  
ENTRY IN THE SCHEDULE OF MONUMENTS

11607

The monument known as Ackron, three cairns 325m ENE of, Kinchyle, comprises an alignment of three cairns of probable Bronze-Age date that lie 25m above sea level, close to the River Nairn. They sit in regenerating woodland 325m ENE of Ackron cottage at Kinchyle farm, each visible as a mound covered in grass, broom and gorse. Situated on the crest of a glacial ridge, the cairns are aligned from NW to SE and set 5m apart. The NW cairn measures 6.5m in diameter and survives to 0.5m in height. The central cairn measures 7m in diameter and 0.5m high, with the SE cairn measuring 3m in diameter and 0.3m in height. The remains of a partial ditch surrounds the central and SE cairns; the central cairn has traces of a ditch 1m wide to its N and E sides, with the SE cairn having traces of a ditch 0.5m wide also to its N and E sides. The area to be scheduled is rectangular, to include the remains described and an area around within which evidence relating to their construction and use may survive. The monument, which lies in the Parish of Croy and Dalcross and the County of Nairn as shown outlined in red on the Plan annexed and executed as relative hereto

hereby included in the Schedule of Monuments appearing to the Scottish Ministers to be of national importance compiled and maintained by them under section 1(1) of the Ancient Monuments and Archaeological Areas Act 1979.

Subscribed by Malcolm Cooper, Chief Inspector with Historic Scotland, being an officer of the Scottish Ministers at Edinburgh on the 21 day of Feb  
Two thousand and eight, before this witness Victoria Ball, of Longmore House, Salisbury Place, Edinburgh.

Chief Inspector

REGISTERS OF SCOTLAND  
GENERAL REGISTER OF SASINES  
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This is the plan referred to in the entry in the Schedule affected by the Order made under the Ancient Monuments and Archaeological Areas Act 1979, relating to the site of Ackron, three cairns 325m ENE of, Kinchyle

dated: 21/2/07 and is signed as relative thereto.



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Ackron, three cairns  
325m ENE of, Kinchyle

Croy and Dalcross Parish

Scheduled Area



Mapsheet(s):  
NH85SE

Scale: 1:2,500

0 25 50 75 100 125 Metres

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Re: The Monument known as  
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