THE ANCIENT MONUMENTS AND ARCHAEOLOGICAL AREAS ACT 1979

Entry in the Schedule of Monuments

1994

Re: The Monument known as Quoyness, chambered cairn, Els Ness, Sanday

in the Parish of Cross and Burness and County of Orkney

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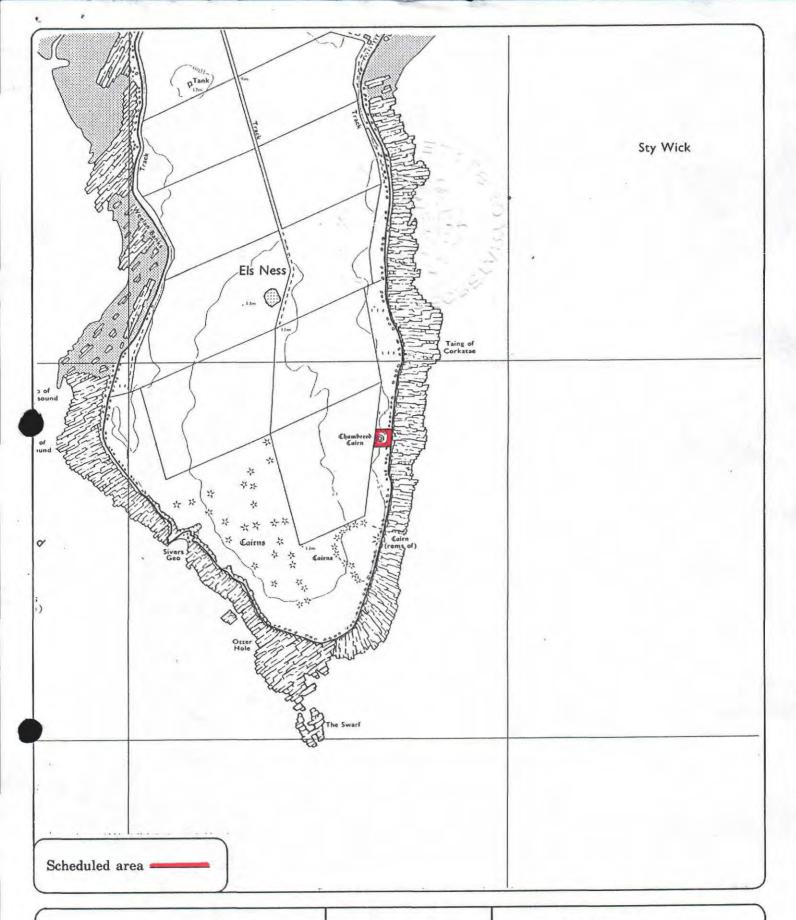
The monument known as Quoyness, chambered cairn, Els Ness, Sanday comprises a Neolithic chambered burial cairn, situated near to the E shore of the promontory of Els Ness. The cairn was in use around 2900 BC. The area to be scheduled is a quadrilateral, measuring a maximum of 45m E-W by 43m N-S, bounded on the E by the high water mark of the shore and on the W by a field fence (which is excluded). It includes the cairn and an area around in which evidence relating to its construction and use may survive. The monument, which lies in the Parish of Cross and Burness and the County of Orkney as shown outlined in red on the Plan annexed and executed as relative hereto is hereby included in the Schedule of Monuments appearing

compiled and maintained by him under section 1(1) of the Ancient Monuments and Archaeological Areas Act 1979.

Given under the Seal of the Secretary of State for Scotland.

Assistant Secretary
Date 25 PKIL 1994

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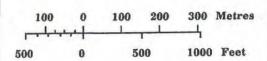
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