

Historic Environment Scotland Àrainneachd Eachdraidheil Alba

AMENDED ENTRY

13615

The Ancient Monuments and Archaeological Areas Act 1979

Amended entry in the schedule of monuments

Historic Environment Scotland in exercise of the powers conferred on it by section 1(1) of the Ancient Monuments and Archaeological Areas Act 1979 hereby amends the entry in the statutory schedule of monuments as set out below.

The monument known as **Tinkers' Heart, Scottish Travellers' commemorative monument 820m E of Arдно** comprises a heart-shaped setting of quartz stones, which is embedded in tarmac in a former road junction now lying within a field. The Heart measures 1.75m by 1.40m, the top being aligned towards the NW. In 2015, it was defined by 25 quartz pebbles around the perimeter, with a 26th stone in the centre. Oral tradition links the site with stories of Scottish Travellers who died in the Jacobite uprising of 1745, though it appears the quartz stones were first laid out much later, potentially during the early 20th century. The Tinkers' Heart lies where the road leading NW from Lochgoilhead met the main route along the S shore of Loch Fyne; the modern road junction now lies about 60m to the E. The site lies 109m above sea level and has fine views to the W and SW over Loch Fyne towards Inveraray. The scheduled area is circular on plan, measuring 20m in diameter and centred on the middle of the Heart, to include the remains described above and an area around them within which evidence relating to the monument's construction and use is expected to survive. The scheduling specifically excludes the above-ground elements of the metal fence enclosing the stone setting. The monument, which lies in the Parish of Lochgoilhead and Kilmorich and the County of Argyll as shown in red on the Plan annexed and executed as relative hereto



, is hereby included in the Schedule of Monuments appearing to Historic Environment Scotland to be of national importance compiled and maintained by it under section 1(1) of the Ancient Monuments and Archaeological Areas Act 1979.

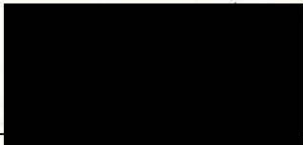
This entry supersedes the Entry in the Schedule of Monuments for the monument known then as **Tinkers' Heart, Scottish Travellers' commemorative monument 820m E of Arдно** as referred to in the Entry in the Schedule of Monuments by the Scottish Ministers in respect of the monument dated 30 July 2015.

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Subscribed by Allan Rutherford, Deputy Head of Designations (Scheduling) with Historic Environment Scotland, at Edinburgh on the 21 day of October Two thousand and Fifteen, before this witness Edwin Smith, of Longmore House, Salisbury Place, Edinburgh.



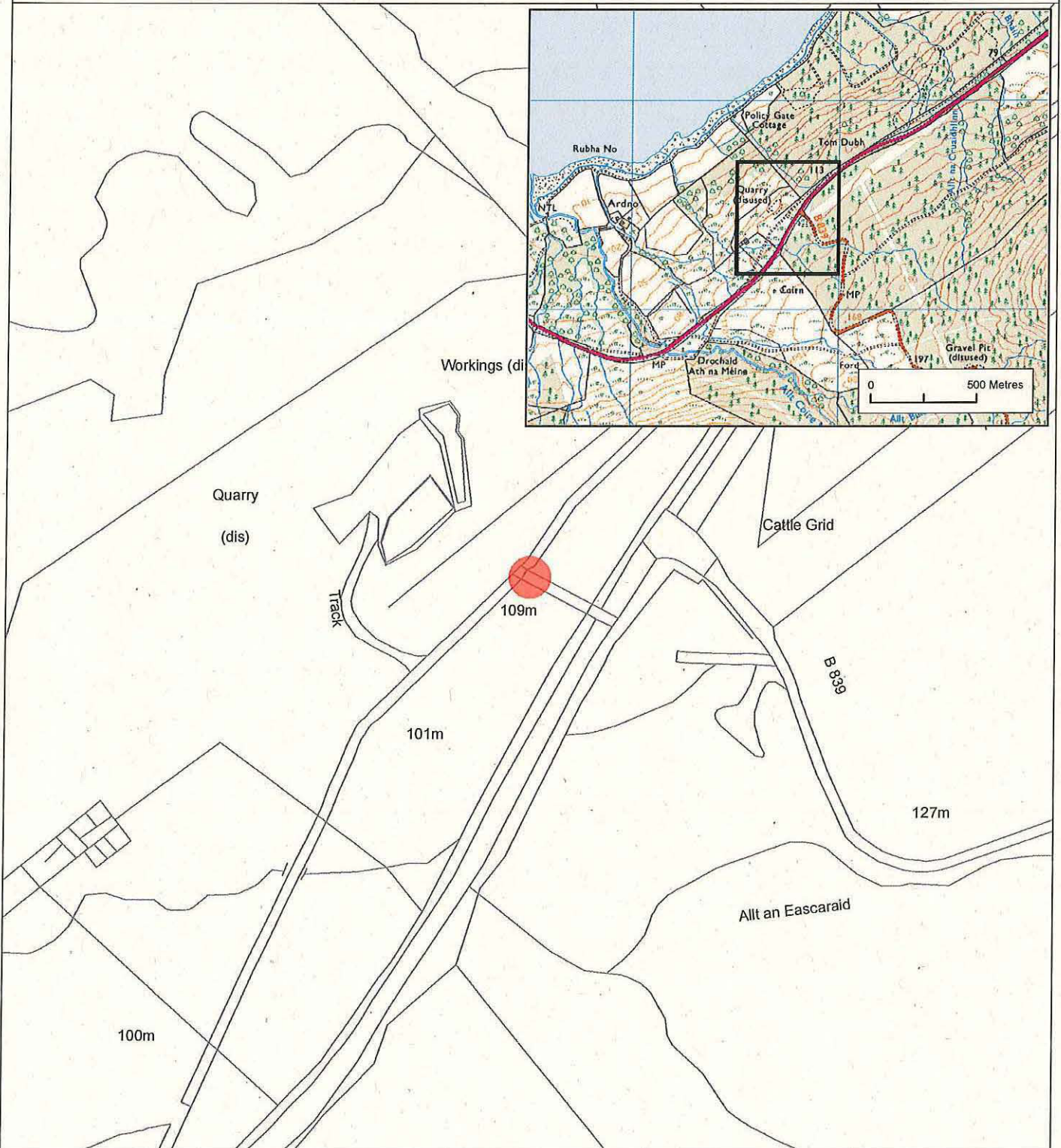
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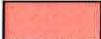
This is the plan referred to in the entry in the Schedule affecting:
 Tinkers' Heart, Scottish Travellers' commemorative monument 820m E of Ardnò

dated: 21/10/15 and is signed as relative thereto.



Designation Reference: SM13615
 Tinkers' Heart, Scottish Travellers' commemorative monument 820m E of

Parish: LOCHGOILHEAD AND KILMORICH

Scheduled Area 

Map Sheet:
 NN10NE

0 25 50 75 100 125 m Scale: 1:2,500

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