THE ANCIENT MONUMENTS AND ARCHAEOLOGICAL AREAS ACT 1979 3997
ENTRY IN THE SCHEDULE OF MONUMENTS

The monument known as Hill of Barra, fort comprises the remains of a multi-vallate hillfort on the summit of the Hill of Barra, to the north of the River Don near its confluence with the River Urie. The monument is of likely Iron-Age date. Both the interior and the surrounding hillside outside the fort are covered in later rig-and-furrow cultivation. Both the ramparts and ditches are clearly visible round the circuit, with a total of three circuits from two phases of construction. The outer two circuits represent the earlier phase, enclosing an area of 165m E-W by 130m transversely. The third, innermost circuit is of the later construction phase, enclosing a smaller area of 120m E-W by 95m transversely. The area to be scheduled is irregular on plan, to include the remains described and an area around them within which related material may be expected to be found. The scheduling specifically excludes the above-ground elements of all fences and stiles, to allow for their maintenance. The monument, which lies in the Parish of Bourtie and the County of Aberdeen as shown in red on the Plan annexed and executed as relative hereto [redacted], is 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 5 day of March Two thousand and nine, before this witness Luke Wormald, of Longmore House, Salisbury Place, Edinburgh.

[redacted] Witness

[redacted] Chief Inspector

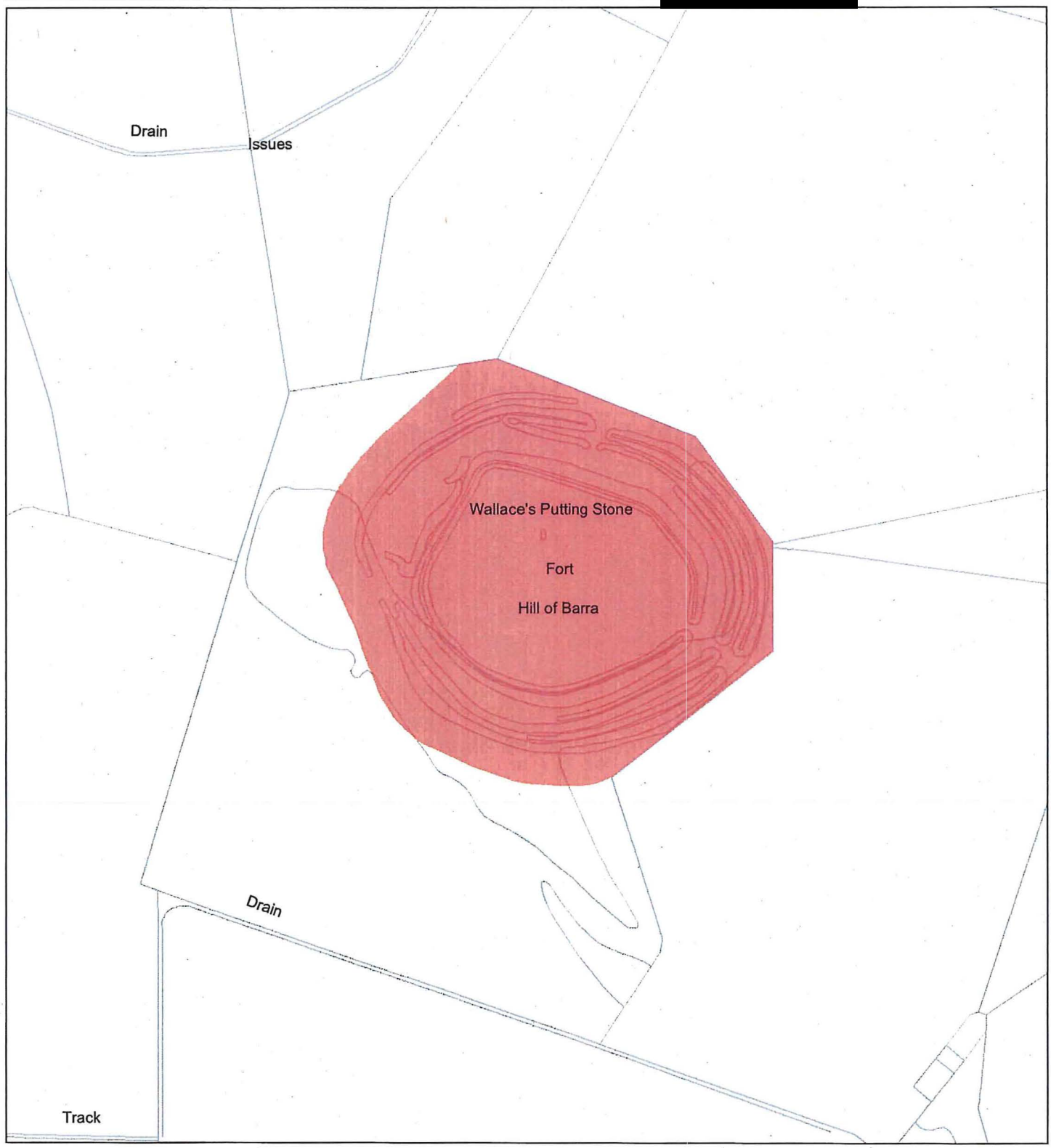
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This is the plan referred to in the entry in the Schedule affecting:
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Bourtie Parish

Scheduled Area

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