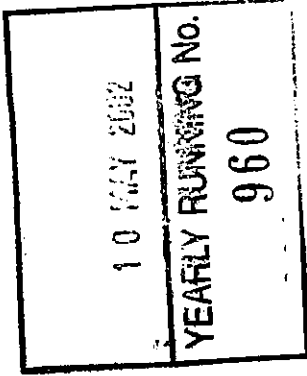


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THE ANCIENT MONUMENTS AND
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Entry in the Schedule of Monuments

2002

Re: The Monument known as
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Bylbster Bridge

in the Parish of Wick and
County of Caithness

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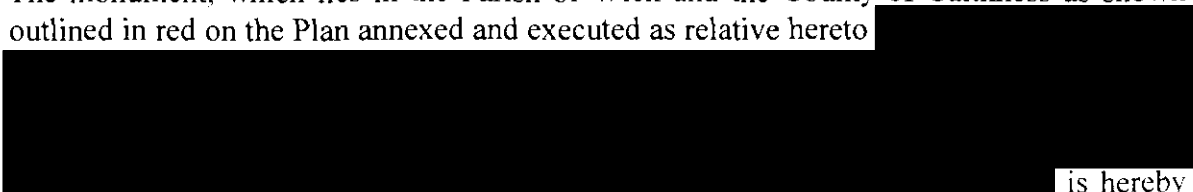
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ENTRY IN THE SCHEDULE OF MONUMENTS

The monument known as Bilbster, chambered cairn 1040m NNE of Bylbster Bridge comprises the remains of a chambered cairn; a prehistoric funerary and ritual monument dating from the Neolithic period (c. 4000-2000 BC). The cairn stands on a natural ridge overlooking the Wick River to the north. The area to be scheduled is a circle, 45m in diameter, centred on the cairn, to include the remains described above, plus an area around where remains relating to the construction and use of the cairn may be expected to survive. The monument, which lies in the Parish of Wick and the County of Caithness as shown outlined in red on the Plan annexed and executed as relative hereto



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 Owen Kelly, Director, Properties in Care with Historic Scotland, being an officer of the Scottish Ministers at Edinburgh on the 11th day of March Two thousand and two, before this witness Lesley Macdonald, of Longmore House, Salisbury Place, Edinburgh.



Director, Properties in Care

Register on behalf of the Scottish Ministers in the Register of the County of Caithness.

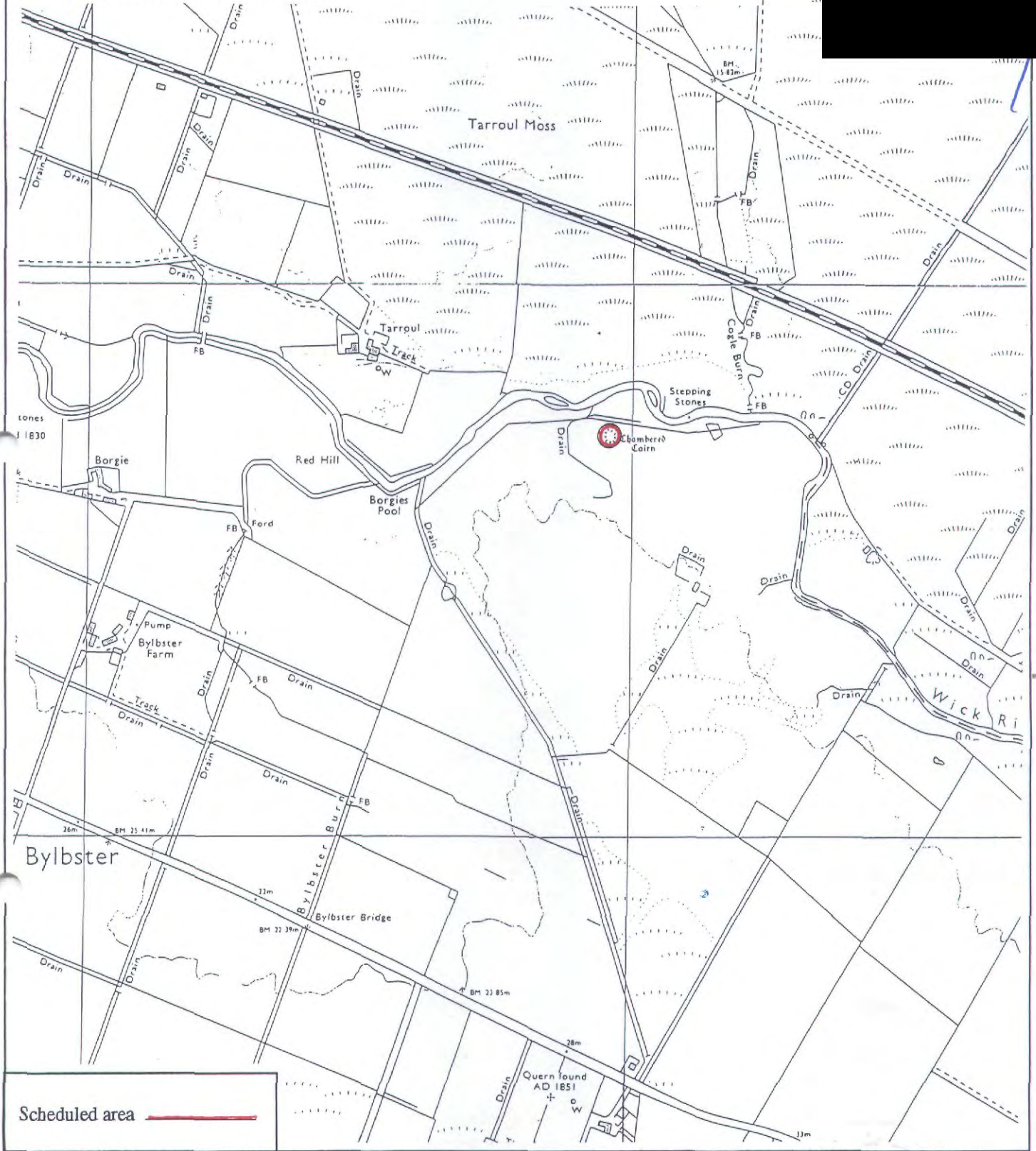
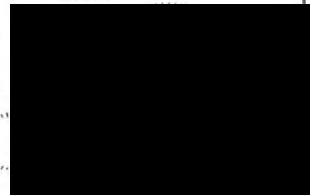


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This is the plan referred to in the amended entry in the Schedule affecting, Bilbster, chambered cairn 1040m NNE of Bylbster Bridge dated 11/3/02 and is signed as relative thereto.



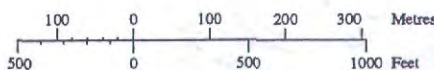
**Bilbster, chambered cairn 1040m
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