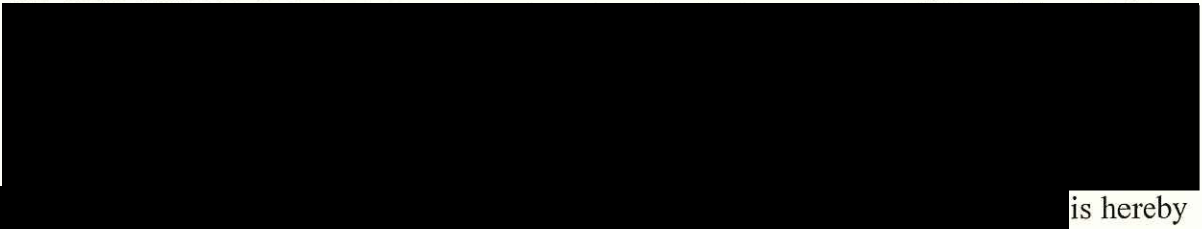


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ENTRY IN THE SCHEDULE OF MONUMENTS

The monument known as **Ardross Castle** comprises the remains of a rectangular tower of likely 15th-century date and a larger rectangular building, possibly of 16th-century date, which lies immediately to the SW. The castle is located about 1.5km E of Elie and occupies a commanding position on a raised beach, at about 14m OD, overlooking the Firth of Forth. The scheduled area is irregular in plan, to include the remains described above and an area around them within which evidence for the monument's construction, use and abandonment is expected to survive. The scheduling specifically excludes the above-ground elements of the modern fence and gate, signage and bench, to allow for their maintenance. The monument, which lies in the Parish of Elie and the County of Fife as shown in red on the Plan annexed and executed as relative hereto and which forms part of the subjects



_____ 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.

This entry supersedes the Entry in the Schedule of Monuments for the monument known then as **Ardross Castle** as referred to in the Certificate of Service of Notice by the Commissioners of His Majesty's Works and Public Buildings in respect of the monument dated 28 August 1937 and recorded in the General Register of Sasines for the County of Fife on 29 September 1937.

Subscribed by Olwyn A Owen, Head of Scheduling, Marine and Battlefields with Historic Scotland, being an officer of the Scottish Ministers at Edinburgh on the *16th* day of *January* Two thousand and fourteen, before this witness Christine Kelly, of Longmore House, Salisbury Place, Edinburgh.

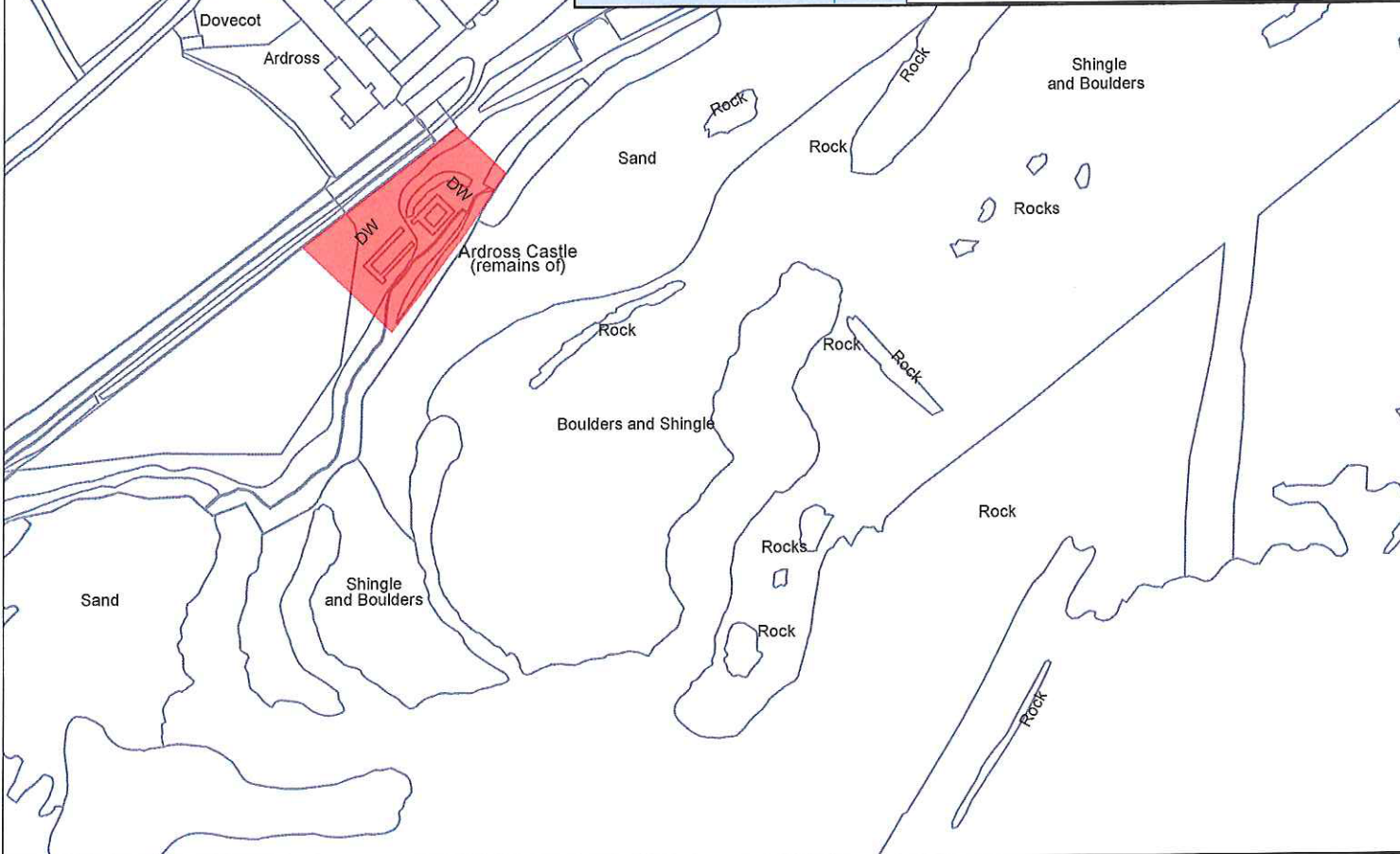
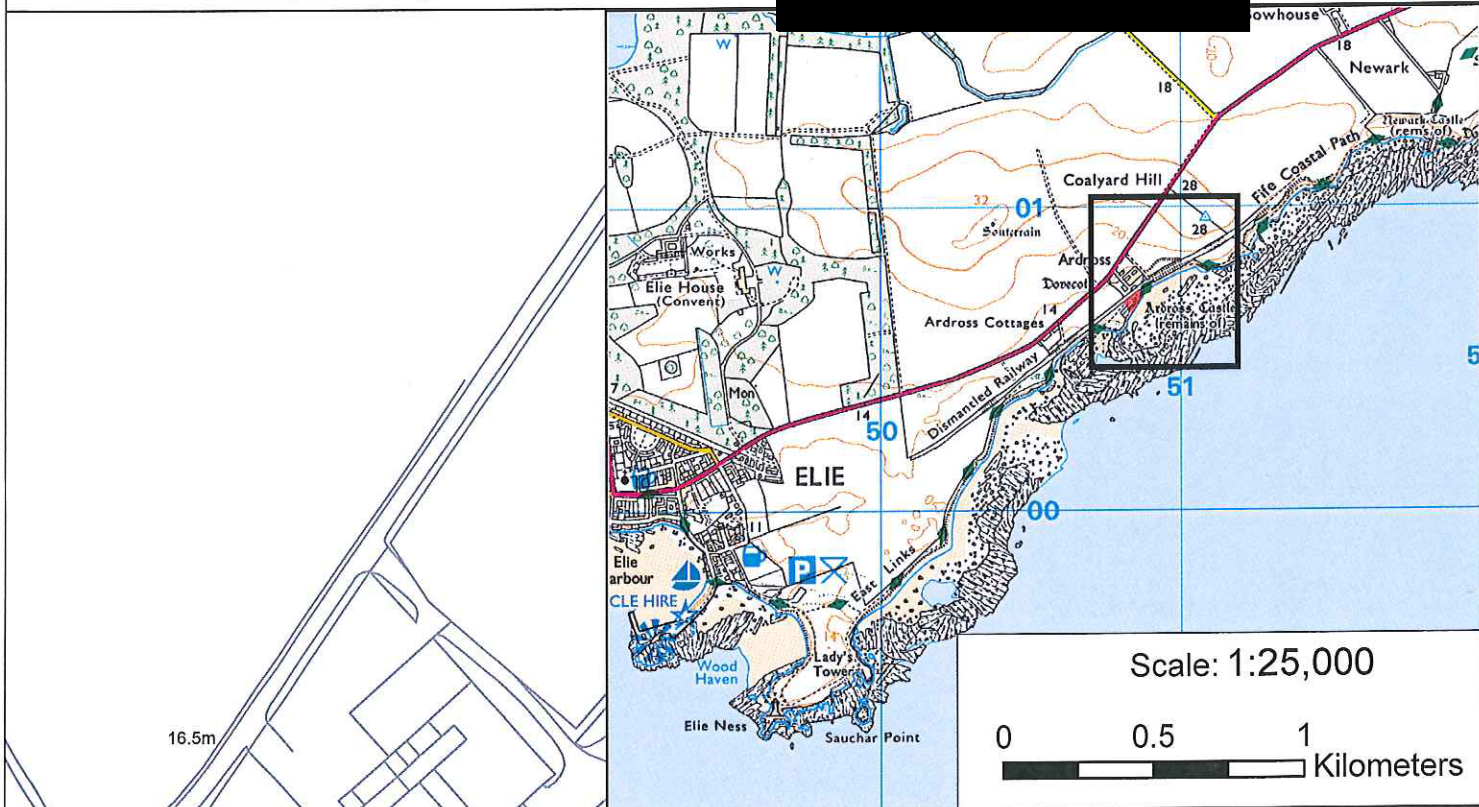
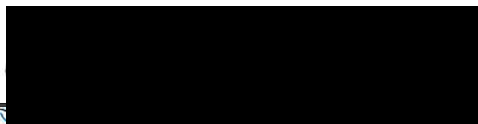
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Witness

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

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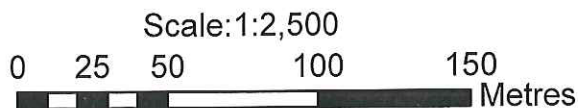
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