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THE ANCIENT MONUMENTS AND ARCHAEOLOGICAL AREAS ACT 1979

Entry in the Schedule of Monuments

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2002

Re: The Monument known as
Rait Castle

in the Parish of Nairn and
County of Nairn

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Historic Scotland
Longmore House
Salisbury Place
Edinburgh

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The monument known as Rait Castle consists of a rare example of a small masonry hall-house probably dating to the late 13th/early 14th century. The hall-house is surrounded by the remains of outbuildings and a building to the SE may have been a chapel mentioned in contemporary records. The area to be scheduled includes the hall-house, the associated courtyard, buildings and possible chapel, and a surrounding area, in which traces of associated activity may be expected to survive. It is quadrangular in shape with maximum dimensions of about 93m from its northernmost to its southernmost point, and 93m transversely. The monument, which lies in the Parish of Nairn and the County of Nairn as shown outlined in red on the Plan annexed and executed as relative hereto and which forms [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 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.

[redacted] Witness [redacted] or, Properties in Care

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

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An Officer of the Scottish Ministers

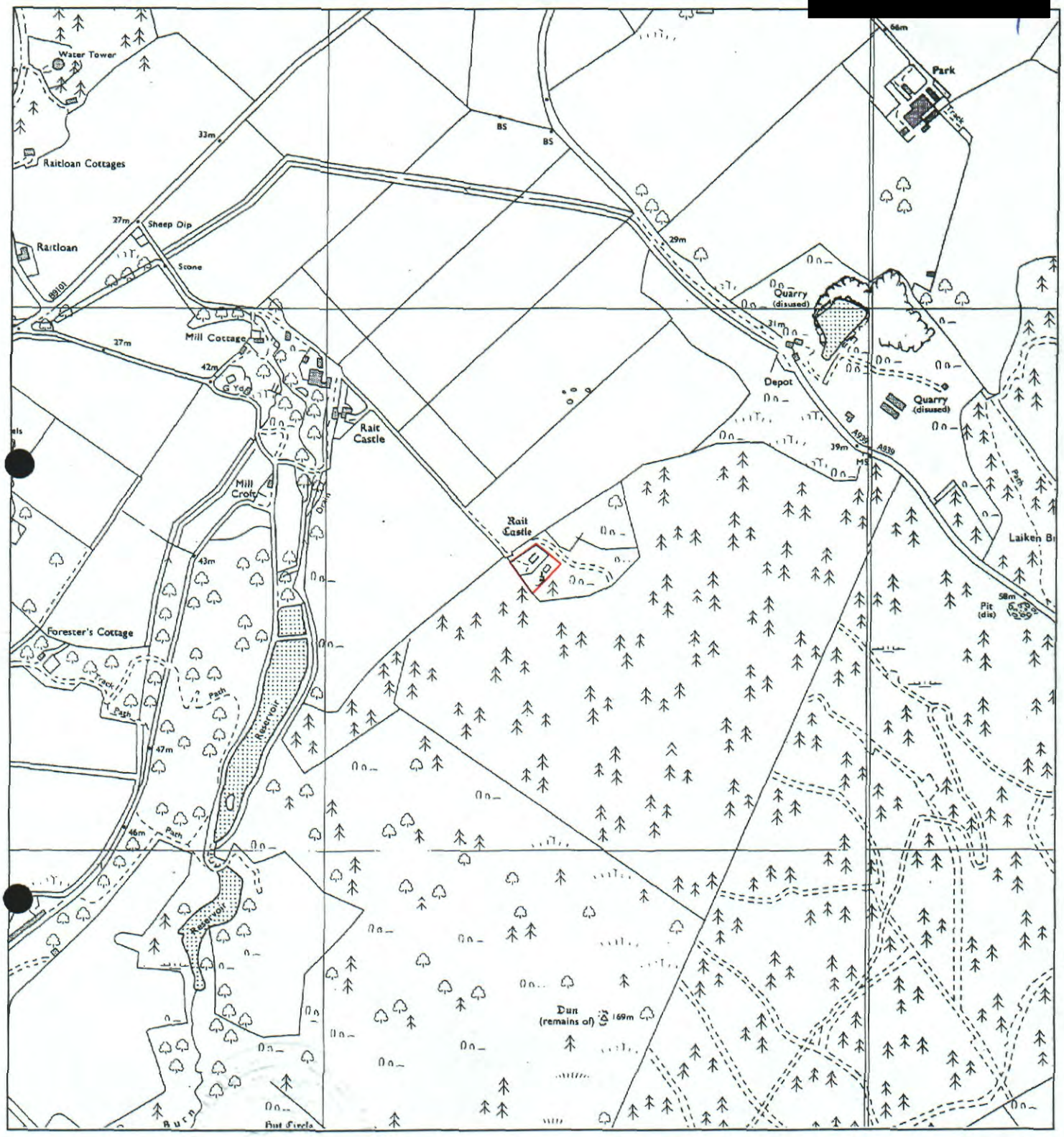
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GENERAL REGISTER OF SASINES
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This is the plan referred to in the entry in the Schedule affecting Rait Castle,
dated: 11 | 12 | 02 and is signed as relative thereto.

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Rait Castle

Nairn Parish

Scheduled Area

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