THE ANCIENT MONUMENTS AND ARCHAEOLOGICAL AREAS ACT 1979 1344
ENTRY IN THE SCHEDULE OF MONUMENTS

The monument known as **Voy, burnt mound** comprises the remains of a burnt mound, dating probably to the Bronze Age (between about 2000 and 800 BC). It survives as a crescent-shaped turf-covered mound, with a possible smaller mound attached immediately to the SE. The length of the two mounds is around 20m NW-SE and they stand about 1m high. The mound is conspicuous within the landscape, surrounded by low-lying boggy ground. The scheduled area is circular on plan, measuring 40m in diameter, to include the remains described above and an area around them within which evidence relating to the monument's construction, use and abandonment is expected to survive. The scheduling specifically excludes the above-ground elements of all post-and-wire fences. The monument, which lies in the Parish of Sandwick and the County of Orkney and Zetland as shown in red on the Plan annexed and executed as relative hereto and which forms part of [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.

This entry supersedes the Entry in the Schedule of Monuments for the monument known then as **Mound, Voy** 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 25 January 1940 and recorded in the General Register of Sasines for the County of Orkney and Zetland on 3 May 1940.

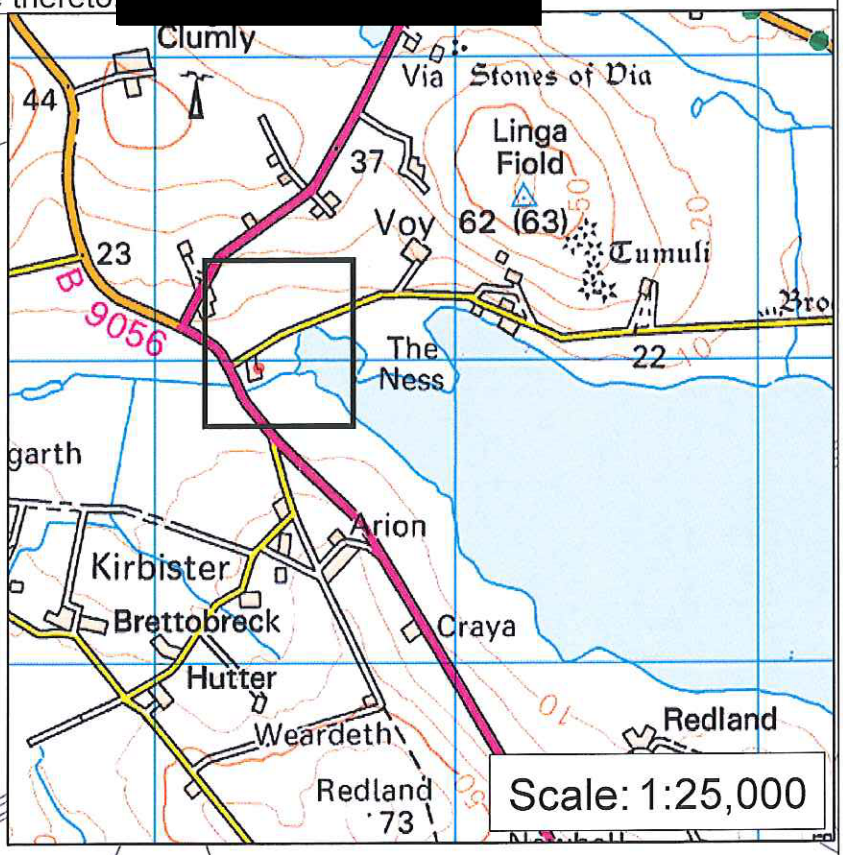
Subscribed by Olwyn A Owen, Head of Scheduling, Marine and Battlefields with Historic Scotland, being an officer of the Scottish Ministers at Edinburgh on the 28th day of August Two thousand and fourteen, before this witness Christine Kelly, of Longmore House, Salisbury Place, Edinburgh.

[redacted] Head of Scheduling, Marine and Battlefields

[redacted] Witness

This is the plan referred to in the entry in the Schedule affecting:
Voy, burnt mound

dated: 28/8/14 and is signed as relative thereto [redacted]



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Voy, burnt mound

Sandwick Parish

Scheduled Area

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Re: The Monument known as
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