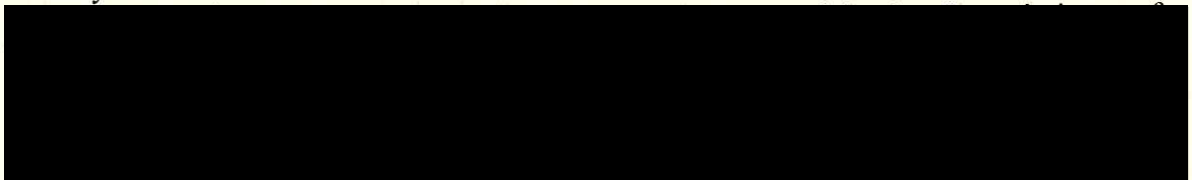


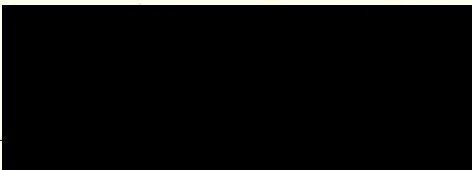
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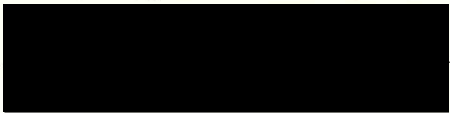
The monument known as **Knowe of Skogar, broch** comprises a broch mound dating probably from the Iron Age (between about 600 BC and AD 400). It is visible as an irregular-shaped stony mound measuring approximately 20m E-W by 8m N-S and standing up to 1.5m high. The mound is highly likely to contain the foundations of a broch tower and associated features and buried deposits. There are also traces of a possible ditch and bank to the NW and NE. The broch mound is located in a slight hollow on improved ground E of the Loch of Isbister, at about 20m above sea level. It has extensive views in all directions, but especially out over the Loch of Isbister. The scheduled area is circular on plan, 50m 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 monument, which lies in the Parish of Birsay and Harray and the County of Orkney and Zetland as shown 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.

This entry supersedes the Entry in the Schedule of Monuments for the monument known then as **Knowe of Skogar** 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 19 February 1937 and recorded in the General Register of Sasines for the County of Orkney and Zetland on 21 May 1937.

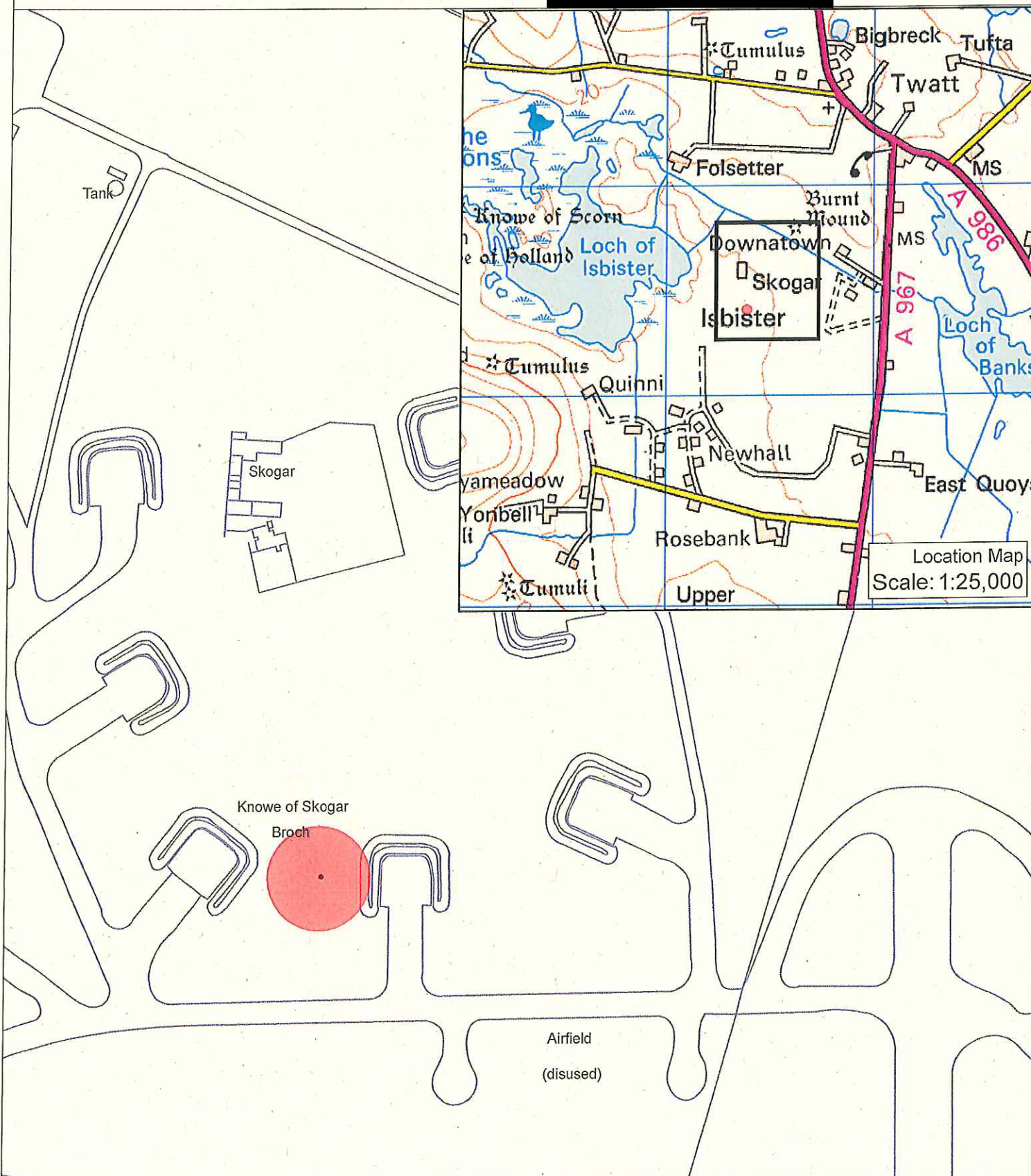
Subscribed by Olwyn A Owen, Head of Scheduling, Marine and Battlefields with Historic Scotland, being an officer of the Scottish Ministers at Edinburgh on the *24th* day of *June* Two thousand and fourteen, before this witness Christine Kelly, of Longmore House, Salisbury Place, Edinburgh.

 Head of Scheduling, Marine and Battlefields

 Witness

This is the plan referred to in the entry in the Schedule affecting:
Knowe of Skogar, broch

dated: 24/ 6 / 14 and is signed as relative thereto.



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Knowe of Skogar, broch

Birsay and Harray Parish

Scheduled Area



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