THE ANCIENT MONUMENTS AND ARCHAEOLOGICAL AREAS ACT 1979 1488
ENTRY IN THE SCHEDULE OF MONUMENTS

The monument known as **Nether Benzieclett, farmstead, Skeabrae** comprises the remains of a traditional Orkney farmstead, occupied probably from the 18th century to the 1940s. The farmstead comprises two roofless buildings orientated roughly NE-SW and surviving to wall-head height, together with their fixtures and fittings, and associated yards to the N and S. The monument is situated on gradually sloping, improved agricultural land at about 15m above OD, 1km N of the Loch of Harray. The scheduled area is irregular on plan to include the remains described above and an area around them within which evidence relating to the monument's construction, use and abandonment may survive. The scheduling specifically excludes the above-ground elements of all post-and-wire fences to allow for their maintenance. 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 [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 **Nether Benzieclett** as referred to in the Certificate of Service of Notice by the Minister of Works in respect of the monument dated 24 May 1955 and recorded in the General Register of Sasines for the County of Orkney and Zetland on 19 July 1955.

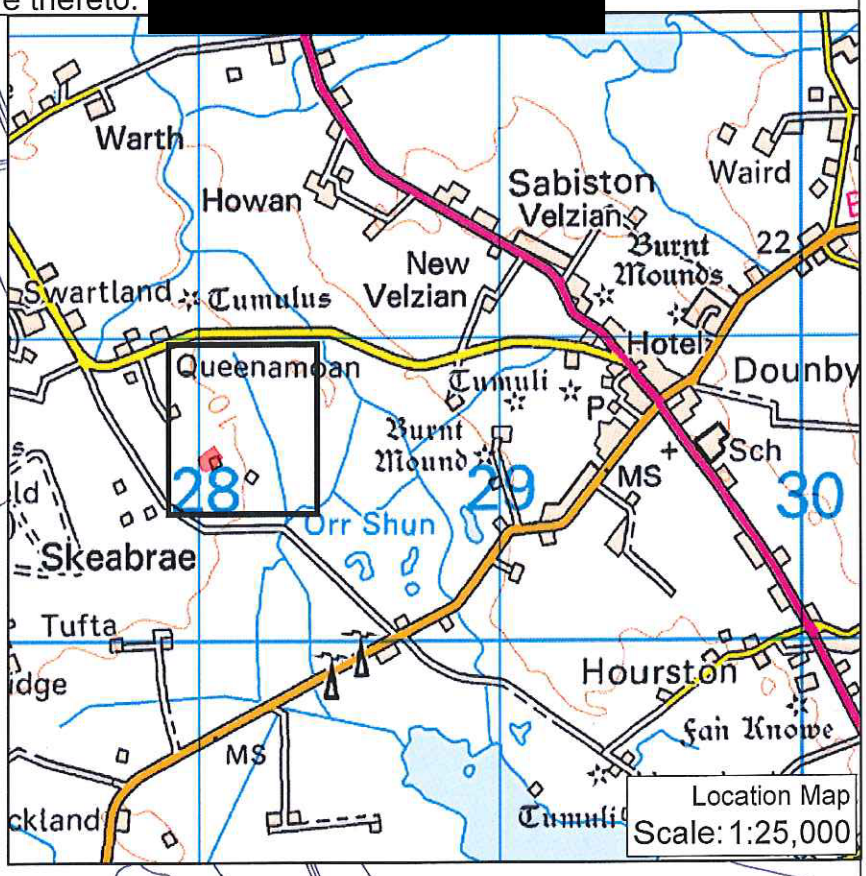
Subscribed by Olwyn A Owen, Head of Scheduling, Marine and Battlefields with Historic Scotland, being an officer of the Scottish Ministers at Edinburgh on the 19th day of March Two thousand and fourteen, before this witness Christine Kelly, of Longmore House, Salisbury Place, Edinburgh.

[redacted] Head of Scheduling, Marine and Battlefields

[redacted] Witness

This is the plan referred to in the entry in the Schedule affecting:
Nether Benzieclett, farmstead, Skeabrae

dated: 19/3/14 and is signed as relative thereto. [redacted]






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Nether Benzieclett, farmstead, Skeabrae

Sandwick Parish

Scheduled Area

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