

THE ANCIENT MONUMENTS AND ARCHAEOLOGICAL AREAS ACT 1979 2043
ENTRY IN THE SCHEDULE OF MONUMENTS

The monument known as Ronas Hill, chambered cairn comprises a heel-shaped chambered cairn of the Neolithic period, built probably between 4000 and 2500 BC. It is visible as a mound of stones standing about 3.5m high and is situated at an altitude of 450m above sea level on the very summit of Ronas Hill, Shetland's highest point, with views far afield. The area to be scheduled is circular in shape, 30m 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 may survive. The monument, which lies in the Parish of Northmavine 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.

Subscribed by Olwyn Owen, Head of Scheduling, Marine and Battlefields with Historic Scotland, being an officer of the Scottish Ministers at Edinburgh on the 17th day of August Two thousand and twelve, before this witness Christine Kelly, of Longmore House, Salisbury Place, Edinburgh.

[REDACTED] Witness

[REDACTED] Head of Scheduling, Marine and Battlefields

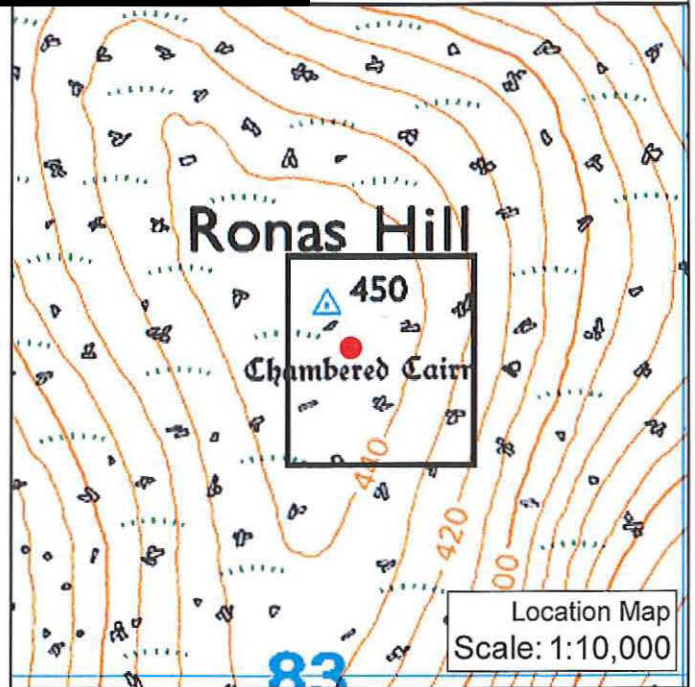
This is the plan referred to in the entry in the Schedule affecting:
Ronas Hill, chambered cairn

dated: 17/8/2012 and is signed as relative thereto [REDACTED]

Ronas Hill



Chambered Cairn



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Ronas Hill, chambered cairn

Northmavine Parish

Scheduled Area 



Mapsheet(s):
HU38SW

Scale: 1:1,250
0 10 20 30 40 50
Metres

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2012

Re: The Monument known as
Ronas Hill, chambered cairn

in the Parish of Northmavine and
County of Orkney and Zetland

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