THE ANCIENT MONUMENTS AND ARCHAEOLOGICAL AREAS ACT 1979 2385
ENTRY IN THE SCHEDULE OF MONUMENTS

The monument known as Fairholm, fort 430m NNE of, comprises a large circular fort measuring 80m NNE/SSW by 60m ENE/WSW within three well-defined concentric ditches. Likely to be of Iron-age date, the fort is situated just off the summit of a low hill at 75m above sea level, in a natural defensive position overlooking Turnmuir Burn, Dryfe Water, and the River Annan. The area to be scheduled is a cropped circle to include the fort, its ditches and ploughed-out ramparts, and an area around in which evidence relating to its construction and use may survive. The scheduled area extends up to, but excludes, the fence and field to the south of the fort. The monument, which lies in the Parish of Dryfesdale and the County of Dumfries as shown outlined 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 Malcolm Cooper, Chief Inspector with Historic Scotland, being an officer of the Scottish Ministers at Edinburgh on the 7 day of March Two thousand and seven, before this witness Victoria Ball, of Longmore House, Salisbury Place, Edinburgh.

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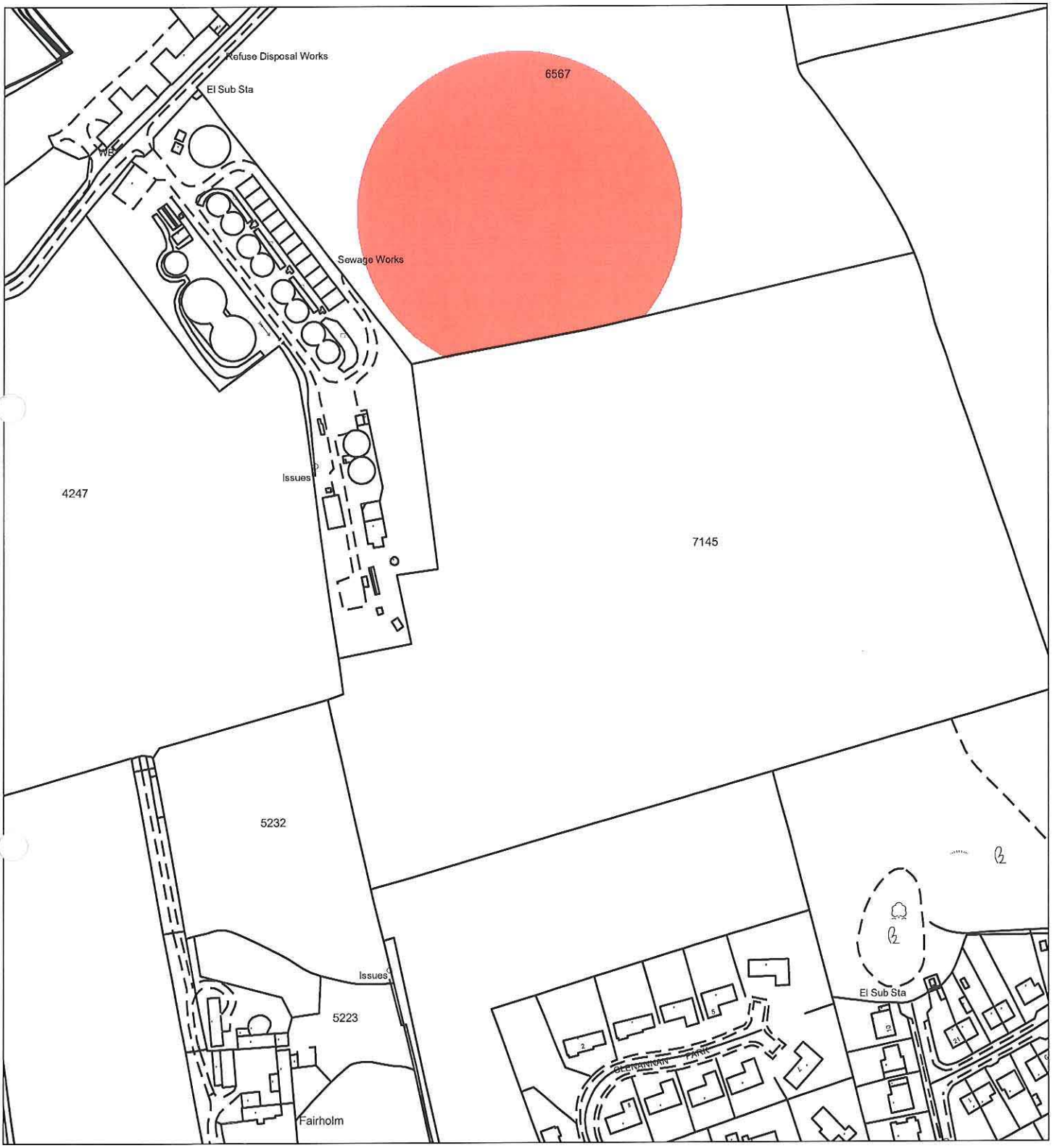
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This is the plan referred to in the entry in the Schedule affecting:
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