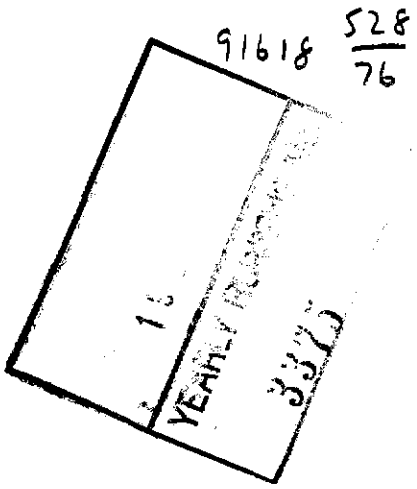
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Entry in the Schedule of Monuments

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Re: The Monument known as
Kindrochit Castle

in the Parish of Crathie and Braemar and
County of Aberdeen

Search Sheet No: 91618

Historic Scotland
Longmore House
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The monument known as Kindrochit Castle comprises the fragmentary remains of Kindrochit Castle, a late 14th century tower house incorporating earlier work. The monument which lies within the town of Braemar, occupies a strong defensive location and is protected by the Water of Clunie to the W and by an ancient mill lade to the E. Its location had a considerable strategic value, overlooking a major crossing of the Clunie. Only the ground floor of the tower house survives. It is divided into three chambers consisting of a prison, which communicated with the floor above via a hatch, and two storage cellars. The area to be scheduled, which includes the remains of the earlier hall, the superimposed tower house and an area to the south where foundations indicate the presence of other associated structures, is irregular with maximum dimensions of 78.5 N-S by 45m transversely. The scheduled area is bounded to the W by the Water of Clunie, to the E by the public foot path and the small cafe with its car park, and to the S by a fence line. The monument, which lies in the Parish of Crathie and Braemar and the County of Aberdeen as shown outlined in red on the Plan annexed and executed as relative hereto and which forms [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 Owen Kelly, Director, Properties in Care with Historic Scotland, being an officer of the Scottish Ministers at Edinburgh on the 22nd day of March Two thousand and two, before this witness Lesley Macdonald, of Longmore House, Salisbury Place, Edinburgh.

[redacted] Director, Properties in Care

Register on behalf of the Scottish Ministers in the Register of the County of Aberdeen.

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An Officer of the Scottish Ministers

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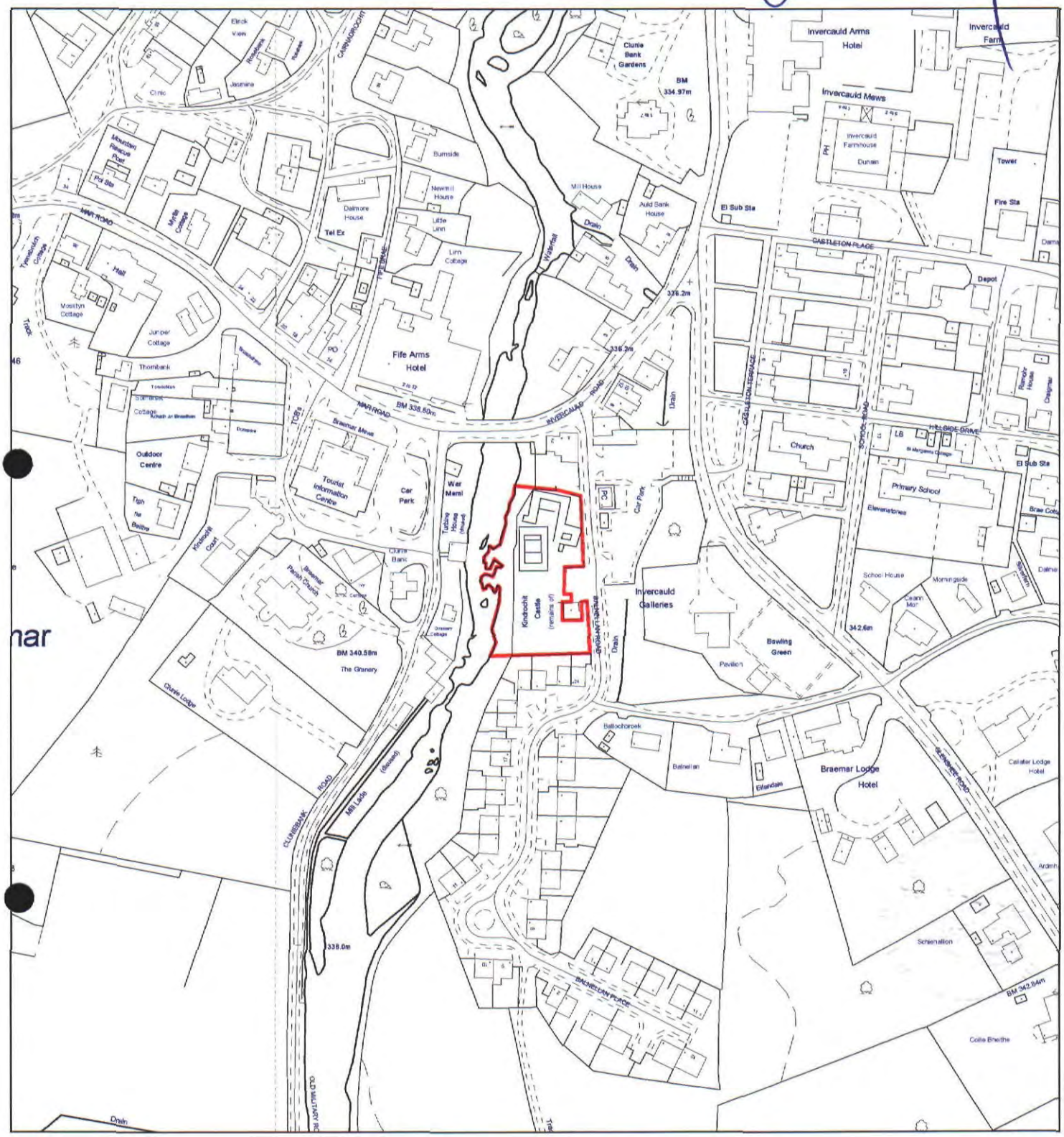
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This is the plan referred to in the entry in the Schedule affecting Kindrochit Castle,
dated: 22 March 2002 and is signed as relative thereto.

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Kindrochit Castle

Crathie and Braemar Parish

Scheduled Area

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