THE ANCIENT MONUMENTS AND ARCHAEOLOGICAL AREAS ACT 1979 3558
ENTRY IN THE SCHEDULE OF MONUMENTS

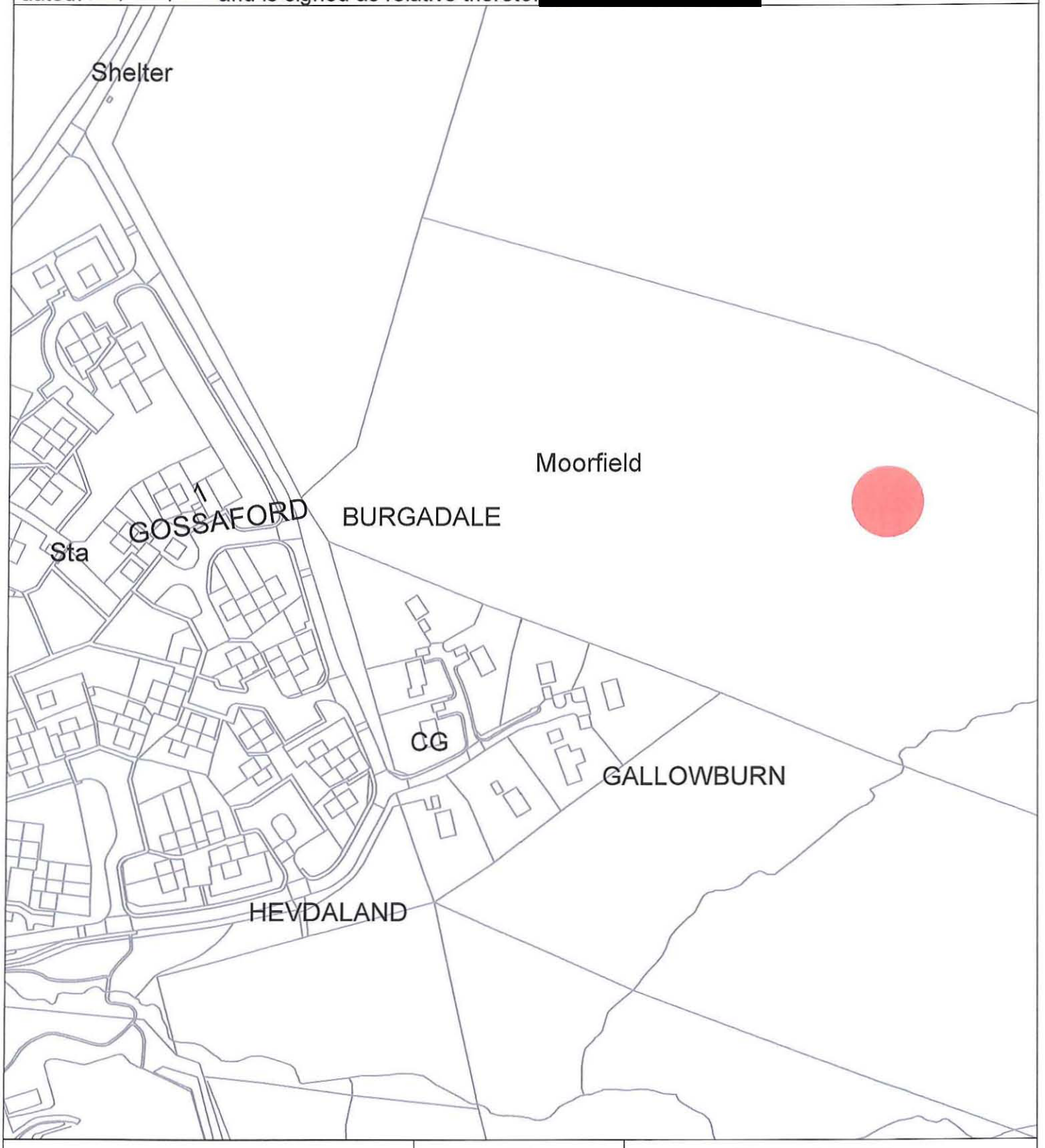
The monument known as Ladie Hill, cairn 325m E of 1 Gossaford comprises a burial cairn dating probably from the Neolithic or Bronze Age, sometime between 4000 and 1000 BC. It is visible as low, circular, turf-covered mound, with several stones protruding through the turf. The mound is 14m in diameter and stands 0.7m high. There is a shallow depression towards the centre of the cairn where traces of a central structure are visible. The remains of a later dry stone structure in a 'figure of 8' shape overlie the cairn on the SE side. The cairn stands at about 30m above sea level in improved grassland on the lower slopes of Ladie Hill. It offers views to the west over lower ground, particularly the narrow neck of land that separates the heads of Sullom Voe and Busta Voe. The area to be scheduled is circular on plan, 34m in diameter, centred on the centre of the monument. The scheduling includes 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 Delting 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 14th 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:
Ladie Hill, cairn 325m E of 1 Gossaford

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



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Ladie Hill, cairn 325m E of 1 Gossaford

Delting Parish

Scheduled Area

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2012

Re: The Monument known as
Ladie Hill, cairn 325m E of 1 Gossaford

in the Parish of Delting and
County of Orkney and Zetland

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