

THE ANCIENT MONUMENTS AND ARCHAEOLOGICAL AREAS ACT 1979 3568
ENTRY IN THE SCHEDULE OF MONUMENTS

The monument known as Meishie o' Stanes, two cairns 120m N of Collafirth Pier comprises two cairns of the Neolithic or Bronze Age, built probably between 4000 and 1000 BC. They are visible as two circular spreads of stones in close proximity to one another. The northernmost is around 14m in diameter, while the other is less well defined and about 12m in diameter. The cairns stand some 20m above sea level on a south-facing hillside, one above the other, with extensive views to the south and east, especially across the Voe of Brig. The area to be scheduled 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 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.

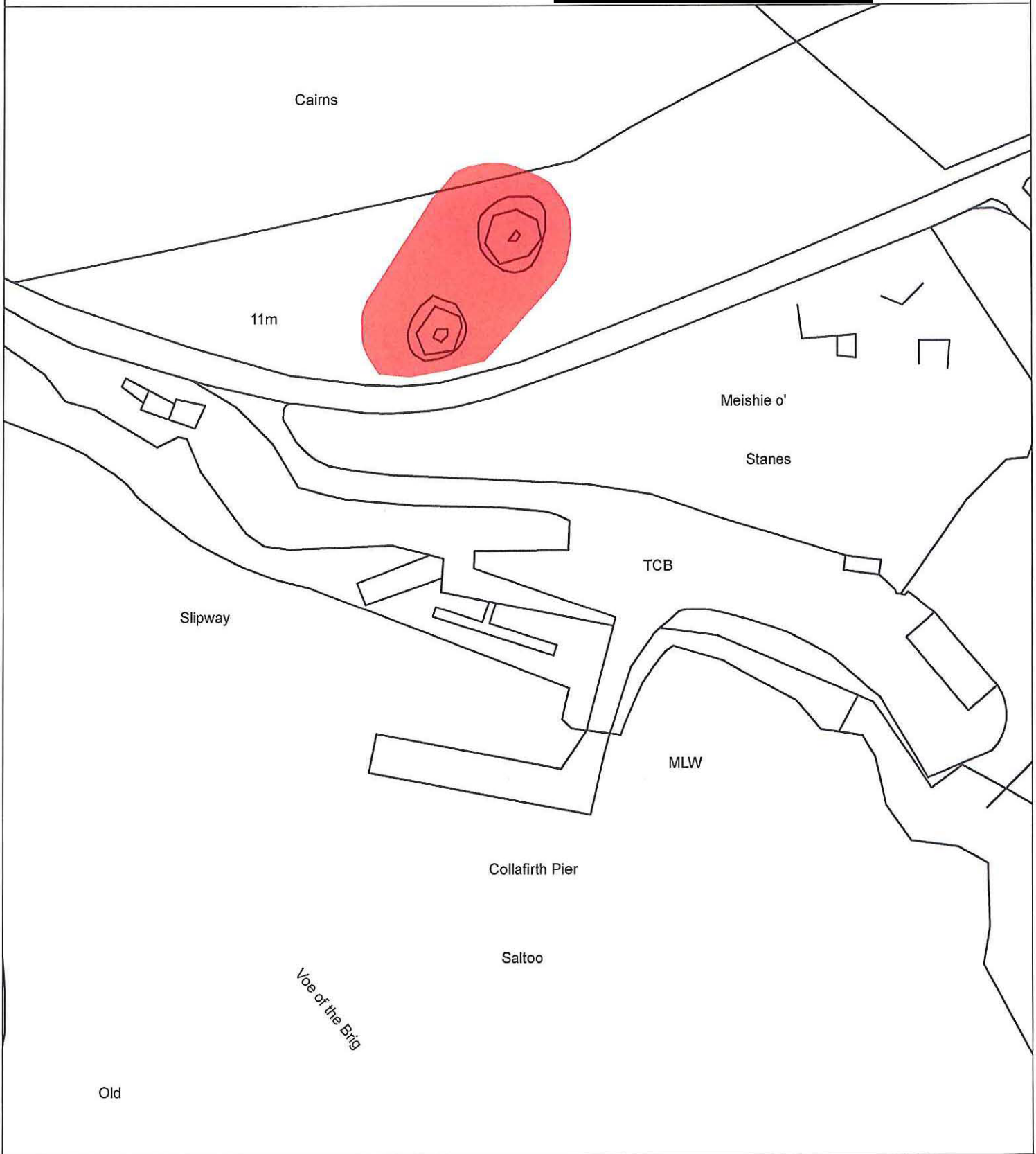
Subscribed by Barbara Cummins, Director of Heritage Management with Historic Scotland, being an officer of the Scottish Ministers at Edinburgh on the 7th day of June Two thousand and twelve, before this witness Victoria Murray, of Longmore House, Salisbury Place, Edinburgh.

[REDACTED] Witness

[REDACTED] Director of Heritage Management

This is the plan referred to in the entry in the Schedule affecting:
Meishie o' Stanes, two cairns 120m N of Collafirth Pier

dated: 7/6/12 and is signed as relative thereto. [REDACTED]



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Meishie o' Stanes, two cairns
120m N of Collafirth Pier

Northmavine Parish

Scheduled Area 



Mapsheet(s):
HU38SE

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

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2012

Re: The Monument known as
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in the Parish of Northmavine and
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