THE ANCIENT MONUMENTS AND ARCHAEOLOGICAL AREAS ACT 1979 3747
ENTRY IN THE SCHEDULE OF MONUMENTS

The monument known as **Keil Cave, 95m ESE of Seapoint** comprises a coastal cave which was used intermittently from at least the 3rd century AD until the early medieval period and has produced a rich assemblage of artefacts. The cave measures 4.6m in width at the entrance, approximately 21.5m in length, and between 5.5m and 9m in height. The cave is located on Keil Point at about 10m OD on the N side of the B842 public road, overlooking the Irish Sea at the southern tip of the Kintyre peninsula. The scheduled area is rectangular on plan, measuring 60m N-S by 45m W-E. 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 Southend and the County of Argyll 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.

This entry supersedes the Certificate of Service of Notice for the monument known then as **Keil Cave** as referred to in the Certificate of Service of Notice by The Secretary of State for Scotland in respect of the monument dated 10 November 1975 and recorded in the General Register of Sasines for the County of Argyll on 28 November 1975.

Subscribed by Olwyn A Owen, Head of Scheduling, Marine and Battlefields with Historic Scotland, being an officer of the Scottish Ministers at Edinburgh on the 14th day of June Two thousand and thirteen, before this witness Christine Kelly, of Longmore House, Salisbury Place, Edinburgh.

[redacted] Head of Scheduling, Marine and Battlefields

[redacted] Witness

This is the index plan for the plan referred to in the entry in the Schedule affecting:
Keil Cave, 95m ESE of Seapoint

dated: 14 / 6 / 13 and is signed as relative thereto.

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Keil Cave, 95m ESE of Seapoint
Southend Parish

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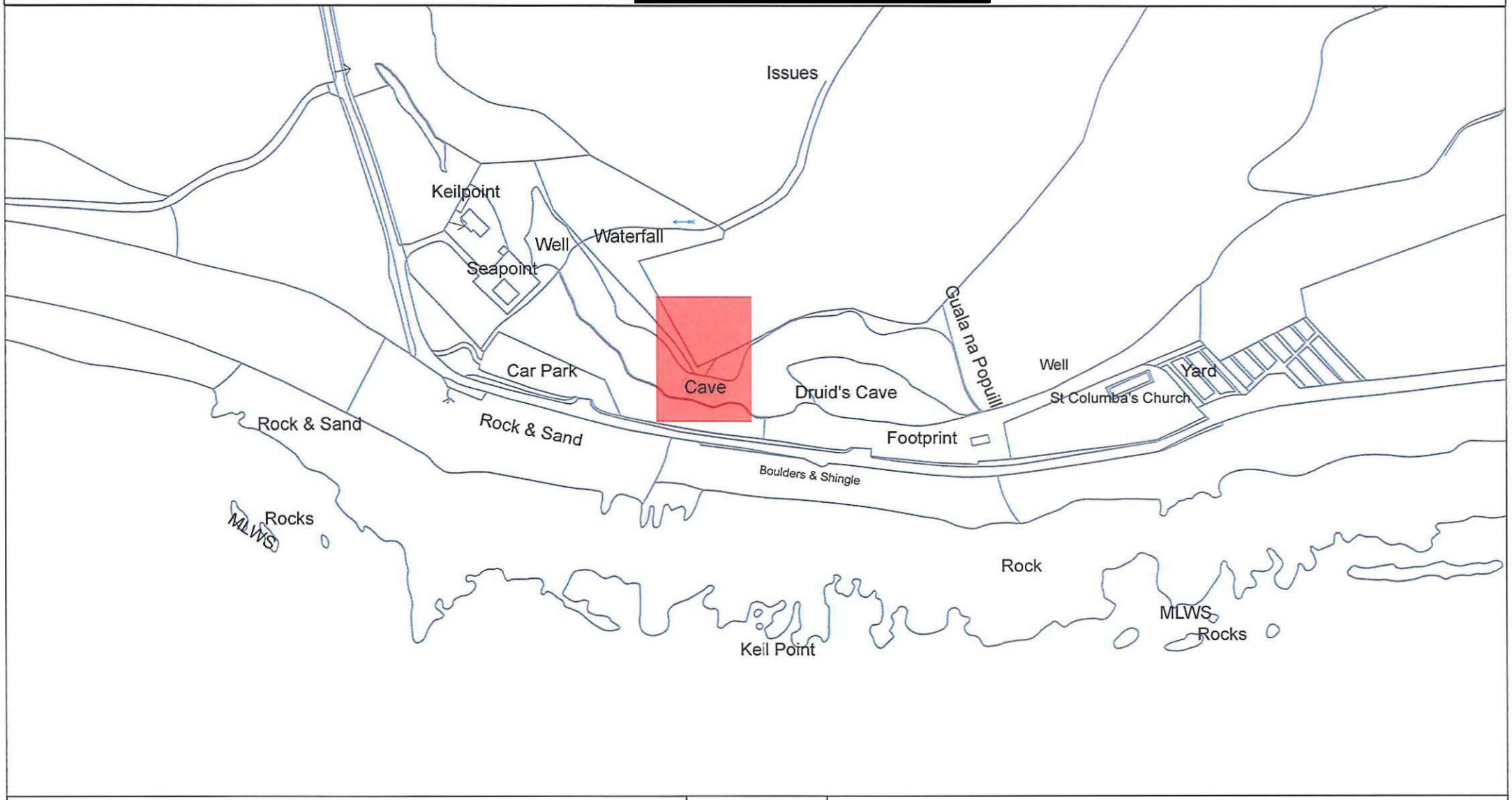
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Keil Cave, 95m ESE of Seapoint
Southend Parish
Scheduled Area

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2013

Re: The Monument known as
**Keil Cave, 95m ESE of Seapoint**

in the Parish of Southend and
County of Argyll

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