THE ANCIENT MONUMENTS AND ARCHAEOLOGICAL AREAS ACT 1979 3794
ENTRY IN THE SCHEDULE OF MONUMENTS

The monument known as **Ardanstur, dun 345m W of Top Ardanstur** comprises the remains of a dun, a prehistoric defended settlement dating probably from the Iron Age (some time between 500 BC and AD 500). The monument is located on a steep-sided rocky promontory, except on the E side where the approach is more gradual. The dun is located at a height of 100m above sea level on the NE shore of Loch Melfort. The area to be scheduled is rectilinear on plan, measuring 75m WNW-ESE by 65m NNE by SSW, 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 Kilninver and Kilmelford and the County of Argyll as shown in red on the Plan annexed and executed as relative hereto and which forms part of the subjects registered in the Land Register of Scotland under Title No ARG 569 [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 entry in the Schedule of Monuments for the monument known then as **Ardanstur, dun 350m WNW of** as referred to in the Certificate of Service of Notice by the Secretary of State for Scotland in respect of the monument dated 24 December 1975 and recorded in the General Register of Sasines for the County of Argyll on 3 February 1976.

Subscribed by Olwyn Owen, Head of Scheduling, Marine and Battlefields with Historic Scotland, being an officer of the Scottish Ministers at Edinburgh on the 15th day of March Two thousand and thirteen, before this witness Christine Kelly, of Longmore House, Salisbury Place, Edinburgh.

[redacted] Head of Scheduling, Marine and Battlefields

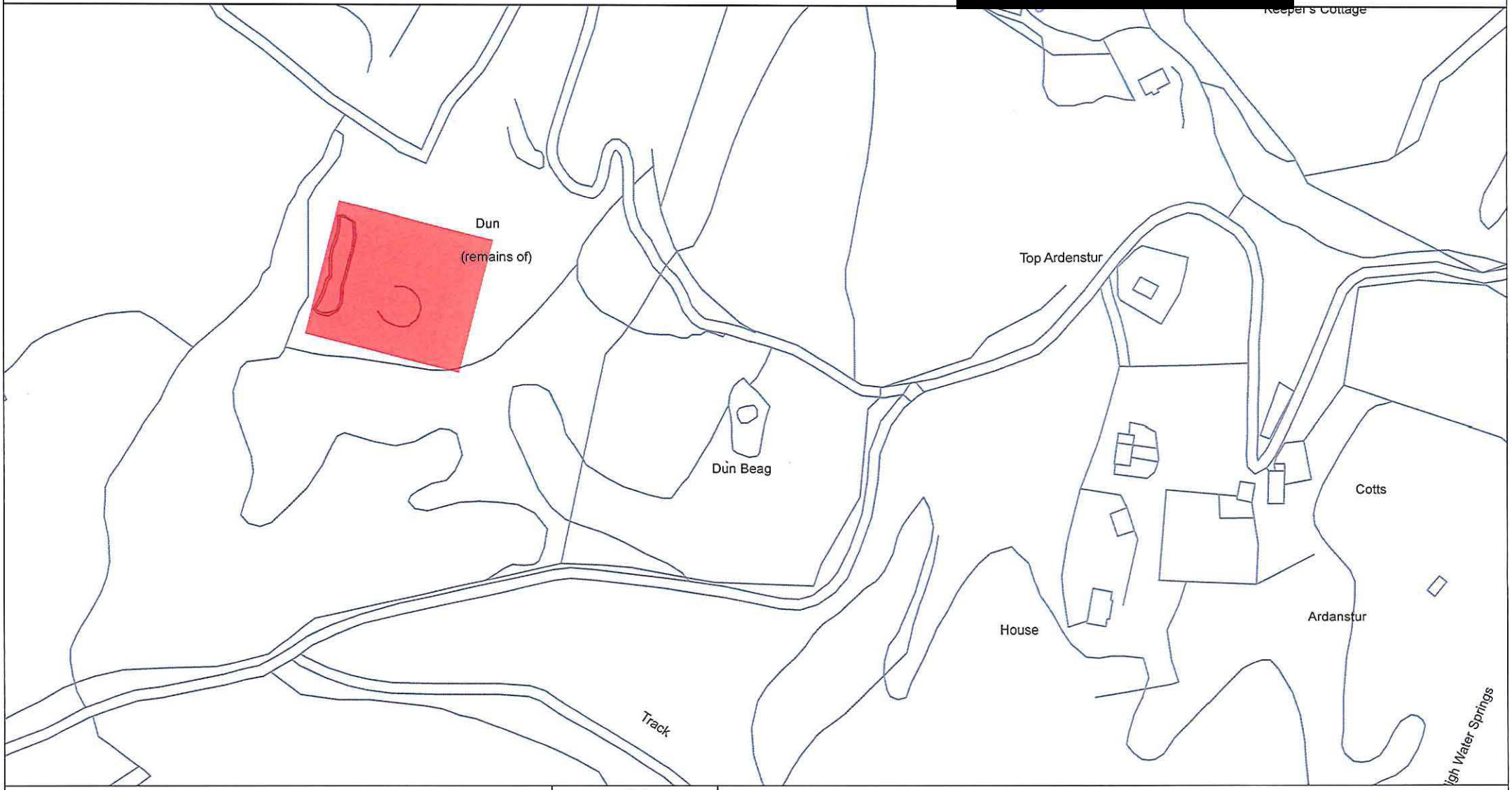
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This is the plan referred to in the entry in the Schedule affecting:
Ardanstur, dun 345m W of Top Ardanstur

dated: 15 / 3 / 13 and is signed as relative thereto.

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Kilninver and Kilmelford Parish
Scheduled Area

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Mapsheet(s):
NM81SW

Scale: 1:2,500

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2013

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in the Parish of Kilninver and Kilmelford
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Title No: ARG 569

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