

THE ANCIENT MONUMENTS AND ARCHAEOLOGICAL AREAS ACT 1979 4015  
ENTRY IN THE SCHEDULE OF MONUMENTS

The monument known as **Vayne Castle, castle 290m SSW of Vayne** comprises the remains of Vayne Castle, built probably in the later 16th century and now visible as a ruin standing up to three storeys high. The castle was built on a Z-plan, and comprises a central rectangular block, a square tower at the NE angle and a circular tower at the SW angle. The topography of the site suggests that a courtyard lay to the S. The castle lies at about 100m above sea level and stands just above the steeply sloping N side of Tammy's Pot, a den through which the Noran Water flows. The building occupies a commanding position when approached from the S. The scheduled area is a trapezium shape on plan, to include the remains of the castle and an area around it within which evidence for the castle's construction, use and abandonment is expected to survive. The scheduling specifically excludes the above-ground elements of modern post-and-wire fences. The monument, which lies in the Parish of Fern and the County of Angus as shown in red on the Plan annexed and executed as relative hereto [REDACTED]

[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 **Vayne Castle** as referred to in the Certificate of Service of Notice by the Secretary of State for Scotland in respect of the monument dated 28 October 1977 and recorded in the General Register of Sasines for the County of Angus on 9 November 1977.

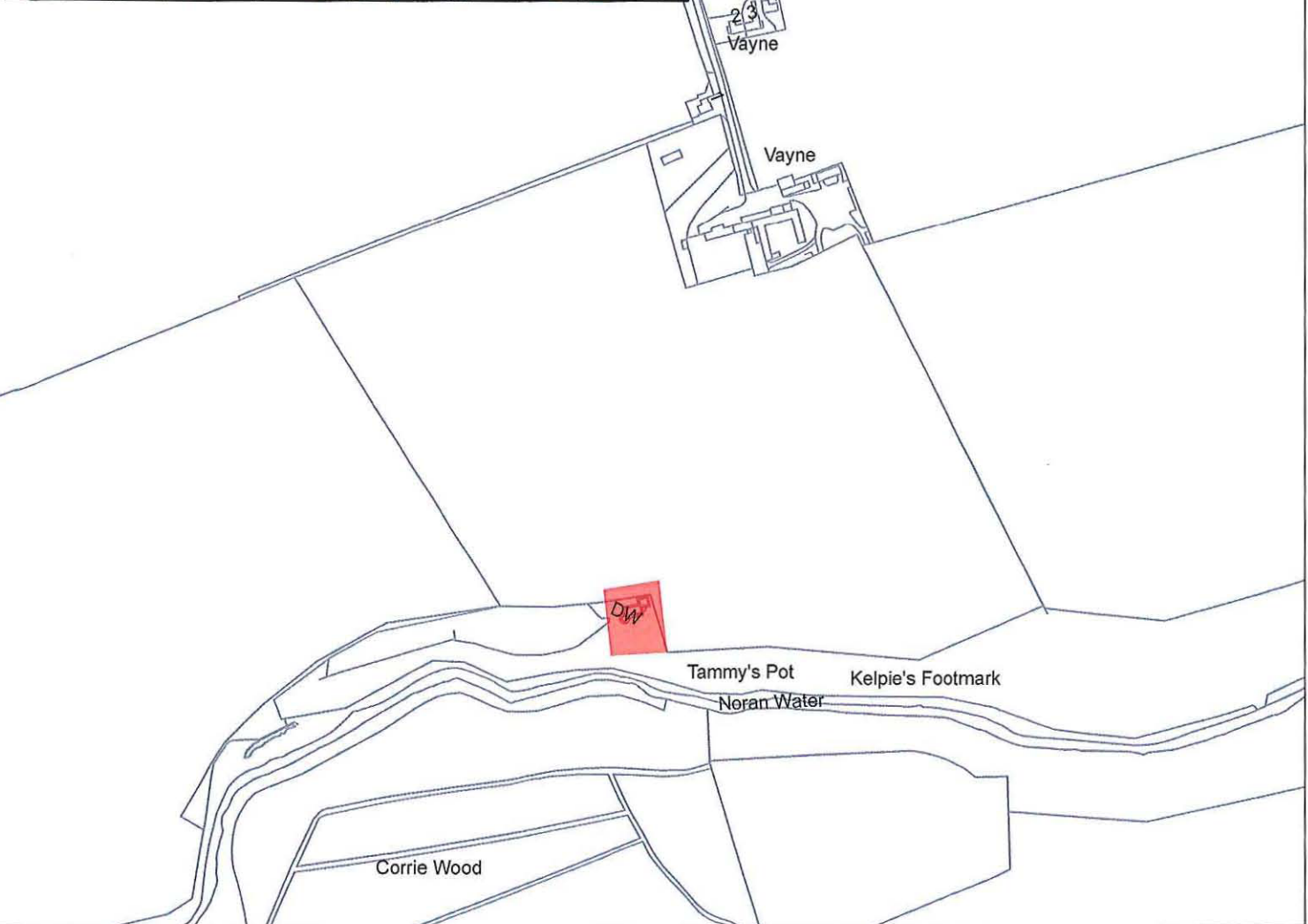
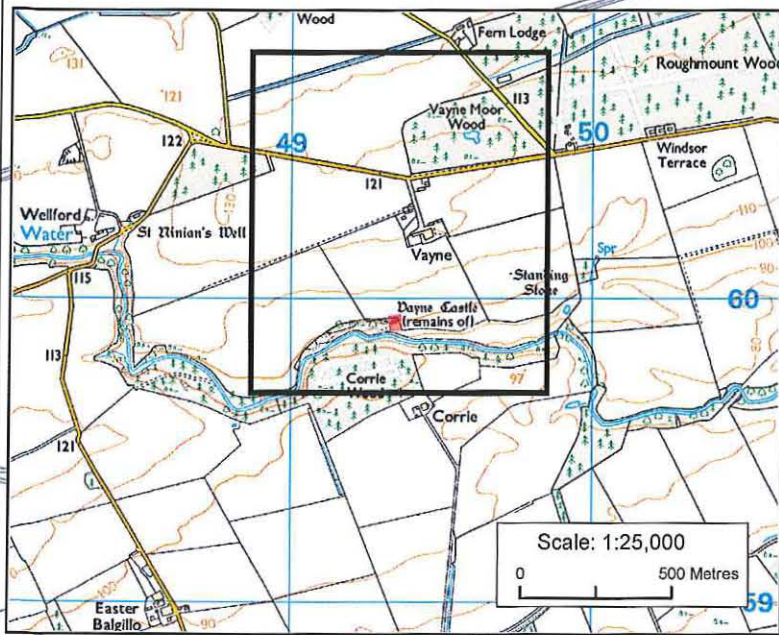
Subscribed by Olwyn A Owen, Head of Scheduling, Marine and Battlefields with Historic Scotland, being an officer of the Scottish Ministers at Edinburgh on the *28<sup>th</sup>* day of *July* Two thousand and fifteen, before this witness Christine Kelly, of Longmore House, Salisbury Place, Edinburgh.

[REDACTED] \_\_\_\_\_ Head of Scheduling, Marine and Battlefields

[REDACTED] \_\_\_\_\_ Witness

This is the plan referred to in the entry in the Schedule affecting:  
Vayne Castle, castle 290m SSW of Vayne

dated: 28/7/15 and is signed as relative thereto.



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Vayne Castle, castle  
290m SSW of Vayne

Fern Parish

Scheduled Area



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Map Sheet(s):

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2015

Re: The Monument known as  
**Vayne Castle, castle 290m SSW of Vayne**

in the Parish of Fern and  
County of Angus

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