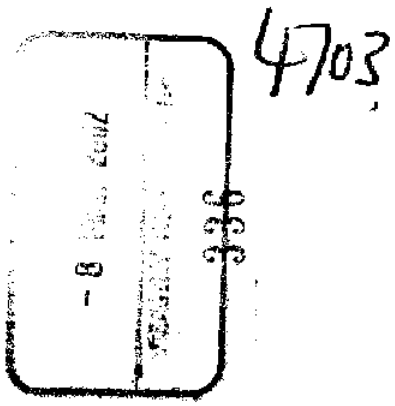
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THE ANCIENT MONUMENTS AND
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Entry in the Schedule of Monuments

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2002

Re: The Monument known as
The Knowe, settlement 300m S of Castle
O'er Farm

in the Parish of Eskdalemuir and
County of Dumfries

Search Sheet No: 4703

Historic Scotland
Longmore House
Salisbury Place
Edinburgh

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ENTRY IN THE SCHEDULE OF MONUMENTS

The monument known as The Knowe, settlement 300m S of Castle O'er Farm comprises the remains of a later prehistoric settlement enclosure. The monument lies between 210m and 220m OD, on an E facing, steeply sloping site overlooking the valley of the White Esk. The enclosure defining the settlement boundary is roughly oval in shape comprising a massive bank and ditch on the E (upslope) side fading down to a slight scarp on the W (downslope). An outer bank and ditch, again on the E side can be traced running slightly out of alignment with the other earthworks, and may indicate of different phase of use of the site, and a faint trace of a third outer rampart has also been recorded on the E side. The interior of the enclosure measures a maximum of 45m across and two terraces indicate the likely position of buildings. The entrance is in the NE. The area to be scheduled is irregular, measuring a maximum of 110m NE-SW by 90m NW-SE. The monument, which lies in the Parish of Eskdalemuir and the County of the Dumfries as shown outlined 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 Frank James Lawrie, Director of Heritage Policy with Historic Scotland, being an officer of the Scottish Ministers at Edinburgh on the 11th day of January Two thousand and two, before this witness Lesley Macdonald, of Longmore House, Salisbury Place, Edinburgh.

[redacted] Witness [redacted] Director of Heritage Policy

Register on behalf of the Scottish Ministers in the Register of the County of the Dumfries.

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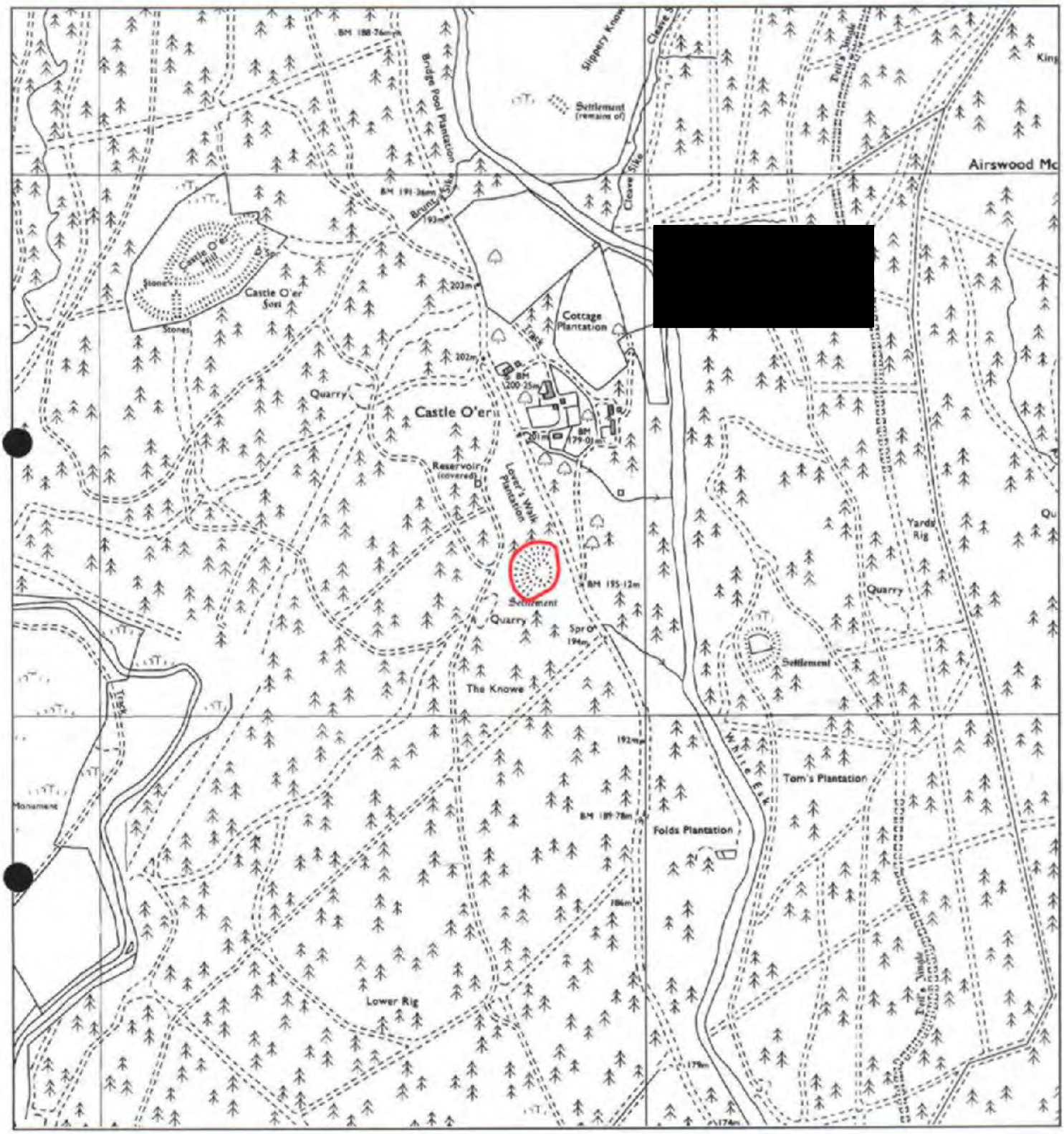
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This is the plan referred to in the entry in the Schedule affecting
The Knowe, settlement 300m S of Castle O'er Farm,
dated: 14/1/03 and is signed as relative thereto.



The Knowe, settlement
300m S of Castle O'er Farm

Eskdalemuir Parish

Scheduled Area

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MapSheet: NY29SW

Scale 1:10,000

100 0 100 200 300 400 500 Meters

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