THE ANCIENT MONUMENTS AND ARCHAEOLOGICAL AREAS ACT 1979 4434
ENTRY IN THE SCHEDULE OF MONUMENTS

The monument known as Whisgills, long cairn and standing stones 2230m W of comprises a long cairn of Neolithic date (about 4000-2000 BC), visible as series of partially grass- and heather-covered stony mounds, and two standing stones of Neolithic or Bronze-Age date. It lies on a prominent ridge at 300m above sea level, in a partially ploughed clearing within a conifer plantation on the S flank of Tinnis Hill. The long cairn measures 75m in overall length. It is visible as three discrete stony mounds aligned from WNW to ESE. The W part of the cairn measures 35m long by up to 10m wide. There is a gap of 15m between the W mound and the central mound, which measures 10m long by 6m wide. The E mound lies 3m to the E of the central mound and measures 8m long by 7m wide. There are two standing stones to the E of the cairn. The first stands 45m SE of the E end of the cairn and measures 1.7m high by 1.2m wide and 0.6m thick. The second standing stone which is flush with the ground surface, formerly stood 1.4m high. It lies 40m to the north of the first. The area to be scheduled is irregular on plan, to include the remains described and an area around within which evidence relating to their construction and use may survive. The monument, which lies in the Parish of Canonbie and the County of 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 Malcolm Cooper, Chief Inspector with Historic Scotland, being an officer of the Scottish Ministers at Edinburgh on the 23 day of JANU Two thousand and eight, before this witness Victoria Ball, of Longmore House, Salisbury Place, Edinburgh.

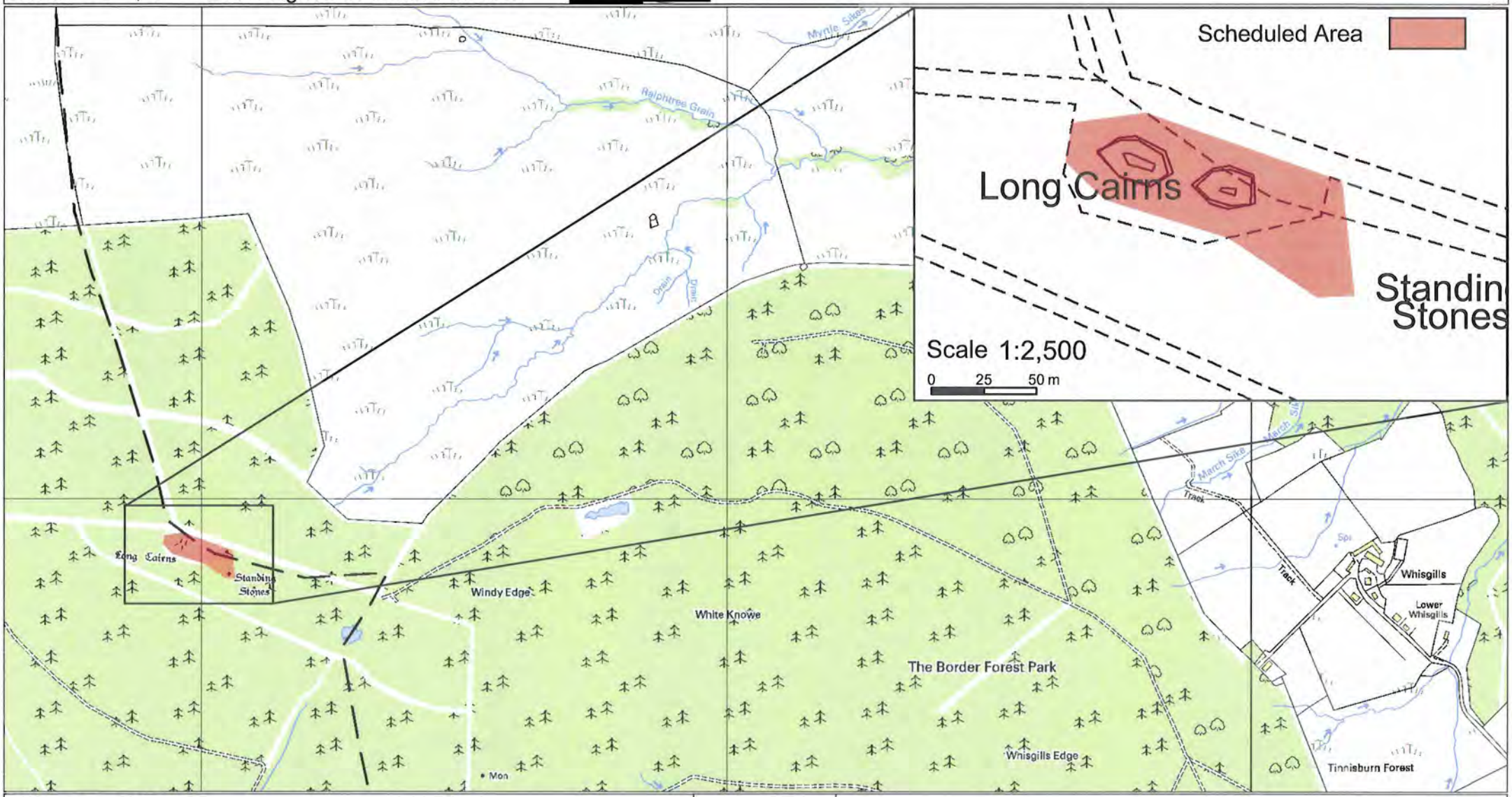
[redacted] Witness [redacted] Chief Inspector

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This is the plan referred to in the entry in the Schedule affecting [redacted]
Whisgills, long cairn and standing stones 2230m W of

dated: 23/ 1 /08 and is signed as relative thereto.



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Canonbie Parish

Scheduled Area

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Re: The Monument known as
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