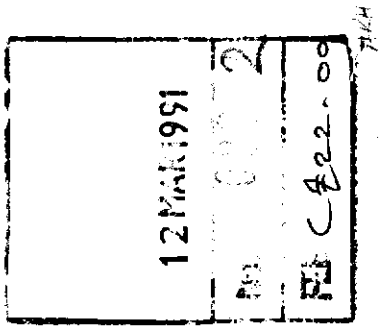
THE ANCIENT MONUMENTS AND ARCHAEOLOGICAL AREAS ACT 1979

Entry in the Schedule of Monuments

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Re: The Monument known as Glenwhilly, hut circles and field system 1300m NW of

in the Parish of New Luce and County of Wigtown



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to the
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The monument known as Glenwhilly, hut circles and field system 1300m NW of comprises two hut circles, rubble-banked fields, and field clearance cairns, of the later Bronze Age or Iron Age, situated to the NW of the Glenwhilly sheepfold. The better-preserved hut circle measures 8.5m in diameter internally, and 14m in diameter overall. The entrance is to the SE and there are traces of divisions inside the structure. The hut circle is on the SE side of a large field which measures 65m NW-SE by 60m transversely. Traces of other field banks running under the peat are attached to the field. To the N there are at least nine field clearance cairns. About 60m SE of the hut circle is a second circular structure lying immediately to the SW of the sheepfold. It measures 14m NW-SE by at least 10m transversely and has been partly damaged by the sheepfold. The area to be scheduled includes the hut circles, field banks, clearance cairns, and an area around them within which traces of activity associated with their use may be found. It measures a maximum of 180m NW-SE by 150m transversely, bounded in part by the sheepfold wall but excluding the above ground portions of modern dykes. The monument, which lies in the Parish of New Luce and the County of Wigtown as shown outlined in red on the Plan annexed and executed as relative hereto and which [redacted] is hereby included in the Schedule of Monuments appearing to the Secretary of State for Scotland to be of national importance compiled and maintained by him under section 1(1) of the Ancient Monuments and Archaeological Areas Act 1979.

Given under the Seal of the Secretary of State for Scotland.

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Assistant Secretary
Date 29 October 1990

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Register on behalf of the Secretary of State for Scotland in the Register of the County of Wigtown.

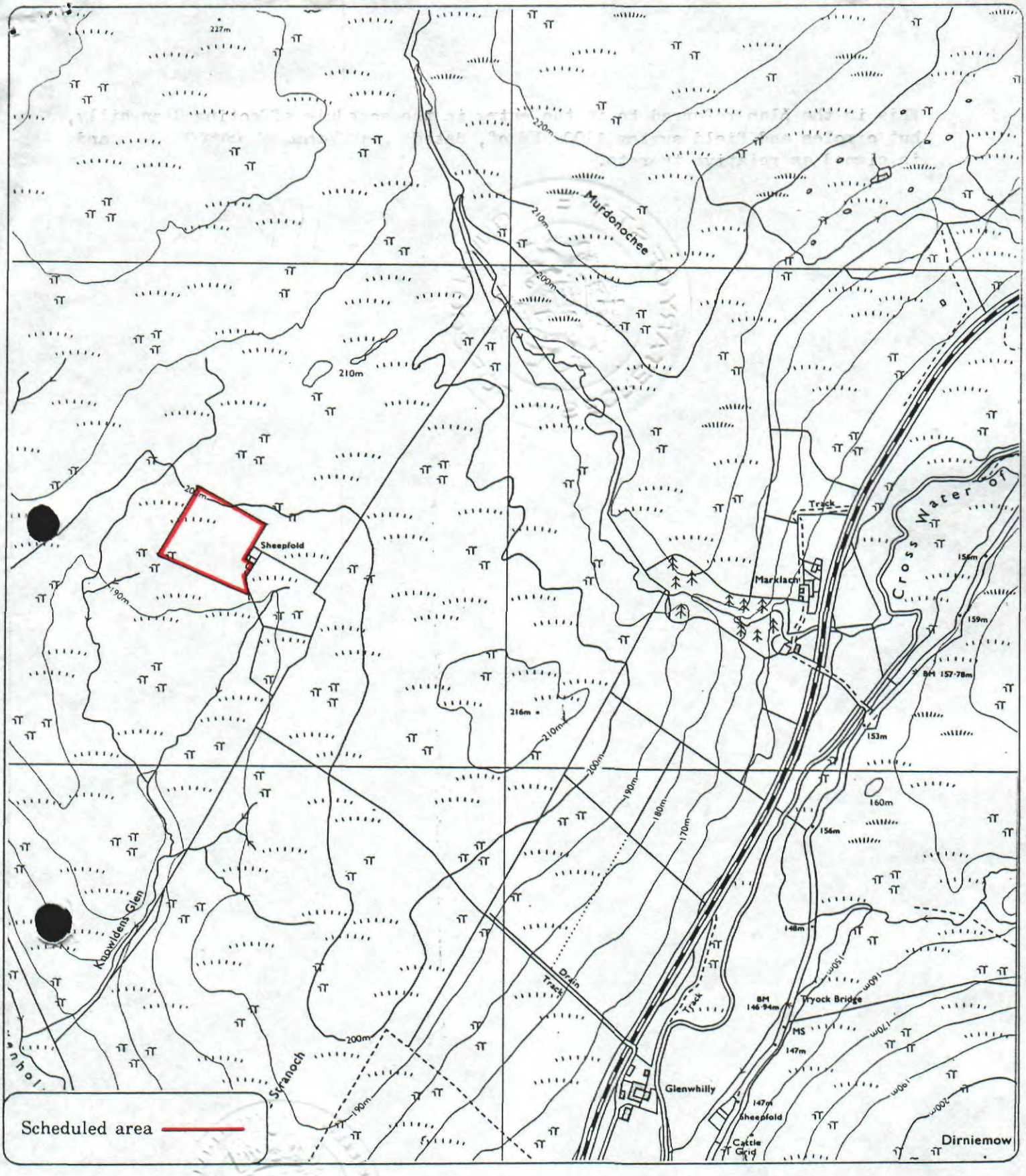
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