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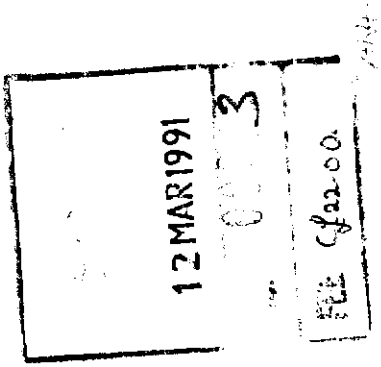
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1990

Re: The Monument known as Dunskirloch, fort

in the Parish of Kirkcolm and County of Wigtown

File Ref:



(AS-7247)

Solicitor
to the
Secretary of State
for Scotland
New St Andrew's House
Edinburgh

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ENTRY IN THE SCHEDULE OF MONUMENTS

The monument known as Dunskirloch, fort comprises a fort of the Iron Age situated on a rocky promontory to the NE of Corsewall Lighthouse. Most of the promontory is naturally defended by cliffs but on the SE the easiest approach has been cut off by a stone wall surviving as a rubble bank with some facing stones. Immediately inside the wall is a level platform which may represent a house site, and in the rest of the interior, measuring 71m NW-SE by 41m transversely, are other similiar sites. On the E side of the interior is a mound measuring 6.5m in diameter and 0.8m high. The area to be scheduled includes the fort and an area around it within which traces of activity associated with its use may be found. It measures a maximum of 110m NW-SE by 90m transversely, bounded by, but excluding, the track to the SE. The monument, which lies in the Parish of Kirkcolm and the County of Wigtown as shown outlined in red on the Plan annexed and executed as relative hereto and which forms part of the subjects described in the Feu

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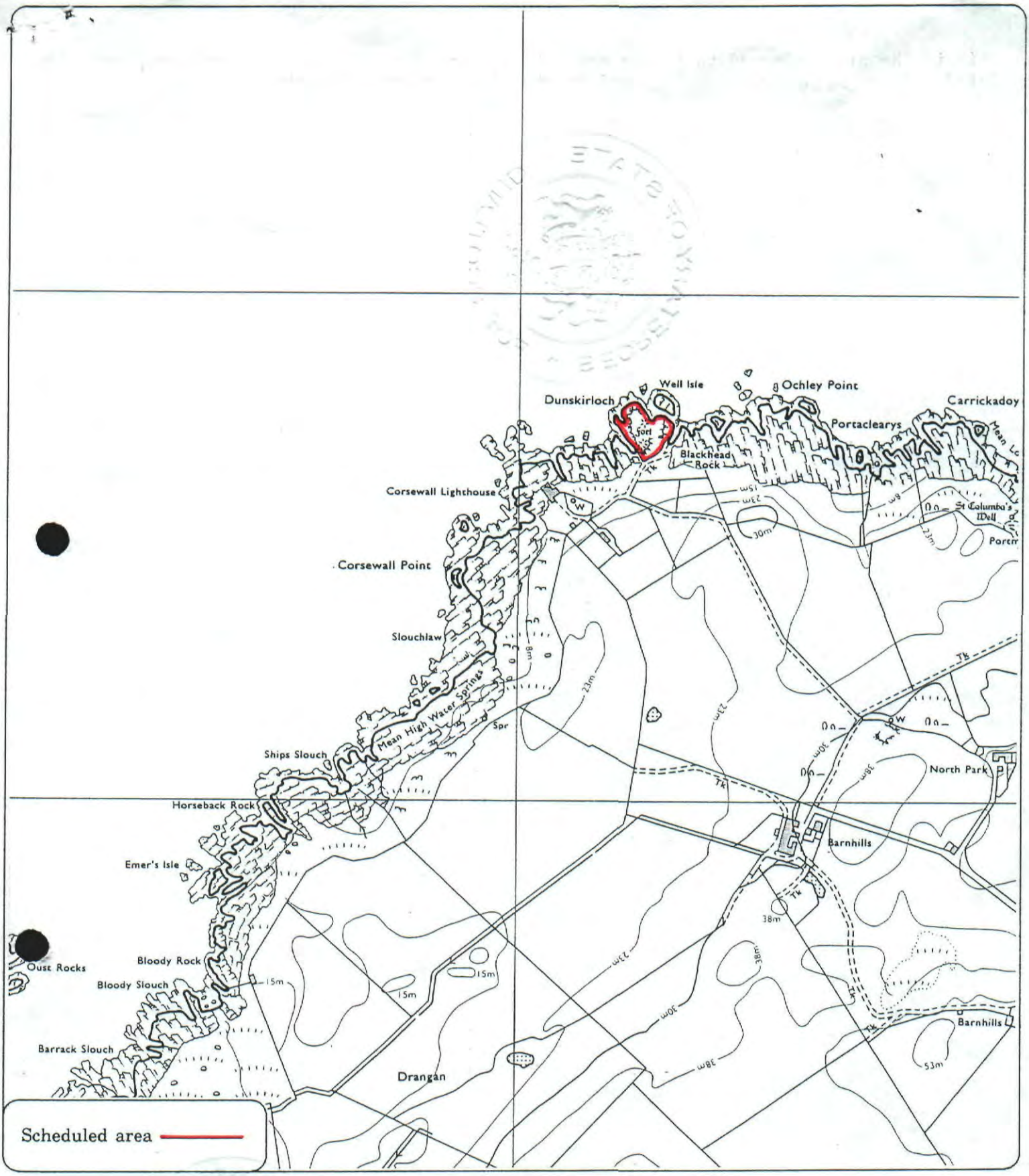
Register on behalf of the Secretary of State for Scotland in the Register of the County of Wigtown

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Dunskirloch, fort

Kirkcolm Parish

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