THE ANCIENT MONUMENTS AND ARCHAEOLOGICAL AREAS ACT 1979

Entry in the Schedule of Monuments

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Re: The Monument known as Hardcroft, hut circles 700m E of

in the Parish of New Luce and County of Wigtown

File Ref:

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to the
Secretary of State
for Scotland
New St Andrew's House
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The monument known as Hardcroft, hut circles 700m E of comprises three hut circles of the Bronze Age or Iron Age situated to the SSW of Knockcraven. The easternmost measures 5.5m in diameter within a wall 1.5m thick and 0.3m high. There is a ring of large stones in the NW quadrant of the interior. The entrance is to the SSE. About 60m to the W, the second hut circle measures 7.4m by 6.8m within a wall 1.5m thick and 0.4m high. The entrance is to the SSE. The third hut circle is c 30m to the NNW of the second. It measures 10m in diameter overall and shows as a low knoll 0.5m high on the outside. A small rectangular structure overlies its NW edge. The area to be scheduled includes the hut circles and an area around them within which traces of activity associated with their use may be found. It measures a maximum of 140m WNW-ESE by a maximum of 80m transversely. 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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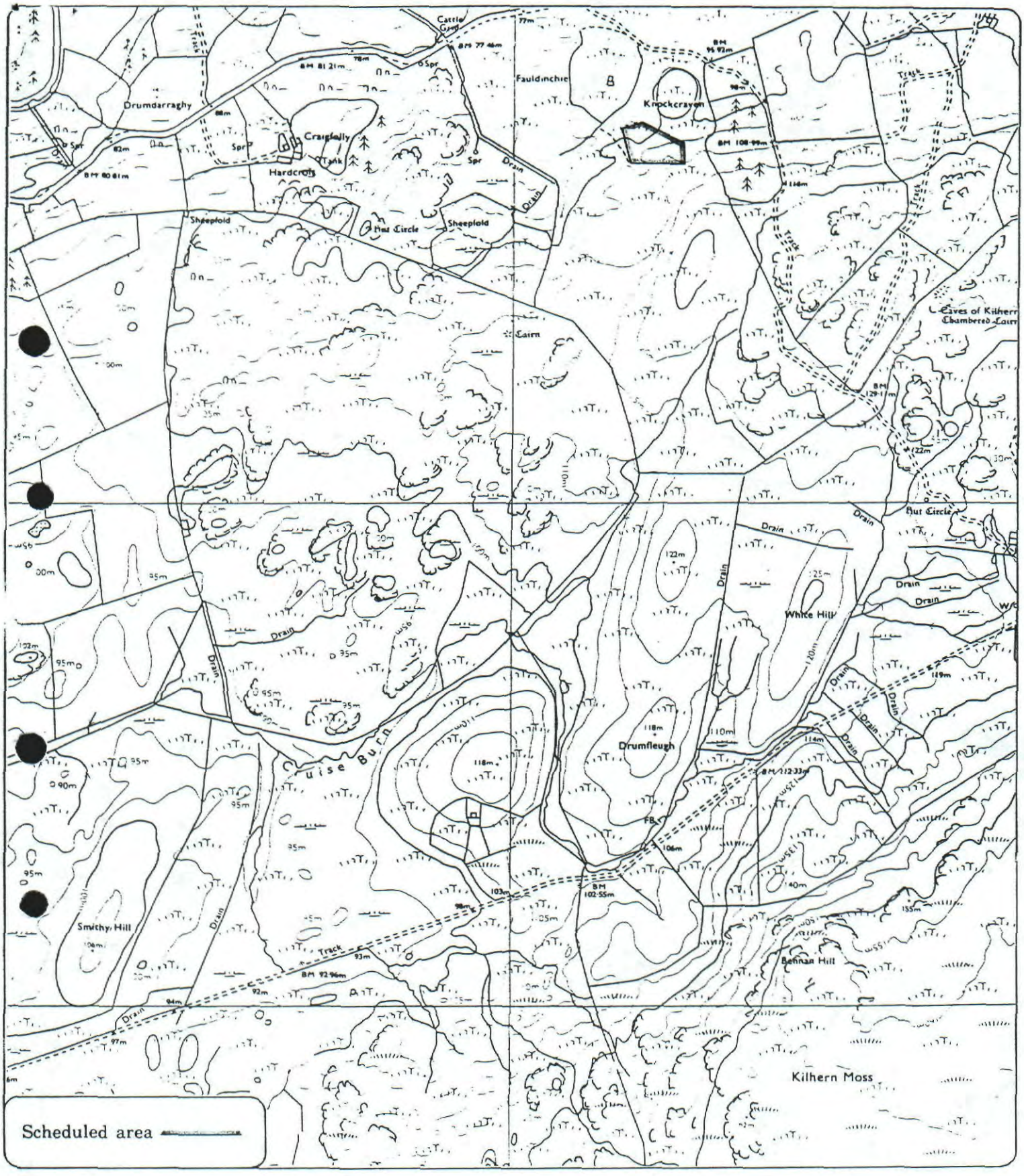
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Hardcroft, hut circles 700m E of

New Luce Parish

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Scale : 1/10,000

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