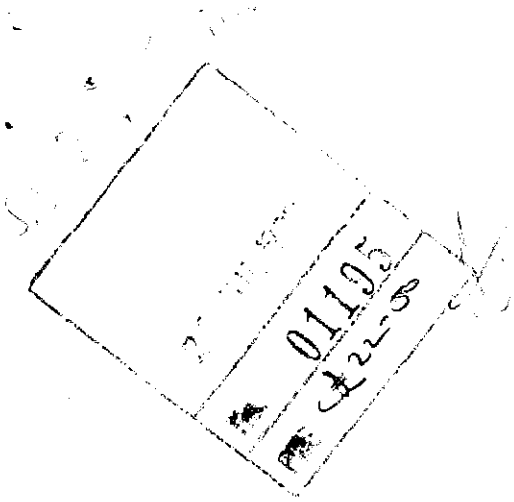
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THE ANCIENT MONUMENTS AND ARCHAEOLOGICAL AREAS ACT 1979

Entry in the Schedule of Monuments

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Re: The Monument known as Sithean na Gearra, hut circle 1280m SSW of

in the Parish of Latheron and County of Caithness

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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 Sithean na Gearra, hut circle 1280m SSW of comprises a hut circle, evidence for cultivation and an associated clearance cairn. The hut circle is defined by low peat-covered walls with some stone protruding on the NE and SW. The wall is about 1.5m wide and 0.3m high and the floor of the hut appears to be terraced into a slightly W-facing hillslope. The hut is approximately 12m E-W by 13m N-S and has an entrance formed by a simple gap in the wall on the SSE side. The ground around and to the W of the hut is relatively flat and smooth and has evidently been cultivated. To the W of the hut is a small cairn, about 2m in diameter and 0.3m high. This cairn is peat covered, but some stone is visible. The area to be scheduled measures 115m E-W by 60m N-S, to include the hut circle, cairn and an area around in which traces of activities associated with the construction and use of the hut may survive. The monument, which lies in the Parish of Latheron and the County of Caithness as shown outlined in red on the Plan annexed and executed as relative hereto and which forms part of the subjects

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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 22 AUGUST 1991

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

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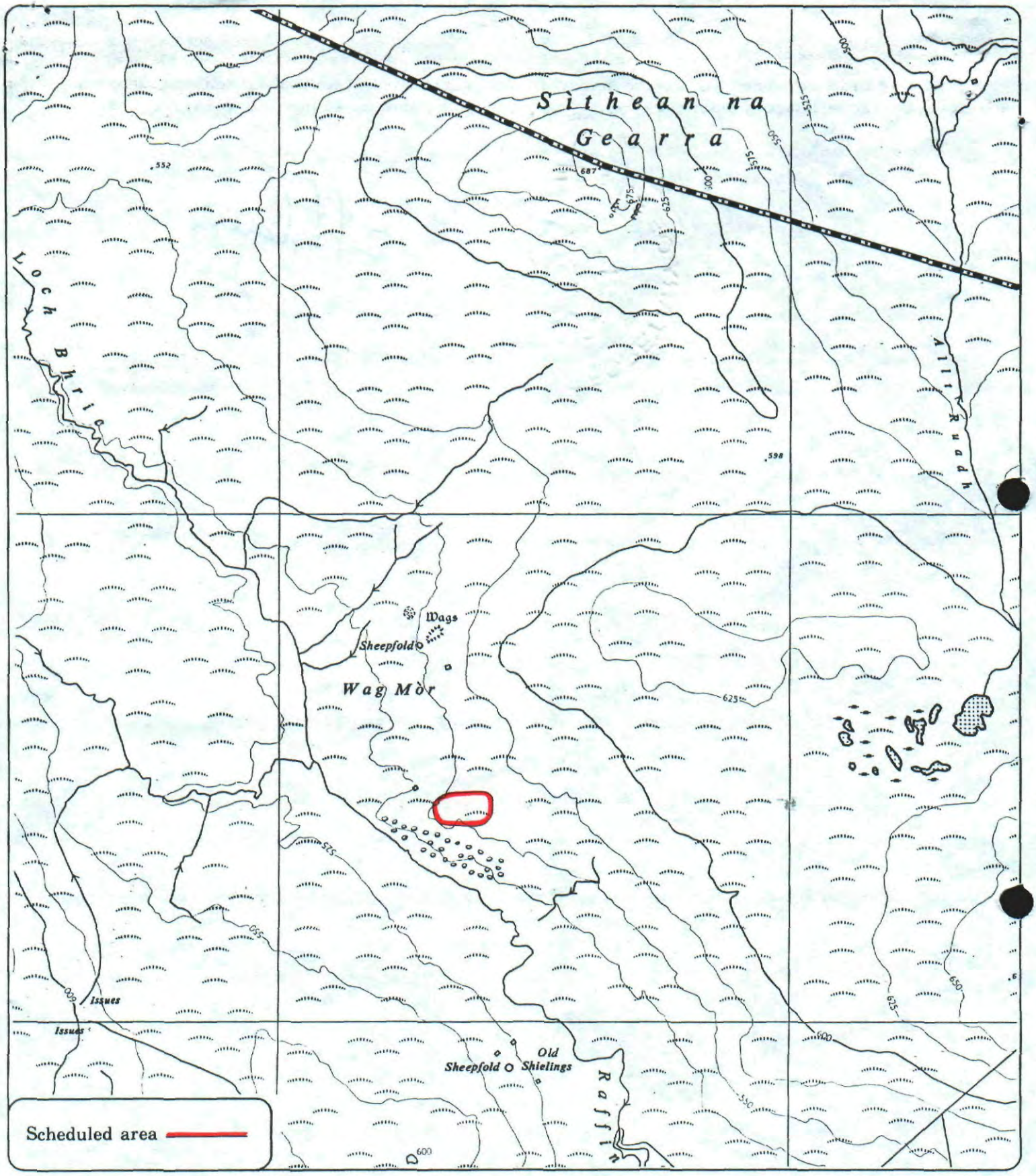
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Sithean na Gearra, hut circle 1280m SSW of

Latheron Parish

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