

THE ANCIENT MONUMENTS AND
ARCHAEOLOGICAL AREAS ACT 1979

Entry in the Schedule of Monuments

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Re: The Monument known as
Sornach a'Phobuill, stone circle
in the Parish of North Uist and
County of Inverness

File Ref:

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

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The monument known as Sornach a'Phobuill, stone circle comprises of a circle of small standing stones on a gently sloping hillside above Loch a'Phobuill. The circle is of relatively large diameter, and slightly flattened in plan, being 42m NW-SE by 37m NE-SW. It is formed of small uprights, only two of which exceed 1m in height, although peat cover may conceal a greater height for some of the stones. Fourteen stones stand upright, and a further three can be detected, probably fallen, in the peat. Originally, if the spacing was approximately even, 45 to 50 stones would have been required for the circle. A very slight bank runs round the perimeter, with the stones set on or near it. The area to be scheduled is a large circle, 160m in diameter and centred on the centre of the circle, to include the stones, perimeter bank, interior of the circle and an area of land outside, within which evidence relating to the construction and use of the monument may survive. The monument, which lies in the Parish of North Uist and the County of Inverness as shown outlined in red on the Plan annexed and executed as relative hereto



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.



Assistant Secretary
Date 9 DECEMBER 1991

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

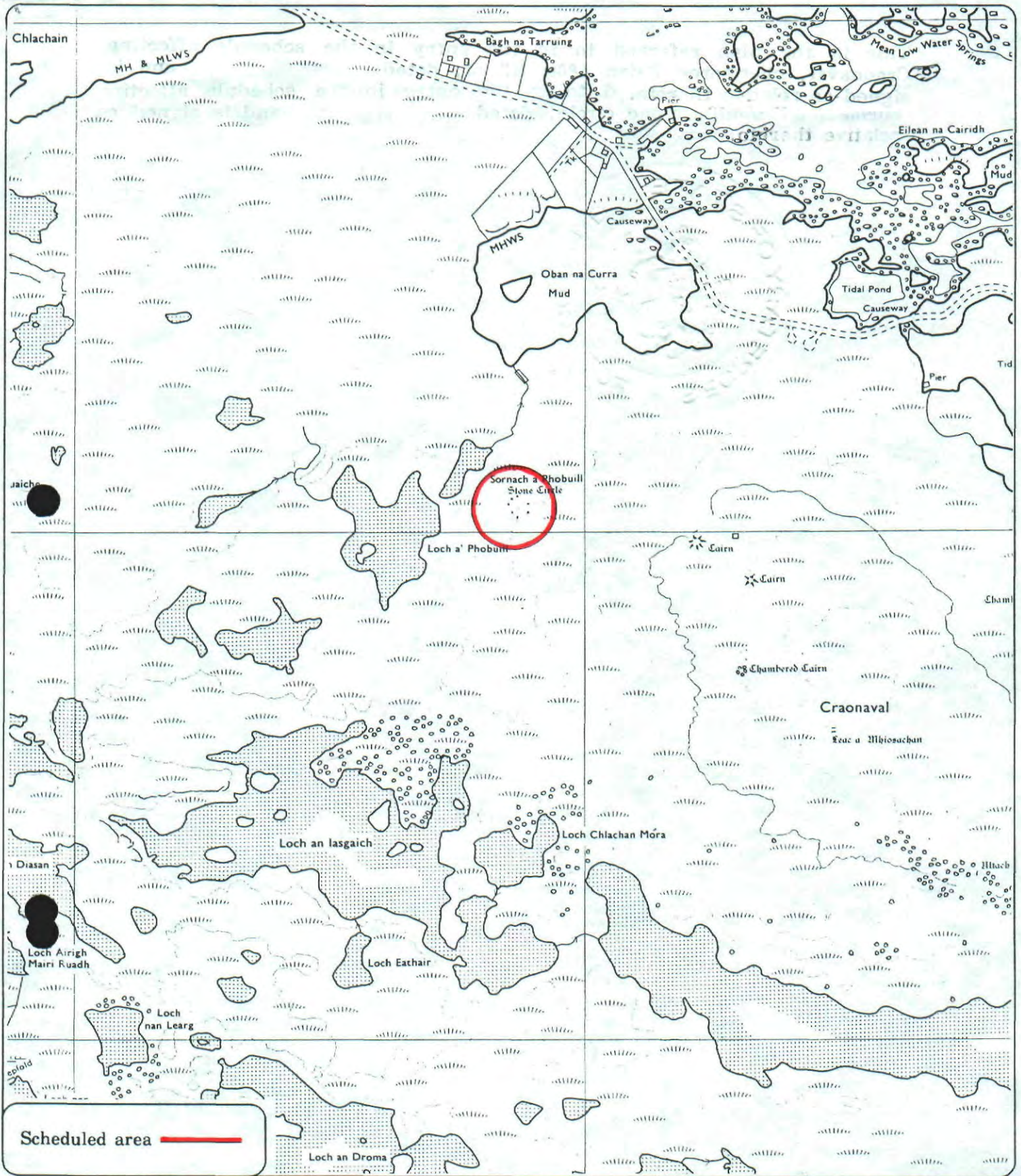


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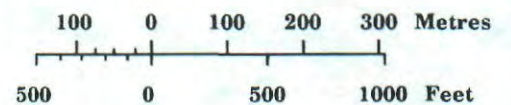
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Sornach a' Phobuill, stone circle



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