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THE ANCIENT MONUMENTS AND
ARCHAEOLOGICAL AREAS ACT 1979

Entry in the Schedule of Monuments

1992

Re: The Monument known as
St Meddan's Church and Burial Ground
in the Parish of Fintray and
County of Aberdeen

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File Ref:

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

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The monument known as St Meddan's Church and Burial Ground comprises the remains of the church which now form a rectangular burial enclosure, some 20m by 7.8m; the walls stand about 3m high, and are capped by a sloping wallhead which oversails the outer face. A wide gap in the north wall and smaller, lintelled opening in the south are closed by iron gates. Only the east wall, the east half of the north wall and east end of the south wall appear to belong to the medieval church, though it is likely that the other walls are built over medieval foundations. Near the east end of the north wall is a crudely carved late medieval sacrament house let into the wall, and above it a square stone panel covered with a depiction of Christ crucified flanked by 2 figures. To the west of this, just before the gap in the wall, is the right-hand reveal of a blocked door or window. There are at least 4 medieval sculptured grave stones within the church and surrounding disused burial ground. The area to be scheduled includes the church, burial ground and boundary wall, a quadrangular area measuring some 70m on the north, east and south, 65m on the west. The monument, which lies in the Parish of Fintray and the County of Aberdeen 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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[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 9 MARCH 1992

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

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Solicitor, Edinburgh, Agent

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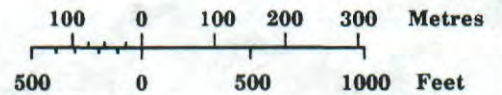
**St Meddan's Church and
Burial Ground**

Fintray Parish



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