THE ANCIENT MONUMENTS AND ARCHAEOLOGICAL AREAS ACT 1979 6749
ENTRY IN THE SCHEDULE OF MONUMENTS

The monument known as **Shiells, settlements 665m NW of** comprises the buried remains of two circular buildings and two rectangular structures in close proximity, and associated archaeological remains, all visible as cropmarks captured on oblique aerial photographs. The two circular buildings are interpreted as prehistoric roundhouses dating to the Iron Age (sometime between around 500 BC and AD 200), while the rectangular structures are believed to be slightly later, dating to the early historic period (around AD 300-900). The scheduling comprises three separate areas. The first is circular and measures 40m in diameter, to include the roundhouse furthest to the N; the second is rectangular, measuring 60m by 38m, to include the complete hall-like structure; and the third is an irregular polygon, to include the second roundhouse and the remains of the second hall-like structure, which are less than 10m apart. The scheduled area includes the remains described above and an area around them within which evidence relating to the monument's construction, use and abandonment is expected to survive. The monument, which lies in the Parish of Collessie and the County of Fife as shown in red on the Plan annexed and executed as relative hereto [redacted], is hereby included in the Schedule of Monuments appearing to the Scottish Ministers to be of national importance compiled and maintained by them under section 1(1) of the Ancient Monuments and Archaeological Areas Act 1979.

This entry supersedes 1) the Entry in the Schedule of Monuments for the monument known then as **Shiells, timber hall 700m NW of** as referred to in the Entry in the Schedule of Monuments by the Secretary of State for Scotland in respect of the monument dated 30 May 1997 and recorded in the General Register of Sasines for the County of Fife on 21 July 1997 and 2) the Entry in the Schedule of Monuments for the monument known as **Shiells, ring-ditches 500m NW & 600m NNW of** as referred to in the Entry in the Schedule of Monuments by the Secretary of State for Scotland in respect of the monument dated 30 May 1997 and recorded in the General Register of Sasines for the County of Fife on 21 July 1997.

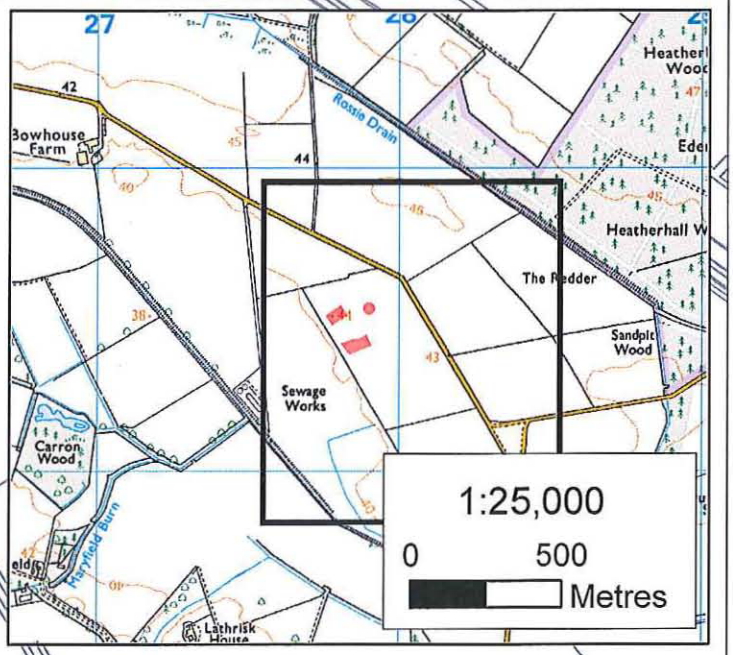
Subscribed by Olwyn A Owen, Head of Scheduling, Marine and Battlefields with Historic Scotland, being an officer of the Scottish Ministers at Edinburgh on the 13th day of December Two thousand and thirteen, before this witness Christine Kelly, of Longmore House, Salisbury Place, Edinburgh.

[redacted] Head of Scheduling, Marine and Battlefields

[redacted] Witness

This is the plan referred to in the entry in the Schedule affecting:
Shiells, settlements 665m NW of

dated: 13 / 12 / 13 and is signed as relative thereto [redacted]



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Shiells, settlements 665m NW of

Collessie Parish

Scheduled Area

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Re: The Monument known as
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