THE ANCIENT MONUMENTS AND ARCHAEOLOGICAL AREAS ACT 1979 7443
ENTRY IN THE SCHEDULE OF MONUMENTS

The monument known as **Glenluce Roman camp, 380m W of Corsehead** comprises the remains of a Roman temporary camp and a linear series of small quarry pits indicating the presence of a Roman road. The archaeological remains survive as buried features which are visible as cropmarks on oblique aerial photographs. The cropmarks identify all four sides of a camp, with one visible gate transverse (external protection for the gateway) on the SW side of the camp. The camp is approximately sub-rectangular in form and measures 465m from NE to SW by 400m transversely, enclosing an area of about 18ha. A series of quarry pits, aligned roughly NW to SE, lies immediately SW of the camp. About 49 pits are visible in total, ranging from 2m to 10m in diameter. Their linear nature and close spatial relationship with the camp strongly indicate the presence of a Roman road in its immediate vicinity. The camp is located on sloping ground, rising about 30m to 40m above sea level. It lies east of the Water of Luce, close to its confluence with the Solway Firth at Luce Sands. The scheduled area is irregular on plan, to include 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 scheduled area specifically excludes the above-ground elements of all post-and-wire fences, hedges and drystone dykes, to allow for their maintenance, and the large stone-filled quarry in the SE corner of the camp. The monument, which lies in the Parish of Old Luce and the County of Wigtown as shown in red on the Plan annexed and executed as relative hereto and which forms part of the subjects registered in the Land Register of Scotland under 1. Title No WGN4312 [redacted]; and 2. Title No WGN4587 [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.

Subscribed by Barbara Cummins, Director of Heritage Management with Historic Scotland, being an officer of the Scottish Ministers at Edinburgh on the 23rd day of January Two thousand and fourteen, before this witness Victoria Murray, of Longmore House, Salisbury Place, Edinburgh.

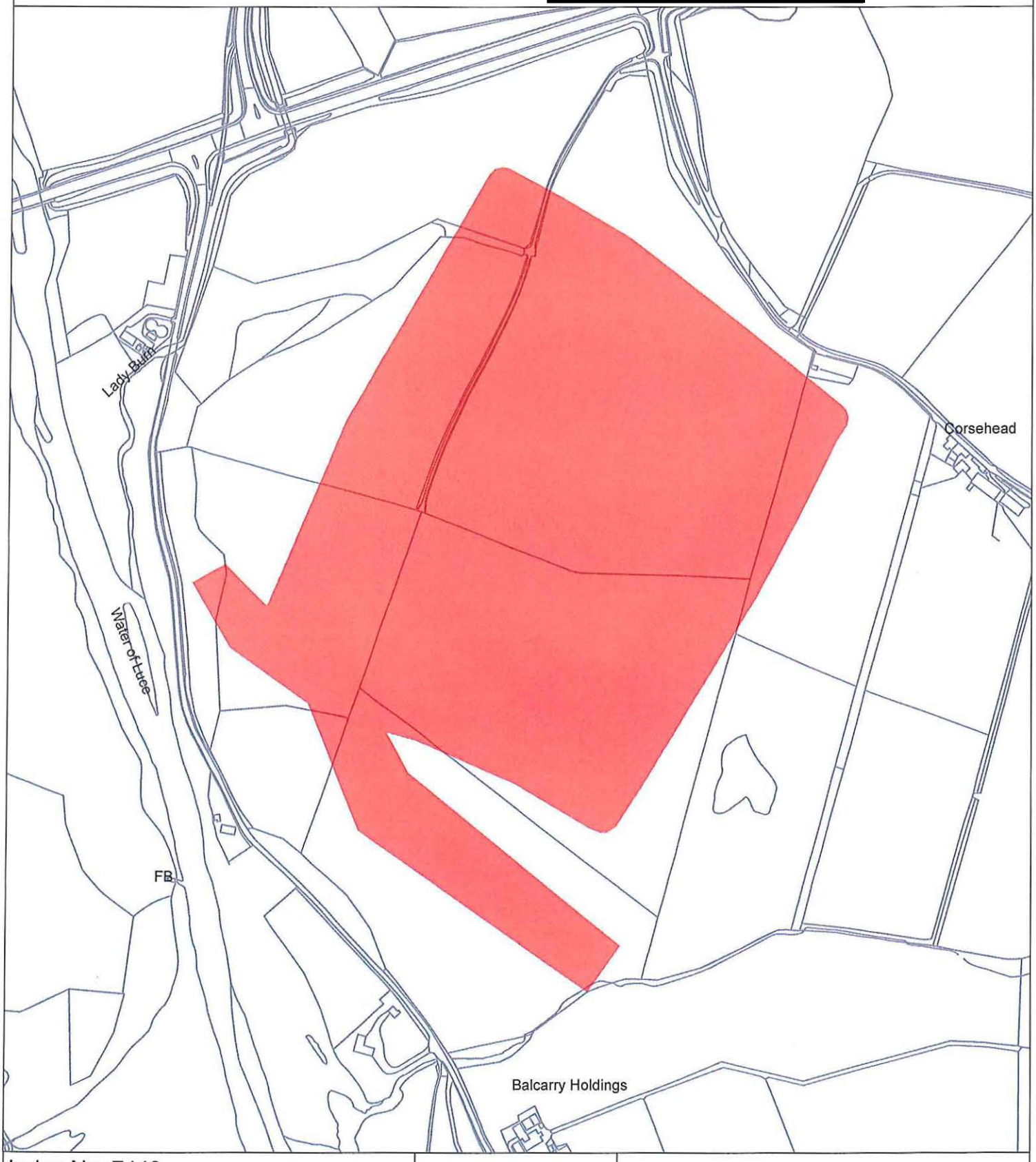
[redacted] Director of Heritage Management

[redacted] Witness

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This is the plan referred to in the amended entry in the Schedule affecting:
Glenluce Roman camp, 380m W of Corsehead

dated: 23/ 2 / 14 and is signed as relative thereto. [redacted]



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Glenluce Roman camp, 380m W of Corsehead

Old Luce Parish

Scheduled Area

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Mapsheet(s):
NX15NE
NX25NW

Scale: 1:5,000

0 50 100

Metres

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2014

Re: The Monument known as
Glenluce Roman camp,
380m W of Corsehead

in the Parish of Old Luce
and
County of Wigtown

Title Nos: 4312
4587

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