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THE ANCIENT MONUMENTS AND  
ARCHAEOLOGICAL AREAS ACT 1979

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Entry in the Schedule of Monuments

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Re: The Monument known as  
Culzean Coves, Caves

in the Parish of Kirkoswald and  
County of Ayr

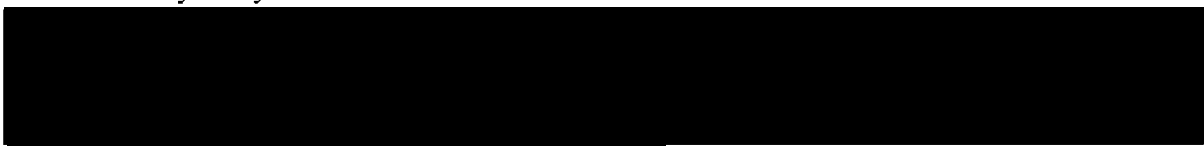
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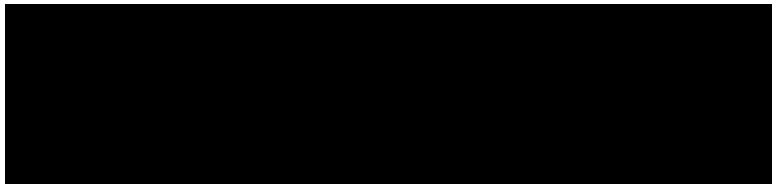
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The monument known as Culzean Caves, caves comprises the remains of two cave systems, visible as modified cavernous features containing upstanding architectural elements and entrances. The monument consists of two cave systems: the Main Cavern System located below the castle and the Stable Caves System located beneath the stable block. Each consists of three main caverns. The area to be scheduled comprises only the underground and cliff-face remains described, along with areas on the beachfront within which related material may be expected to survive. The scheduled area of the Main Cavern System is irregular in shape, with maximum dimensions of 42m from the easternmost to the westernmost points, by 50.50m from the northernmost to the southernmost points. The scheduled area of the stable Caves System is also irregular, with maximum dimensions of 37m from the easternmost to the westernmost points, by 52m from the northernmost to the southernmost points. The scheduling includes the caves and associated passages to the height of their ceilings. The upper areas above the ceilings, up to and including the contemporary ground surface and all structures thereon, are excluded from the scheduling. The modern drainage pipes on the beach and cliff are also excluded. The monument, which lies in the Parish of Kirkoswald and the County of Ayr 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 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 Owen Kelly, Director, Properties in Care with Historic Scotland, being an officer of the Scottish Ministers at Edinburgh on the 4<sup>th</sup> day of March Two thousand and two, before this witness Lesley Macdonald, of Longmore House, Salisbury Place, Edinburgh.



Director, Properties in Care

Register on behalf of the Scottish Ministers in the Register of the County of Ayr.



An Officer of the Scottish Ministers

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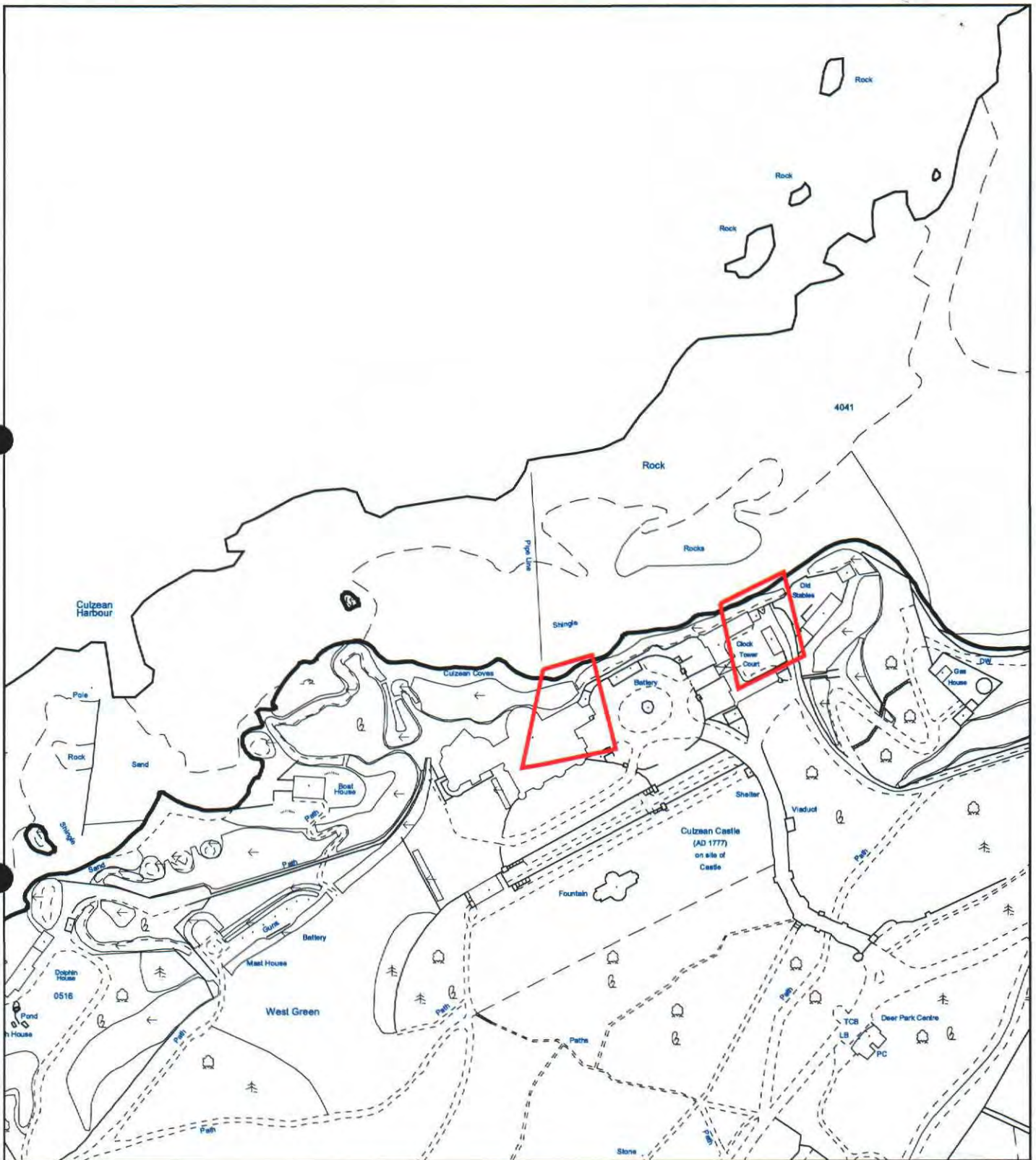
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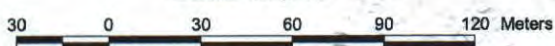
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This is the plan referred to in the entry in the Schedule affecting  
 Culzean Coves, caves,  
 dated: 4/3/02 and is signed as relative thereto.



<p>Culzean Coves, caves</p> <p>Kirkoswald Parish</p> <p>Scheduled Area <span style="color: red; border-bottom: 1px solid red; display: inline-block; width: 100px;"></span></p>	<p>N</p>  <p>MapSheet: NS21SW</p>	<p>Scale 1:2,500</p>  <p>This map is reproduced from the OS map by Historic Scotland with the permission of The Controller of Her Majesty's Stationery Office, © Crown copyright. Unauthorised reproduction infringes Crown Copyright and may lead to prosecution or civil proceedings. Licence No. GD 03135G0014.</p>
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