THE ANCIENT MONUMENTS AND ARCHAEOLOGICAL AREAS ACT 1979 12739
ENTRY IN THE SCHEDULE OF MONUMENTS

The monument known as Doe's Hill, settlement 915m N of Kirtlehead comprises the remains of a defended settlement likely to date to later prehistory. Two secondary scooped settlements inserted within the defences date from the same broad period and one contains traces of at least one roundhouse. The settlement is surrounded by an irregular earth bank with an external ditch, which is most prominent to the north, where a second bank and ditch are also visible. The site is located on the S slopes of Doe's Hill about 265m above sea level and has long views south to the Solway Firth. The area to be scheduled is irregular on plan to include the remains described and an area around within which evidence relating to the monument's construction, use and abandonment may survive. The above-ground elements of a post-and-wire fence that crosses the eastern part of the monument are specifically excluded from the scheduling to allow for their maintenance. The monument, which lies in the Parish of Middlebie and the County of Dumfries 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 Title No DMF7444 [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.

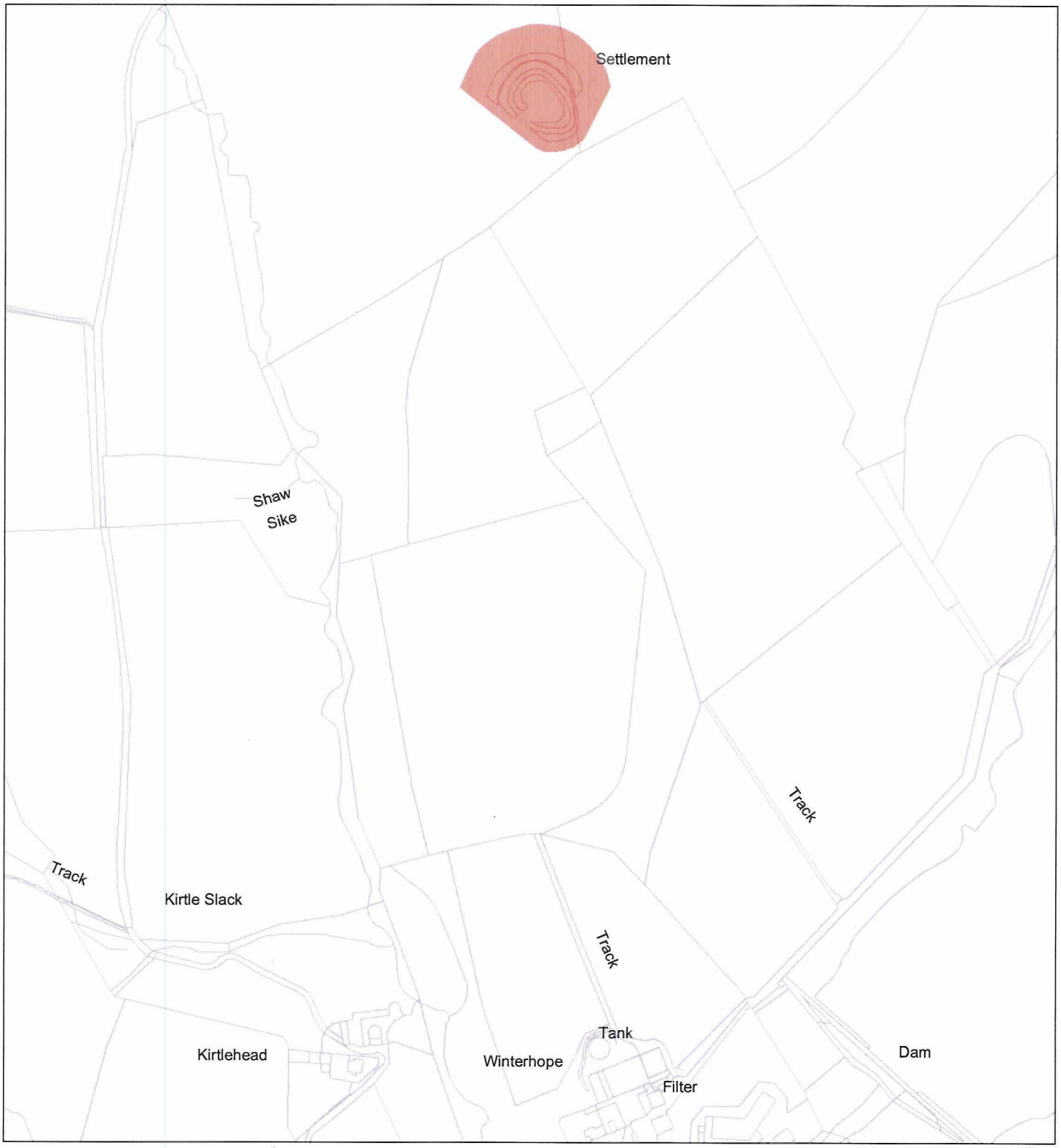
Subscribed by Malcolm Cooper, Chief Inspector with Historic Scotland, being an officer of the Scottish Ministers at Edinburgh on the 27 day of Jan Two thousand and ten, before this witness Mairi H Davies, of Longmore House, Salisbury Place, Edinburgh.

[redacted] Witness [redacted] Chief Inspector

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This is the plan referred to in the entry in the Schedule affecting: [redacted]
Doe's Hill, settlement 915m N of Kirtlehead

dated: 27/1/10 and is signed as relative thereto.




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Doe's Hill, settlement 915m N of Kirtlehead

Middlebie Parish

Scheduled Area

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Mapsheet(s):
NY28SE

Scale: 1:5,000
0 50 100 150 200 250
Metres

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2010

Re: The Monument known as
Doe's Hill, settlement 915m N of Kirtlehead

in the Parish of Middlebie and
County of Dumfries

Title No: DMF7444

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