THE ANCIENT MONUMENTS AND ARCHAEOLOGICAL AREAS ACT 1979 13295
ENTRY IN THE SCHEDULE OF MONUMENTS

The monument known as **North Beachmore, rock art panels 220m E, 350m E and 385m ESE of** comprises an earthfast monolith and two rock outcrops in close proximity, all decorated with prehistoric rock art motifs. The motifs were carved probably during the early prehistoric period, between about 3500 BC and 2500 BC. The monolith now serves as the N side of a gateway between two pasture fields. It measures roughly 0.9m wide by 0.3m deep at its base, but tapers towards the top. It stands 1.5m high and now leans at an angle of 45 degrees, with the decorated surface facing SW. Over 50 cup-marks and variations of cup-mark designs have been recorded. The two outcrops are visible at ground level as small areas of exposed rock surface within pasture land. The easternmost is 1.5m long by 0.9m wide and is decorated with at least 12 cup-marks. The visible area of the second outcrop, 120m to the W, measures 1.2m by 1.2m and is decorated with at least eight cup-marks. The monolith and rock outcrops are located on the S and N sides respectively of the Allt Achapharick burn at approximately 120m above sea level. The former has a predominantly E-facing outlook to the Kintyre ridge, while the two rock outcrops are on the W-facing shoulder of the ridge, overlooking the Sound of Gigha, Jura and Islay beyond. The scheduled area comprises three separate circles, centred on the monolith and rock outcrops respectively. The first, 5m in diameter, is centred on the monolith; the second, 8m in diameter, is centred on the westernmost rock outcrop; and the third, 6m in diameter, is centred on the easternmost rock outcrop. The area to be scheduled includes the remains described above and an area around them within which evidence relating to the monument's construction, use and abandonment may survive. Specifically excluded from the scheduling are the above-ground components of a post-and-wire fence adjacent to the monolith. The monument, which lies in the Parish of Killean and Kilchenzie and the County of Argyll as shown in red on the Plan annexed and

[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 31st day of October Two thousand and thirteen, before this witness Victoria Murray, of Longmore House, Salisbury Place, Edinburgh.

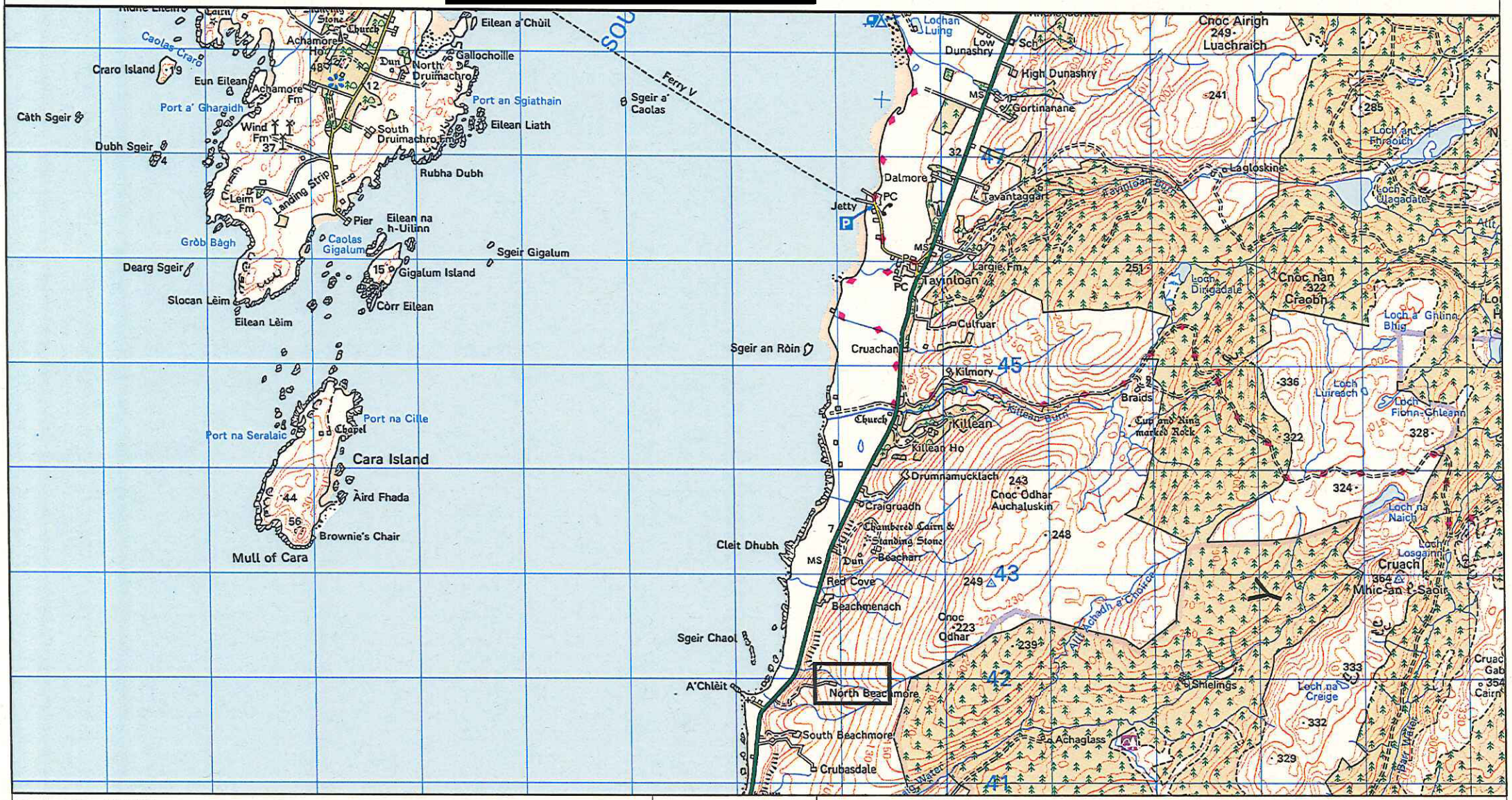
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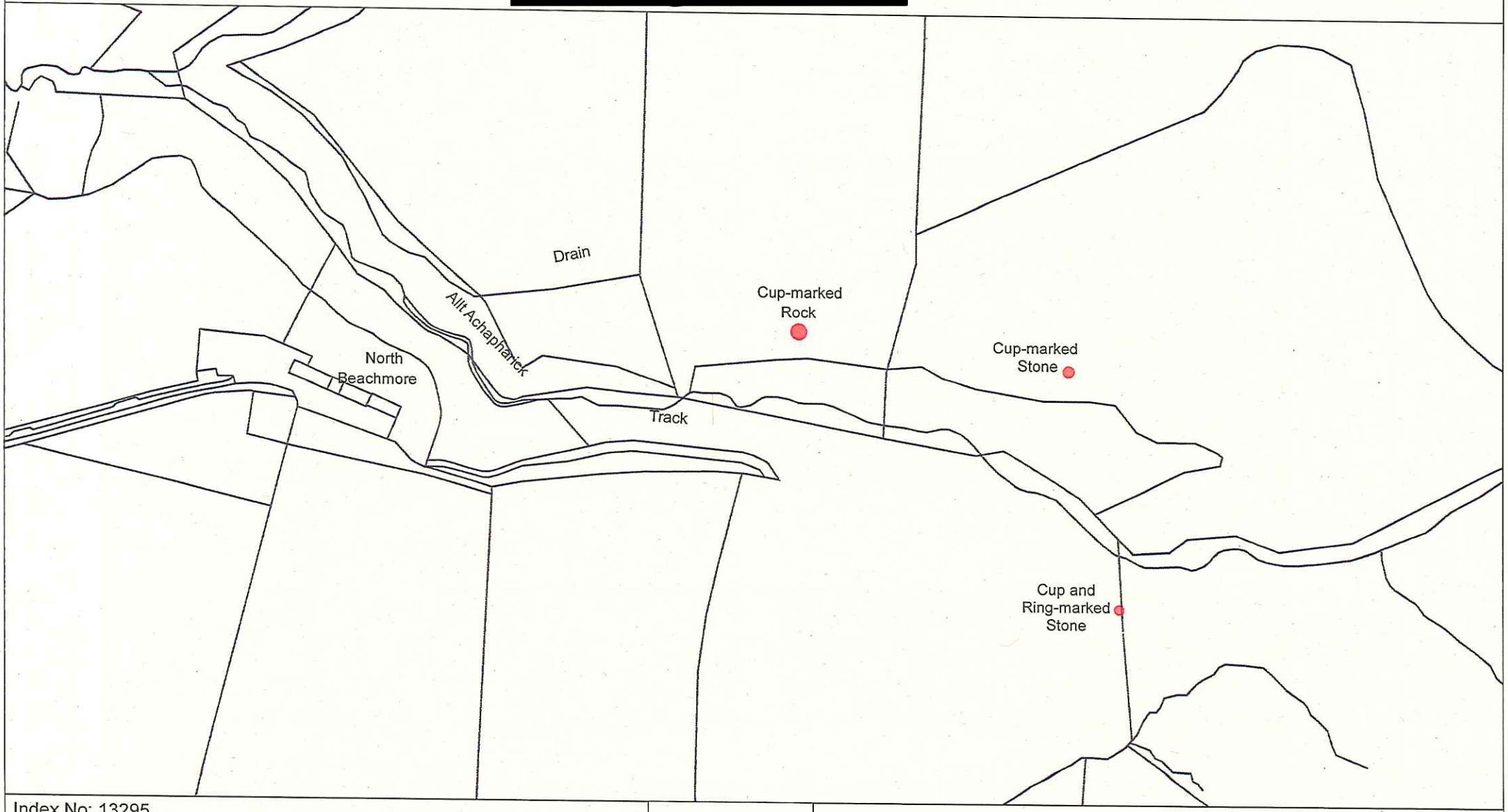
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2013

Re: The Monument known as
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in the Parish of Killean and Kilchenzie and
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