THE ANCIENT MONUMENTS AND ARCHAEOLOGICAL AREAS ACT 1979 13326
ENTRY IN THE SCHEDULE OF MONUMENTS

The monument known as **Tantallon Castle** comprises an upstanding ruin comprising three towers projecting from a massive red sandstone curtain wall, a two-storey hall-block and a series of substantial ditches and ramparts on the landward side. The castle is situated at about 30m OD on a high promontory facing the Bass Rock. The scheduled area is irregular on plan to include the remains described above and an area around them in which evidence for the monument's construction, use and abandonment is expected to survive. On the SW side the scheduling extends up to the boundary fence line. The scheduling specifically excludes: the above-ground elements of all modern boundary walls and modern fences; the above-ground elements of all signage and services; the top 300mm of all modern paths to allow for their maintenance; and the above-ground elements of the modern wooden bridges. The monument, which lies in the Parish of North Berwick and the County of East Lothian as shown in red on the Plan annexed and executed as relative hereto and which forms part [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 the entry in the Schedule of Monuments for the monument known as **Tantallon Castle** dated 31 December 1921.

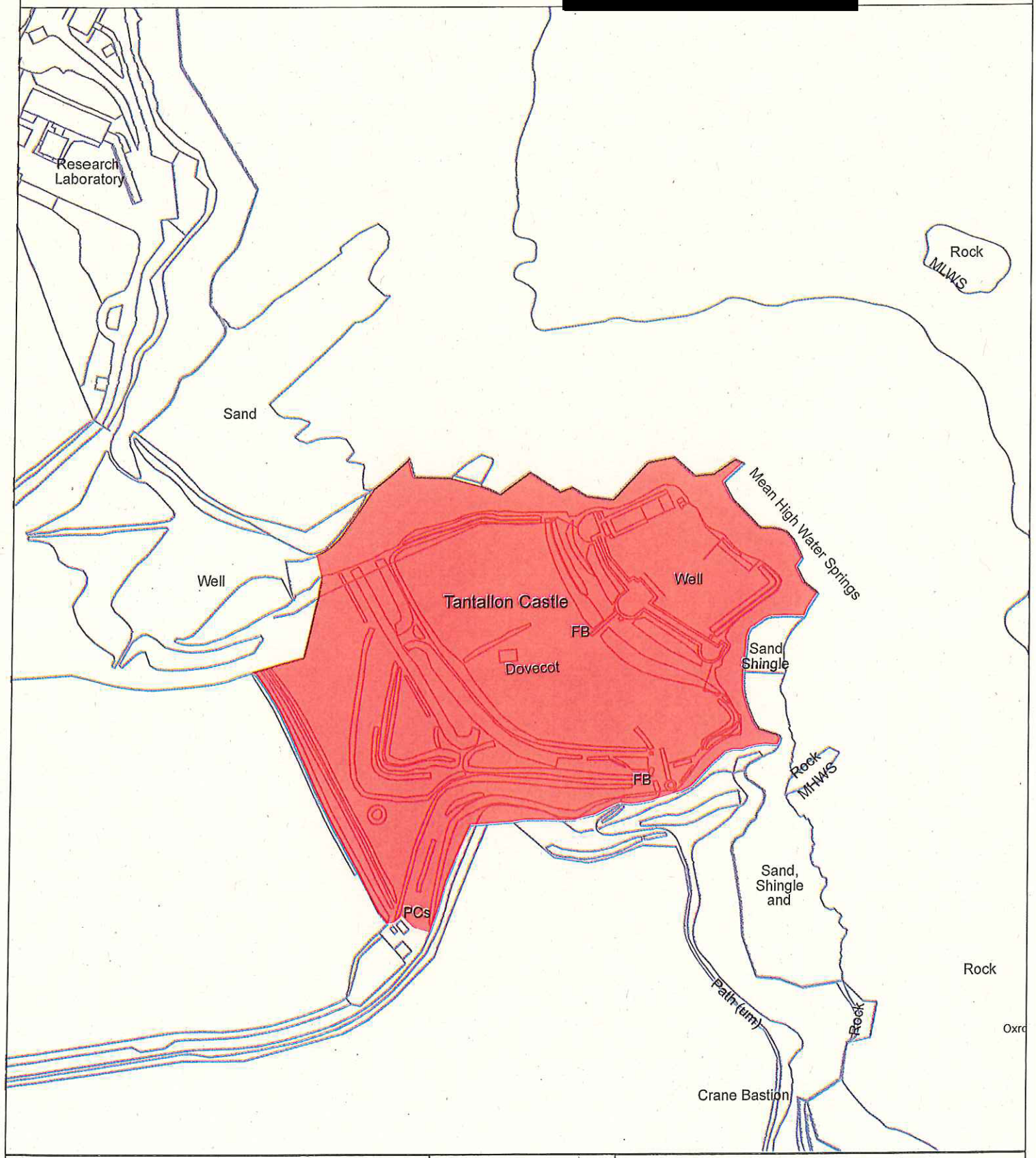
Subscribed by Olwyn A Owen, Head of Scheduling, Marine and Battlefields with Historic Scotland, being an officer of the Scottish Ministers at Edinburgh on the 30th day of October Two thousand and thirteen, before this witness Christine Kelly, of Longmore House, Salisbury Place, Edinburgh.

[redacted] Head of Scheduling, Marine and Battlefields

[redacted] Witness

This is the plan referred to in the entry in the Schedule affecting:
Tantallon Castle

dated: 30/10/13 and is signed as relative thereto. [redacted]



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Tantallon Castle

North Berwick Parish

Scheduled Area

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2013

Re: The Monument known as
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