

bashed into the ground rather than being placed in an excavated post hole. It could be placed just below the break of slope, but the position should be agreed on site with Historic Scotland.

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This is also a very fine monument. There are several small trees growing on the fort and these should be cut and poisoned. In addition, the trees around the monument are too close to the rampart and should be cut back at least 15m from the edge of the site. They should be felled away from the site in order to avoid any damage to the rampart. The stems should be poisoned in order to prevent regeneration. The bracken within the forest clearing should be poisoned. The bracken should be poisoned and any regenerated trees removed every two to three years to avoid any future management problems. Once again scheduled monument consent will be required for these works.

Please contact me if you require any further advice. Dr Bardwell can assist you to fill in the scheduled monument consent form, if necessary.

Yours sincerely

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