The Highland Council (Off Street Parking Places) (Decriminalised Parking Enforcement and Consolidation) Variation Four Order 2025 (Draft)

Statement of Reasons

The Highland Council proposes to make the above-named Traffic Regulation Order to regulate the use of designated off-street parking places under its control within the Lochaber area.

The purpose of this Order is to:

1. Ensure Proper Management of Off-Street Parking

To enable the Council to better manage the use of off-street car parks within the Lochaber area, ensuring availability of spaces, reducing congestion, and supporting the turnover of vehicles where appropriate.

2. Introduce Parking Charges Where Applicable

To apply parking charges in designated off-street payment car parks, in order to support effective traffic management, promote sustainable travel choices, and ensure the financial sustainability of parking facilities.

3. Set Consistent Terms and Conditions of Use

To set out clear, consistent rules governing how all off-street car parks may be used, including length of stay, time restrictions, vehicle classes permitted, and enforcement provisions.

4. Improve Accessibility and Safety

To help ensure that off-street parking areas are safe and accessible for all users, including blue badge holders, pedestrians, and vulnerable road users.

5. Support Local Economic and Community Objectives

To manage parking demand in key tourist areas, supporting local businesses and visitor access while discouraging long-stay commuter parking in short-stay car parks.

6. Enable Effective Enforcement

To provide a legal basis for parking enforcement activity in off-street car parks, thereby ensuring compliance with parking regulations.

ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984

THE HIGHLAND COUNCIL (OFF-STREET PARKING PLACES) (DECRIMINALISED PARKING ENFORCEMENT AND CONSOLIDATION) VARIATION FOUR ORDER 2025 (DRAFT)

THE HIGHLAND COUNCIL in exercise of its powers under Sections 1(1), 2(1) to (3), 4, 32, 33, 35, 35A, 35B and Part IV of Schedule 9 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 ("the 1984 Act") as amended and of the Road Traffic Act 1991 ("the 1991 Act") and the Road Traffic (Permitted Parking Area and Special Parking Area) (The Highland Council) Designation Order 2016 and of all other enabling powers, and after consultation with the Chief Constable of Police Scotland in accordance with Part III of Schedule 9 to the 1984 Act, hereby makes the following Order.

- This Order shall come into operation on the date and may be cited as "The Highland Council (Off-Street Parking Places) (Decriminalised Parking Enforcement and Consolidation) Variation Four Order 2025"
- 2. The Interpretation Act 1978 shall apply for the interpretation of this Order as it applies for the Interpretation of an Act of Parliament.
- 3. The prohibitions and restrictions imposed by this Order shall be in addition to and not in derogation from any restriction or requirement imposed by any regulation made or having effect as if made under the 1984 Act or by or under any other enactment provided that where a prohibition or restriction which is imposed, varied or revoked by this Order is in conflict with a prohibition or restriction imposed by a previous Order, then the provision of this Order shall prevail.
- 4. If a court, Transport Scotland or the Parking and Bus Lane Tribunal Service for Scotland declares any part of this Order to be invalid or un-enforceable, such declaration shall not invalidate the remainder of this Order.

- 5. The Highland Council (Off-Street Parking Places) (Decriminalised Parking Enforcement and Consolidation) Order 2016 as amended (hereinafter referred to as the "Principal Order") is hereby varied as follows: the details specified in Schedule 1 of this Order annexed and signed as relative hereto are added and substituted and incorporated into Schedule 1 to the Principal Order.
- 6. The Principal Order is hereby varied as follows: the details specified in Schedule 2 of this Order annexed and signed as relative hereto are added and substituted and incorporated into Schedule 2 to the Principal Order.
- 7. The Principal Order is hereby varied as follows: the plans specified in Schedule 3 of this order annexed and signed relative hereto are added and substituted and incorporated into Schedule 4 to the Principal Order.

This Order and the Schedules annexed hereto are sealed with the Common Seal of The Highland Council and subscribed for and on behalf of The Highland Council by name, title, at location on date

This is the Schedule 1 referred to in the foregoing The Highland Council (Off-Street Parking Places) (Decriminalised Parking Enforcement and Consolidation) Variation Four Order 2025

SCHEDULE 1 – PAYMENT PARKING PLACES

Plan Ref. No. of Parking Place	Location of Parking Place	Name of Parking Place	Special classes of vehicle (if any) which can be parked in the Parking Place	Car Parking Charging Hours (Days and hours when charges will be made)	Days and hours of operation of controls and maximum stay in the Parking Place
CP0089	Mallaig	West Bay - Car Park	Motorhomes 8am - 10pm 1st March to 31st October	Mon to Sun 24 hours	Monday to Sunday inclusive. 24 hours. 24 hrs Max Stay.
CP0091	Fort William	Nevis Centre - Car Park		Mon to Sun 24 hours	Monday to Sunday inclusive. 24 hours. 10 hrs Max Stay.
CP0241	Arisaig	Camusdarach - Car Park	Motorhomes 8am - 10pm	Mon to Sun 24 hours	Monday to Sunday inclusive. 24 hours. 12 hrs Max Stay.
CP0239	Glen Etive	Glen Etive Road End - Car Park	Motorhomes 8am - 10pm	Mon to Sun 24 hours	Monday to Sunday inclusive. 24 hours. 24hrs Max Stay.
CP0143	Glen Nevis	Glen Nevis Road End - Car Park	Motorhomes 8am - 10pm	Mon to Sun 24 hours	Monday to Sunday inclusive. 24 hours. 24hrs Max Stay.
CP0206	Glen Nevis	Achintee Road End - Car Park	Motorhomes 8am - 10pm	Mon to Sun 24 hours	Monday to Sunday inclusive. 24 hours. 24hrs Max Stay.

CP0094	Glen Nevis	Ben Nevis Visitor Centre - Car Park	Motorhomes 8am - 10pm	Mon to Sun	Monday to Sunday inclusive. 24 hours.
				24 hours	24hrs Max Stay.



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This is the Schedule 2 referred to in the foregoing The Highland Council (Off-Street Parking Places) (Decriminalised Parking Enforcement and Consolidation) Variation Four Order 2025

SCHEDULE 2 - OFF STREET CAR PARK TABLE OF TARIFFS

Plan ref.no. of Parking Place Location of Parking Place		Scale of Charges	
CP0089	Mallaig West Bay - Car Park	Up to 30mins	£0.00
	Pay & Display	(With Free ticket)	
	No Motorhomes 10pm-8am	Up to 3 Hrs	£3.00
	1st March to 31st October	Up to 10 Hrs	£4.00
		Up to 24 Hrs	£10.00
CP0091	Fort William, Nevis Centre - Car Park	Up to 15 mins	£0.00
	Pay & Display	(With Free ticket)	
	No Motorhomes	Up to 1 Hrs	£1.00
		Up to 2 Hrs	£2.00
		Up to 4 Hrs	£3.00
		Up to 10 Hrs	£5.00
CP0241	Arisaig, Camusdarach - Car Park	Up to 1 Hr	£0.00
	Pay & Display	(with FREE Ticket)	
	No Motorhomes 10pm-8am	Up to 3 Hrs	£3.00
		Up to 6 Hrs	£4.00
		Up to 12 Hrs	£5.00
CP0239	Glen Etive, Road End - Car Park	Up to 3 Hrs	£3.00
	Pay & Display	Up to 6 Hrs	£4.00
	No Motorhomes 10pm-8am	Up to 12 Hrs	£5.00
		Up to 24 Hrs	£10.00
CP0143	Glen Nevis, Road End - Car Park	Up to 3 Hrs	£3.00
	Pay & Display	Up to 6 Hrs	£4.00
	No Motorhomes 10pm-8am	Up to 12 Hrs	£5.00
		Up to 24 Hrs	£10.00
CP0206	Lochaber, Achintee Road End - Car Park	Up to 3 Hrs	£3.00
	Pay & Display	Up to 6 Hrs	£4.00
	No Motorhomes 10pm-8am	Up to 12 Hrs	£5.00
		Up to 24 Hrs	£10.00

CP0094	Ben Nevis Visitor Centre - Car Park	Up to 1 Hrs	£2.00
	Pay & Display	Up to 2 Hrs	£4.00
	No Motorhomes 10pm-8am	Up to 3 Hrs	£6.00
		Up to 24 Hrs	£8.00

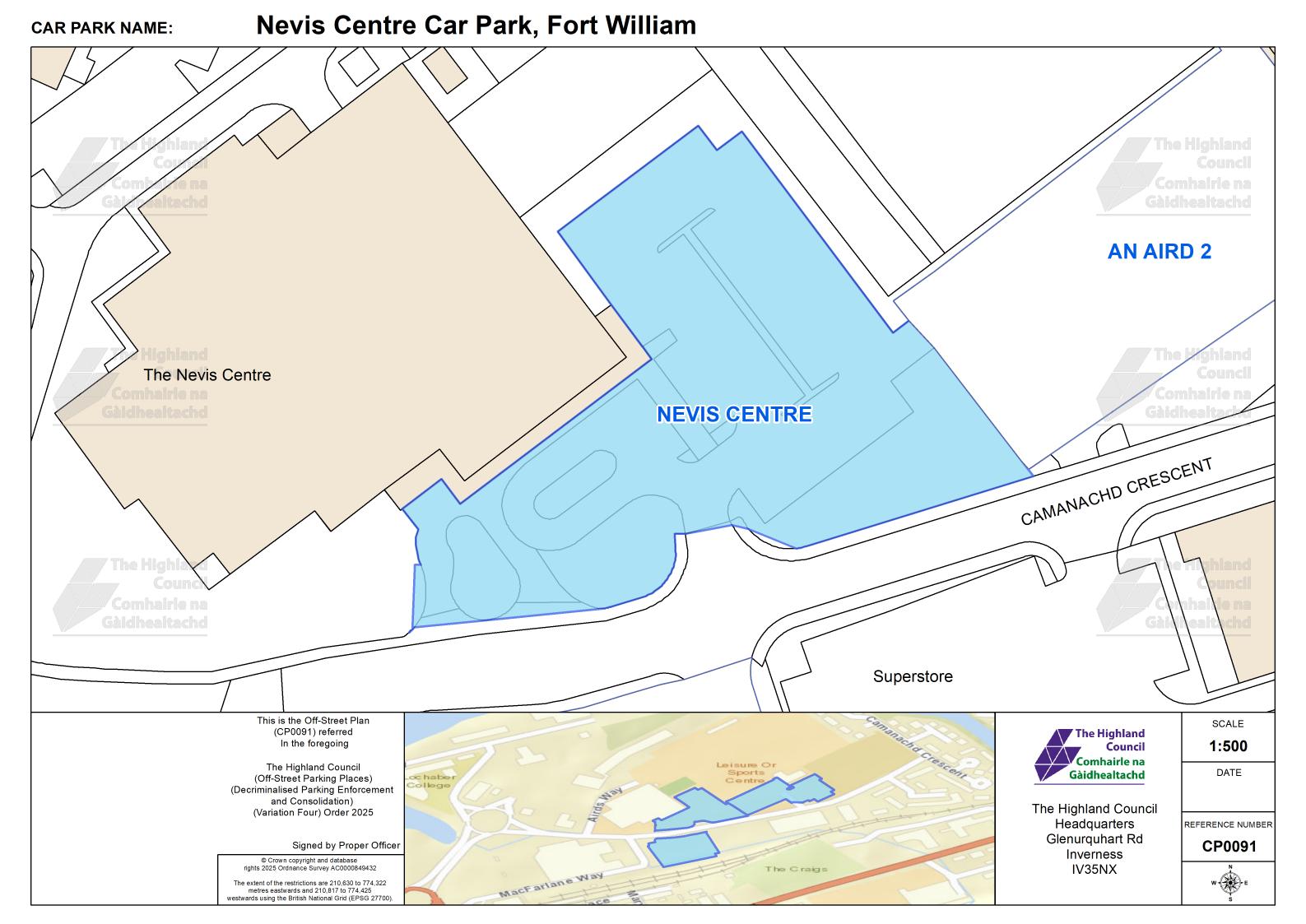


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SCHEDULE 3 – PLANS OF CAR PARKS

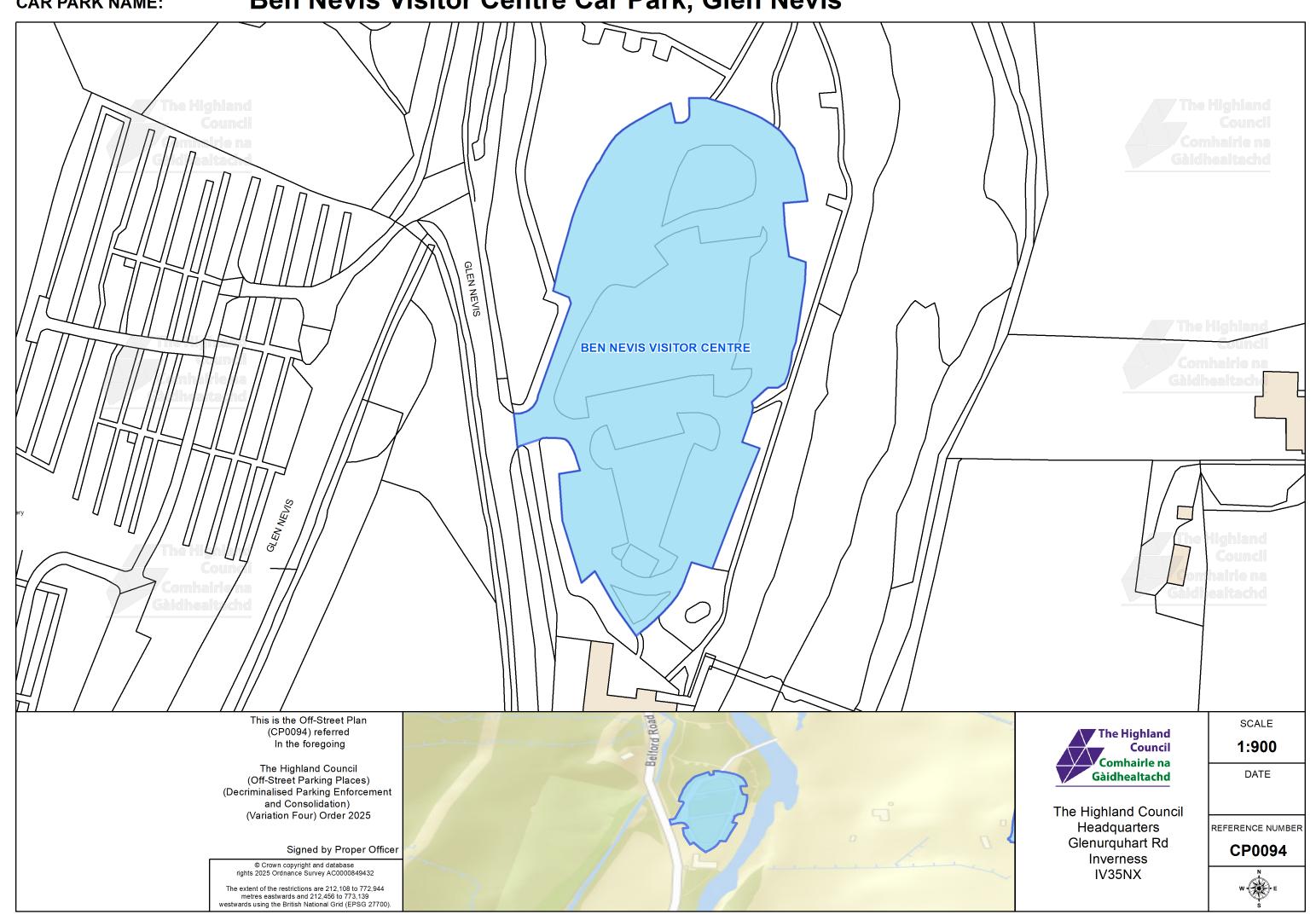
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West Bay Car Park, Mallaig **CAR PARK NAME: WEST BAY** RC Church's Во This is the Off-Street Plan SCALE (CP0089) referred The Highland Council Malaig In the foregoing 1:575 Comhairle na Mallaig The Highland Council (Off-Street Parking Places) DATE Gàidhealtachd (Decriminalised Parking Enforcement and Consolidation) (Variation Four) Order 2025 The Highland Council Headquarters REFERENCE NUMBER Glenurquhart Rd Signed by Proper Officer **CP0089** Inverness © Crown copyright and database rights 2025 Ordnance Survey AC0000849432 IV35NX The extent of the restrictions are 167,316 to 796,900 metres eastwards and 167,538 to 797,020 westwards using the British National Grid (EPSG 27700). Mallaig Primary

Ben Nevis Visitor Centre Car Park, Glen Nevis **CAR PARK NAME:**



Camusdarach Car Park, Camusdarach **CAR PARK NAME: CAMUSDARACH** Sump he Highland This is the Off-Street Plan SCALE (CP0241) referred The Highland Council In the foregoing 1:300 Comhairle na The Highland Council DATE Gàidhealtachd (Off-Street Parking Places) (Decriminalised Parking Enforcement and Consolidation) (Variation Four) Order 2025 The Highland Council Gl en an cross Headquarters REFERENCE NUMBER Glenurquhart Rd **CP0241** Signed by Proper Officer Inverness © Crown copyright and database rights 2025 Ordnance Survey AC0000849432 IV35NX The extent of the restrictions are 166,407 to 791,682 metres eastwards and 166,516 to 791,741 westwards using the British National Grid (EPSG 27700).

Glen Nevis Road End Car Park, Glen Nevis **CAR PARK NAME:** The Highland airle na Gàidhealtachd The Highland Comhairle na Gàidhealtachd GLEN NEVIS **GLEN NEVIS ROAD END** The Highland Comhairle na Gàidhealtachd This is the Off-Street Plan SCALE (CP0143) referred The Highland Council In the foregoing 1:500 Comhairle na The Highland Council DATE Gàidhealtachd

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The extent of the restrictions are 273,752 to 857,670 metres eastwards and 273,870 to 857,728 westwards using the British National Grid (EPSG 27700).



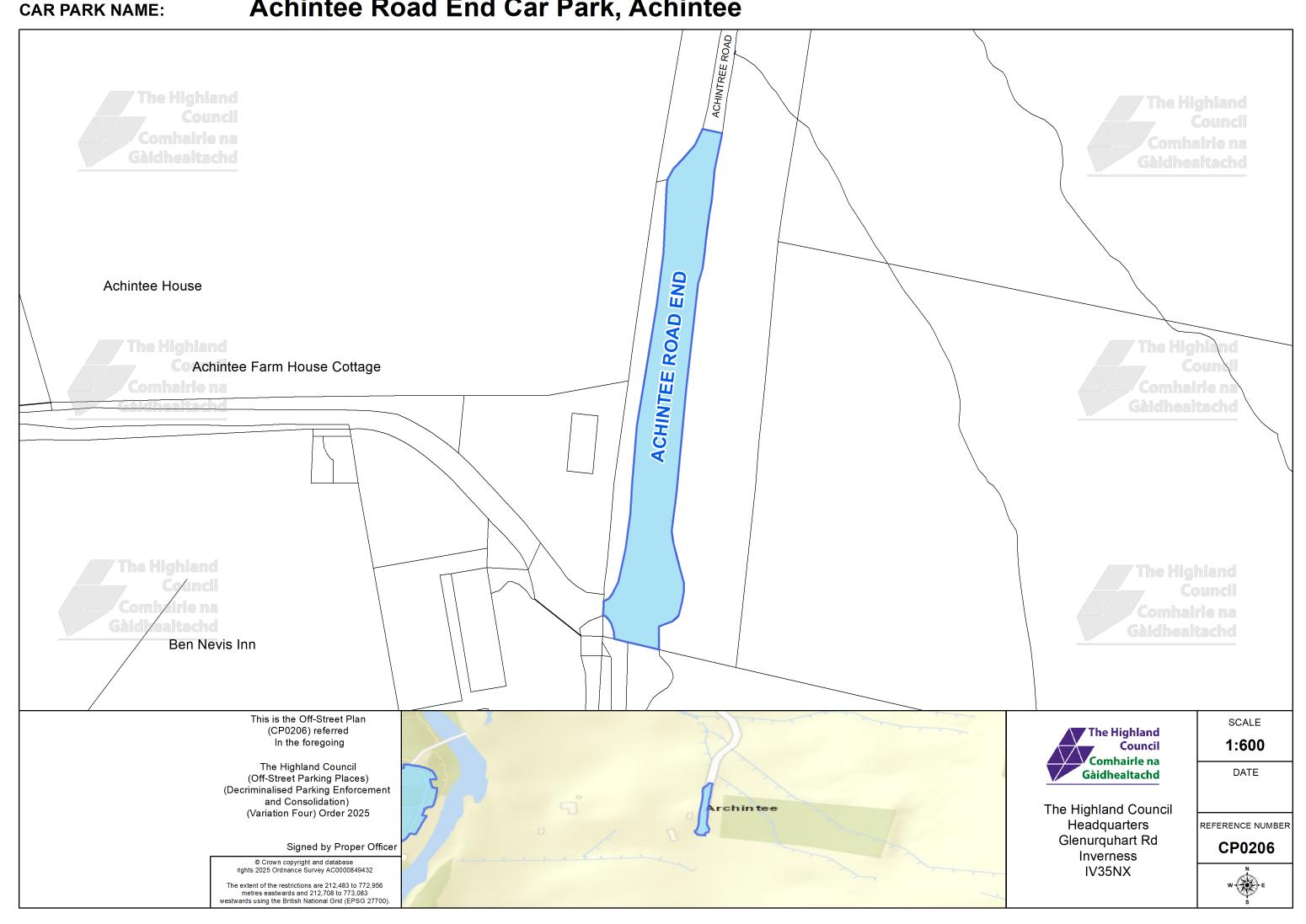
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Achintee Road End Car Park, Achintee



Glen Etive Car Park, Glen Etive **CAR PARK NAME:** UNNAMED ROAD A82 TO LOCH ETIVE The Highland mhairle na **GLEN ETIVE ROAD END** This is the Off-Street Plan SCALE (CP0239) referred The Highland In the foregoing 1:300 Council Comhairle na The Highland Council DATE Gàidhealtachd (Off-Street Parking Places) (Decriminalised Parking Enforcement and Consolidation) (Variation Four) Order 2025 The Highland Council Headquarters REFERENCE NUMBER Glenurquhart Rd Signed by Proper Officer **CP0239** Inverness © Crown copyright and database rights 2025 Ordnance Survey AC0000849432 IV35NX Loch Etive The extent of the restrictions are 211,102 to 745,319 metres eastwards and 211,220 to 745,382 westwards using the British National Grid (EPSG 27700).