

COMMONS REGISTRATION ACT 1965



Reference No. 210/U/88

In the Matter of Pond and Grass, Home Farm, Alderholt  
Dorset.

DECISION

This reference relates to the question of the ownership of land known as Pond and Grass, Home Farm, Alderholt being the land comprised in the Land Section of Register Unit No. CL.163 in the Register of Common Land maintained by the Dorset County Council of which no person is registered under section 4 of the Commons Registration Act 1965 as the owner.

Following upon the public notice of this reference no person claimed to be the freehold owner of the land in question and no one claimed to have information as to its ownership.

I held a hearing for the purpose of inquiring into the question of the ownership of the land at Dorchester on 7 March 1984. At the hearing the Alderholt Parish Council was represented by Mr B J Sillence, its Clerk, who informed me that his Council was not claiming to be the owner of the land.

In the absence of any evidence, I am not satisfied that any person is the owner of the land, and it will therefore remain subject to protection under section 9 of the Act of 1965.

I am required by regulation 30 (1) of the Commons Commissioners Regulations 1971 to explain that a person aggrieved by this decision as being erroneous in point of law may, within 6 weeks from the date on which notice of the decision is sent to him, require me to state a case for the decision of the High Court

Dated this

29<sup>th</sup>

day of

March

1984

Chief Commons Commissioner