



COMMONS REGISTRATION ACT 1965

Reference Nos 210/D/222-228

In the Matter of The Chesil Beach Area,  
Portland, Weymouth, Chickerell,  
Fleet, Langton Herring, Abbotsbury,  
Puncknowle, Swyre, and Burton Broadstock, Dorset.

## DECISION

These disputes relate to the registration at Entry No. 83/1 in the Land section of Register Unit No. CL 83 in the Register of Common Land maintained by the Dorset County Council and are occasioned by Objection No. 17 made by M/s J F. Fereday, and noted in the Register on 28 November 1969, Objection No. 31 made by Mr E M Wagner and noted in the Register on 18 December 1969, Objection No. 57 made by the Crown Estate Commissioners and noted in the Register on 11 June 1971, Objection No. 125 made by Mr R F Bailey and noted in the Register on 11 June 1971, Objection No. 317 made by Mr G E Hine and noted in the Register on 11 June 1971, Objection No. 361 made by the Hon. Peter Pleydell Bouverie, Mr J Luke and Mr M P Wyndham (hereafter referred to as "the Ilchester Trustees") and noted in the Register on 11 June 1971, and Objection No. 471 made by the Clerk of the former Dorset County Council and also noted in the Register on 11 June 1971.

I held a hearing for the purpose of inquiring into the dispute at Dorchester on 21 September 1976. The hearing was attended by Mr J S Morris, the applicant for the registration, Mrs R Colyer, the applicant for a registration noted under section 4(4) of the Commons Registration Act 1965, Mr D Tranter, solicitor, on behalf of Mr Wagner and Mr Bailey, Mr N Butterfield, of Counsel, on behalf of the Crown Estate Commissioners, Miss R Cullen, of Counsel, on behalf of the Ilchester Trustees, and Mr D L Harper, solicitor, on behalf of the County Council. M/s Fereday did not appear and was not represented.

Mr Morris informed me that he did not wish to support the registration, and Mrs Colyer stated that she agreed.

In these circumstances I refuse to confirm the registration.

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 13<sup>th</sup> day of October 1976

Chief Commons Commissioner