



In the Matter of Sand Edge Common,
Wolsingham, Co. Durham (No. 3)

DECISION

This dispute relates to the registration at Entry No. 4 in the Rights section of Register Unit No. CL 48 in the Register of Common Land maintained by the Durham County Council and is occasioned by Objection No. 45 made by Mr T R F Fenwick and noted in the Register on 1 February 1972.

I held a hearing for the purpose of inquiring into the dispute at Durham on 9 October 1980. The hearing was attended by Mr R Mitchell, of counsel, on behalf of Messrs Watson and Ross, the applicants for the registration, and by Mr J S Stephenson, solicitor, on behalf of the Objector.

Mr Mitchell informed me that it had been agreed that the registration should not include cattle and that the grazing of sheep should be limited by the time of the year.

In these circumstances I confirm the registration with the following modification: namely, the deletion of "and 50 cattle and followers" and the substitution of "ewes with or without lambs from 1 January to 31 March and from 1 June to 30 September in any year and 125 ewes with or without lambs at all other times of the year" for "sheep and followers".

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

22nd

day of

October

1980

Chief Commons Commissioner