

COMMONS REGISTRATION ACT 1965

Reference No 213/D/79-80

In the Matter of Painswick Hill, Painswick, Stroud D

DECISION

This dispute relates to the registration at Entry No 1 in the Land Section and Entry Nos 1-11 in the Rights Section of Register Unit No CL. 151 in the Register of Common Land maintained by the Gloucestershire County Council and is occasioned by Objection No Ob 525 made by the Exors of F E Workman and noted in the Register on 8 December 1972.

I held a hearing for the purpose of inquiring into the dispute at Gloucester on 5 April 1978. The hearing was attended by Mr D Lyall of Messrs Wellington & Clifford on behalf of the Objectors and by Mr A B Thomas of Messrs Thomson & Badham on behalf of the Personal Representatives of the late Mr J O T Blow who claims to be the owner of the land. Neither the Painswick Parish Council nor any of the applicants for rights appeared. It was accepted by Mr Thomas that the common had been iraccurately defined on the register map (through no fault of the Registration Authority) and that the land the subject of Objection Ob 525 was never in the ownership of Mr Blow and he also told me that he agreed it was not common land.

For these reasons I confirm the registration modified by the exclusion of the land identified on the plan annexed to Objection No Ob 525 and I confirm the Entries in the Rights Section as applicable to the modified Entry in the Land Section.

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 14 day of cifril

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1 A Settle

Commons Commissioner