



COMMONS REGISTRATION ACT 1965

Reference No. 50/D/26

In the Matter of Land near the ford at  
Coed Pen Prys, Nantmor,  
Beddgelert

DECISION

This dispute relates to the registration at Entry No 1 in the Land Section of Register Unit No VG 14 in the Register of Town or Village Greens maintained by the Caernarvonshire County Council and is occasioned by the conflicting registration at Entry No 1 in the Land Section of Register Unit No CL63 in the Register of Common Land maintained by the Council.

I held a hearing for the purpose of inquiring into the dispute at Caernarvon on 31st January 1973. The hearing was attended by Mr G Llew Jones, the Chairman and acting Clerk of Beddgelert Parish Council.

Mr Llew Jones testified that this piece of land has been used by holiday makers as a picnic site since the 1950s. No other use of the land has been made, so far as the witness is aware. There is a public footpath across the land, which is carried over the adjoining river called Blaen Nantmor by means of a footbridge maintained by the Parish Council.

This evidence is plainly insufficient to establish that this site is a town or village green within the meaning of the definition in section 22 (1) of the Commons Registration Act 1965.

For these reasons I refuse to confirm the registration.

I am required by regulation 50(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 3rd day of March 1973

*A. E. Francis*

Commons Commissioner