



COMMONS REGISTRATION ACT 1965

Reference No. 54/U/1

In the Matter of Marian Mawr or the Green  
Dolgellau Meirionnydd D.

DECISION

This reference relates to the question of the ownership of land known as Marian Mawr or the Green, Dolgellau, Meirionnydd D. being the land comprised in the Land Section of Register Unit No. VG.2 in the Register of Town or Village Greens maintained by the former Merioneth 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 The Marian Mawr Trustees claimed that the Official Custodian for Charities is the freehold owner of the land in question and no other person 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 Dolgellau on 4th November 1975.

Mr. Evan Williams part time Hon Secretary to the Marian Mawr Trustees produced a copy order dated 14th December 1967 made by the Secretary of State for Education and Science which stated that the legal estate in the real estate belonging to the Foundation known as Marian Mawr otherwise The Green Dolgellau is vested in the Official Custodian for Charities.

On this evidence I am satisfied that the Official Custodian for Charities is the owner of the land, and I shall accordingly direct the Gwynedd County Council, as registration authority, to register the Official Custodian for Charities as the owner of the land under section 8 (2) 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

3<sup>rd</sup>

day of

December

1975

C. A. Little  
Commons Commissioner