



COMMONS REGISTRATION ACT 1965

Reference No. 14/U/64

In the Matter of The Littleton Recreational  
Allotment, Littleton, Winchester CC

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DECISION

This reference relates to the question of the ownership of land known as The Littleton Recreational Allotment, Littleton, Winchester CC being the land comprised in the Land Section of Register Unit No. VG. 174 in the Register of Town or Village Greens maintained by the Hampshire 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 Littleton Parish Council claimed to be 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 Winchester on 2 March 1976.

Mr M J Kilroy of Messrs Faithful & Bowker appeared on behalf of the Littleton Parish Council and Mr M R Clark, the clerk to the Council appeared and produced a certified copy of the Littleton Inclosure Act 1843 with map annexed whereby the land in question was vested in the Churchwardens and Overseers for the said Parish.

On this evidence I am satisfied that Littleton Parish Council is the owner of the land, and I shall accordingly direct the Hampshire County Council, as registration authority, to register Littleton Parish Council as the owner of the land under section 3(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 9<sup>th</sup> day of March 1976

C. A. Settle

Commons Commissioner