

COMMONS REGISTRATION ACT 1965

Reference No.43/U/25

In the Matter of the Village Green, Barmby Moor, Pocklington R.D., Yorkshire (East Riding)

DECISION

This reference relates to the question of the ownership of land (several pieces) known as the Village Green situate off Front Street and Beckside, at Barmby Moor, Pocklington Rural District being the land comprised in the Land Section of Register Unit No. VG. 13 in the Register of Town or Village Greens maintained by the East Riding 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 no person claimed to be the freehold owner of the land in question and no person claimed to have informatic as to its ownership.

I held a hearing for the purpose of inquiring into the question of the ownership of the land at Beverley on 13 July 1973. The hearing was attended by Barmby Moor Parish Council who were represented by Mr. W. Parsons their chairman.

Mr. Parsons described the land and told me something of its importance to the Village. He said that the Parish Council did not wish to try to establish ownership under subsection (2) of section 8 of the 1965 Act and accordingly he requested me to proceed under subsection (3).

In the absence of any evidence I am not satisfied that any person is the owner of the land, and I shall accordingly direct the East Riding County Council, as registration authority to register Barmby Moor Parish Council as the owner of the land under section 8(3) 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 17/5 day of July

1973.

a.a. Balen Fuller

Commons Commissioner