

COMMONS REGISTRATION ACT 1965

Reference No.20/U/9

In the Matter of the Village Green, Southport Road, Lydiate, West Lancashire R.D., Lancashire.

DECISION

This reference relates to the question of the ownership of land known as the Village Green, Southport Road, Lydiate, West Lancashire Rural District being the land comprised in the Land Section of Register Unit No.V.G.12 in the Register of Town or Village Greens maintained by the Lancashire County Council of which no person is registered under section 3 of the Commons Registration Act 1965 as the owner.

Following upon the public notice of this reference Mrs. M.Pimlott on behalf of the "Moores Family", in a letter dated 25th April 1972 claimed to be the freehold owner of the land in question but 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 Preston on 20th June 1972.

Neither Mrs. M. Pimlott nor any other person attended the hearing and so I had no evidence.

For this reason I am not satisfied that any person is the owner of the land, and I shall accordingly direct the Lancashire County Council, as registration authority, to register Lydiate Parish Council as the owner of the land under Section 8(3) of the Act.

I am required by regulation 3C(1) of the Commons Commissioners Regulations 1971 to explain that a person aggrieved by this decision as being erronsous 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.

a. a. Brien Jeller

Dated this 26% day of June 1972

Commons Commissioner