



In the Matter of The Green, Anstey, Leicestershire.

DECISION

This reference relates to the question of the ownership of land known as The Green, Anstey, being the land comprised in the Land Section of Register Unit No. VG 3 in the Register of Town or Village Greens maintained by the Leicestershire 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 one 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 Leicester on 1 April 1981.

At the hearing the Anstey Parish Council was represented by Mr C Southampton, its Clerk.

The Parish Council placed three seats on the land in question about 20 years ago and has since maintained them. During the last 15 years the Council has planted trees in the land. Neither of these activities has been the subject of any objection.

On this evidence I am satisfied that the Parish Council is the owner of the land, and I shall accordingly direct the Leicestershire County Council, as registration authority, to register the Parish Council 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

15th

day of

April

1981

Chief Commons Commissioner