

COMMONS REGISTRATION ACT 1965

Reference No. 222/U/13

In the Matter of land at Saltfleetby St. Clement, Lincolnshire

DECISION

This reference relates to the question of the ownership of land at Saltfleetby St. Clement being the land comprised in the Land Section of Register Unit No. CL 4 in the Register of Common Land maintained by the Lincolnshire 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 Saltfleetby Parish Council claimed to be the freehold owner of the land in question and Mr W H Hutton 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 Lincoln on 30 November 1978.

At the hearing Mr N Borrill the Chairman of Saltfleetby Parish Council appeared on its behalf, and on one else appeared. The evidence adduced was not sufficient to establish ownership by the Parish Council or any other person, and I am not satisfied that any person is the owner of the land. It will therefore remain subject to protection under section 9 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.

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