



In the Matter of Dacre Banks Village Green,
Dacre, North Yorkshire.

DECISION

This reference relates to the question of the ownership of land known as Dacre Banks Village Green, Dacre, being the land comprised in the Land Section of Register Unit No. VG 126 in the Register of Town or Village Greens maintained by the former West Riding of Yorkshire 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 Harrogate on 10 May 1977.

At the hearing the Dacre Parish Council was represented by Mr J Love, one of its members.

The land in question was the subject of a conveyance made 15 April 1928 between (1) Col. Sir William Henry Ingilby (2) John Uchtred Macdowall Ingilby, Arthur Eustace Seymour Guinness and Archibald Edward Collins (3) Dacre Banks Parish Council.

On this evidence I am satisfied that the Dacre Parish Council is the owner of the land, and I shall accordingly direct the North Yorkshire 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

30th

day of

May

1977

Chief Commons Commissioner