

COMMONS REGISTRATION ACT 1965

Reference No.268/D/109-110

In the Matter of The Pinfold, Hargill, Township Quarry and Hassocks Moss, Redmine, North Yorkshire (No.2)

DECISION

These disputes relate to the registration at Entry Nos 1 to 39 in the Rights section of Register Unit No.CL.161 in the Register of Common Land maintained by the former North Riding of Yorkshire County Council and are occasioned by Objection 0220 made by Mr J U Machell and Sir Henry Lawson-Tancred and noted in the Register on 25 September 1970, and Objection No. 0235 also made by Mr Machell and Sir Henry Lawson-Tancred, and noted in the Register on 3 November 1970.

I held a hearing for the purpose of inquiring into the dispute at Richmond on 10 May 1978. The hearing was attended by Mr J H N Towers, Solicitor, on behalf of the Objectors. There was no appearance by or on behalf of the applicants for the registrations, but Mr Towers stated that he was instructed to pursue the objection only in respect of the registrations at Entry Nos. 8,15,17,18,21,22,25,27,31,36 and 37. All these registrations, with the exception of those at Entry Nos 27 and 36, were made on the applicants of tenants of the Objectors who are the owners of the land over which the rights were claimed to exist.

In the absence of any evidence in support of any of the registrations and in the light of Mr Tower's statement, I confirm the registrations at Entry Nos 1 to 7, 9 to 14,16,19,20,23,24,26,28 to 30, 32 to 35, 38 and 39, and I refuse to confirm the registrations at Entry Nos 8,15,17,18,21,22,25,27,31,36, and 37.

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

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DAY OF

1978

Chief Commons Commissioner

