



COMMONS REGISTRATION ACT 1965

Reference No. 268/U/241

In the Matter of Troutdale Brow, Snainton,  
North Yorkshire, (NO.2)

DECISION

This reference relates to the question of the ownership of land known as Troutdale Brow, Snainton, being the land comprised in the Land Section of Register Unit No. CL.299 in the Register of Common Land maintained by the North 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 Mr A T P Harrison claimed to be the freehold owner of the land in question and 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 Malton on 23 May 1979. At the hearing Mr Harrison was represented by Mr P J Lawrence, solicitor.

The land the subject of the reference was conveyed to Mr Harrison by a conveyance made 6 April 1973 between (1) Henry Cecil Hankey Illingworth (2) National Westminster Bank Ltd (3) Anthony Thomas Pateman Harrison. Mr Harrison took possession of the land on 5 April 1974.

On this evidence I am satisfied that Mr Harrison is the owner of the land, and I shall accordingly direct the North Yorkshire County Council, as registration authority, to register him 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 25<sup>th</sup> day of June

1979  
  
Chief Commons Commissioner