

In the Matter of Trefil Ddu Tredegar

DECISION

This dispute relates to the registration at Entry Nos. 6, 10, 16, 17, 20, 22, 27, 30, 32-36 in the Rights Section of Register Unit No. CL 14 in the Register of Common Land maintained by the Powys County Council and is occasioned by Objections made by the Duke of Beaufort's Breconshire Estate and noted in the Register.

I held a hearing for the purpose of inquiring into the dispute at Brecon on 27 March 1984. The hearing was attended by Mr K J Dawson of Messrs Henry Jones and Hobbs, Solicitors of Swansea appeared for the objectors, Mr H Westron of Westron Edwards and Co, Solicitors of Ebbw Vale appeared for Mrs J Williams the applicant at Entry No. 10 and Mr J E Jones the applicant at Entry No. 35 appeared in person and for the Trefil Mountain Pony Improvement Society the applicant at Entry No. 27.

Mr Dawson informed me that his clients had agreed to withdraw their objection on terms of the following cases.

Rights Entry No. 6 Grazing limited to 70 sheep or stock equivalent 10 20 16 225 20 200 22 990 65 660 40 32 Grazing limited to 2 horses only.

The Pony Improvement Society owns no land of its own and so its claim must fail Objection 603 to Entry No. 17 was withdrawn.

Mr J E James claimed that he had misdescribed the servient land. He agreed to withdraw his application and the objectors accepted that I should confirm his application at Entry No. 45 in the Rights Section of Register Unit No. 15 at the reduced figure of 10 sheep or equivalent stock. The stock equivalent of 5 sheep is 1 horse or 1 beast.

For these reasons I confirm the registration with the modifications above mentioned and I refuse to confirm the registrations at Entry Nos./27 and 35.

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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