



In the Matter of Milford Heath, Witley
Waverley D.

DECISION

This reference relates to the question of the ownership of land described above being the land comprised in the Land Section of Register Unit No. CL.141 in the Register of Common Land maintained by the Surrey 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 Witley Parish Council claimed to be the freehold owner of the land in question ("the Unit Land") 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 unit land at Guildford on 4 October 1983. At the hearing the Parish Council was represented by the Deputy Clerk, Mrs P. G. Penny; there was no other claimant.

By a Conveyance dated 7 September 1948 and made between Mary Glennie (1) certain trustees (2) and the Parish Council (3) Land was conveyed to the Parish Council which included the Unit Land.

On this evidence I am satisfied that Witley Parish Council is the owner of the unit land and I shall accordingly direct the Surrey County Council, as registration authority, to register the Parish Council as the owner under section 9 (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

15th

day of

November

1983

L. J. Morris Smith

Commons Commissioner