

COMMONS REGISTRATION ACT 1965

Reference No. 45/D/2

In the Matter of Old Town Green in the parish of Wadsworth West Yorkshire

DECISION

This dispute relates to the registration at Entry No. 1 in the Land Section of Register Unit No. VG. 20 in the Register of Town or Village Greens maintained by the former West Riding County Council and is occasioned by the conflicting registration at Entry No. 1 in the Land Section of Register Unit No.CL.23 in the Register of Common Land maintained by the Council.

I held a hearing for the purpose of inquiring into the dispute at Huddersfield on 17 October 1974. The hearing was attended by Mr. Ellis of Messrs. Eastwoods, solicitors for the Wadsworth Parish Council and Mr. Pickles who had registered grazing rights over the land in question also appeared. The registration of the land as common land was consequential upon the registration of the said grazing rights. At the hearing Mr. Pickles withdrew his claim to the said grazing rights and the necessary consequence is that the registration of the land as common land can not be sustained.

For these reasons I confirm the registration.

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

day of November 1974.

Commons Commissioner