



In the Matter of Poulshot Green, Poulshot,
Wiltshire (No. 3)

DECISION

This dispute relates to the registrations at Entry Nos 1 to 9 in the Rights section of Register Unit No VG 16 in the Register of Town or Village Greens maintained by the Wiltshire Council and is occasioned by the conflicting registration at Entry No. 1 in the Land section of Register Unit No. CL 84 in the Register of Common Land maintained by the Council.

I held a hearing for the purpose of inquiring into the dispute at Salisbury on 9 December 1980. The hearing was attended by Mr E R Grist, the Chairman of the Poulshot Parish Council, the applicant for the conflicting registration, and also the applicant for the registration at Entry No. 5.

Mr Grist said that the Parish Council did not wish to support the conflicting registration.

The registration at Entry No 5 is of a right of grazing attached to Higher Green Farm and was made on the application of Mr Grist as tenant. However, the same right is registered at Entry No. 4 on the application of the former Wiltshire County Council in their capacity as smallholdings authority. The registration at Entry No. 5 ought never to have been made, because the County Council in their capacity as registration authority should have noted Mr Grist's application in the register in pursuance of reg. 9(5) of the Commons Registration (General) Regulations 1966 (S.I. 1966 No. 1471). I therefore refuse to confirm the registration at Entry No. 5.

There being no objection to the remaining registrations and the conflicting registration not being supported, I confirm the remaining registrations.

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

17th

day of

December

1980

[Handwritten Signature]

CHIEF COMMONS COMMISSIONER