Reference Nos. 262/D/855-856

In the Matter of The Grune, Skinburness, Silloth, Cumbria, (NO.1)

DECISION

These disputes relate to the registration at Entry No 1 in the Land Section of Register Unit No.CL.30 in the Register of Common Land maintained by the Cumbria County Council and are occasioned by Objections Nos. 209 and 210 made by Mr J T Wills and both noted in the Register on 4 August 1972.

I held a hearing for the purpose of inquiring into the disputes at Carlisle on 27 March 1984. The hearing was attended by Mr T Wallis, Solicitor, on behalf of Mr J S Harrison, the applicant for the registration, and by Mr J Newing, the Clerk of the Silloth Parish Council. There was no appearance by or on behalf of Mr Wills, who was said to have died many years ago. However, Mr Wallis stated that he was instructed not to support the registration, and no evidence in support of it was adduced by Mr Newing.

In these circumstances I refuse to 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

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day of Africa

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Chief Commons Commissioner