

In the Matter of Land at Ford End, South and East of the Church, Great Waltham, Essex.

## DECISION

This dispute relates to the registration at Entry No. 1 in the Land section of Register Unit No. CL 440 in the Register of Common Land maintained by the Essex County Council and is occasioned by Objection No. 524 made by the former Essex County Council and noted in the Register on 31 July 1972.

I held a hearing for the purpose of inquiring into the dispute at Chelmsford on 7 July 1977. The hearing was attended by Mr R J Carpenter, who, as representative of the Ramblers Association, made an application for the registration, which was noted under section 4(4) of the Commons Registration Act 1965, and by Mr S J Gardner, solicitor, on behalf of the Essex County Council. There was no appearance by or on behalf of Mr J C Jenkins, the applicant for the registration, but Mr Carpenter handed to me a document signed by himself and Mr Jenkins stating that they wished the registration to be cancelled.

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 Sta day of There 1977

Chief Commons Commissioner