

In the Matter of Roadside Verge in Mill Road. Stock, Essex.

DECISION

This dispute relates to the registration at Entry No. 1 in the Land section of Register Unit No. CL 115 in the Register of Common Land maintained by the Essex County Council and is occasioned by Objection No. 255 made by the former Essex County Council and noted in the Register on 30 September 1970.

I held a hearing for the purpose of inquiring into the dispute at Chelmsford on 7 July 1977. The hearing was attended by Mr L D Jarvis, a member of the Stock Parish Council, the applicant for the registration, and by Mr S J Gardner, solicitor, on behalf of the Essex County Council.

Mr Gardner informed me that the Objection was made on the footing that the land comprised in the Register Unit formed part of the highway, but that the County Council was not in a position to prove this conclusively so it did not wish to pursue the Objection.

In these circumstances 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 Siz day of The 1977

Chief Commons Commissioner